



SEASONAL EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY

Are you looking for a fun, challenging and rewarding job in one of the most beautiful and scenic places in Valdez? Do you enjoy working outdoors and on the water and possess strong equipment operator and mechanical skills? VFDA is looking for a qualified applicant to fill its Fish Tech III / Harvester Operator position. Tentative start date is June 2, 2025.

Recognizing that Robe Lake is an important part of the Valdez ecosystem, VFDA operates an aquatic marine harvester to remove vegetation from the mouth of Robe River, the lake and its creeks to ensure that the returning salmon have access to the gravel beds necessary to spawn. This position will also assist with the preventative maintenance of the harvester.

Essential job functions:

- Knowledge and skill in operating various types of light, medium and heavy equipment.
- Knowledge of preventive maintenance requirements and procedures.
- Knowledge of safe operation of equipment.
- Ability to make independent decisions as situation dictates in accordance with established policies and procedures and based on the needs of the company.
- Ability to perform strenuous and routine work while working independent or in cooperation with others.
- Perform other related duties as required.

Qualifications: Minimum required

- Education: High school Diploma or G.E.D.
- At least one (1) year work experience operating heavy, medium and light duty equipment.
- Valid Driver's License

Compensation: This is a seasonal, exempt (agriculture) position starting at **\$24.93/hr.**

To apply send a general application to lori.plaster@valdezfisheries.com
or drop off in person at the administrative office located at
1815 Mineral Creek Loop Road.

