Agricultural Meteorologist RFD-TV Nashville, TN 37207

RFD-TV has an immediate opportunity for an **agricultural meteorologist** who is able to present the weather on television in a manner that engages our audience and explains present and future conditions from an agricultural perspective. Extra consideration will be given to candidates who have experience as a proven news anchor. **All applicants must provide a link to a reel showcasing their recent work.**

Key Duties:

- Provide live-to-air weather reports for Market Day Report and Rural Evening News
- · Present weather information in a clear and unambiguous manner

• Relate weather conditions, systems, and forecasts to the specific needs and interests of farmers and ranchers

· Correlate weather to seasonal events e.g. planting, harvest, etc.

Candidates with news anchor experience would also:

Anchor RFD-TV's coverage of agricultural news – including crop conditions, legislative policy, commodities markets and rural lifestyle

• Report breaking news live and unscripted, with clean delivery and stellar mental organization

· Write and copy-edit scripts

• Excellent people skills; a bona fide team player, working collaboratively with editorial and technical teams

Requirements:

- · Graduate from a program in Agricultural Meteorology
- Excellent presentation skills
- Prior experience with Weather Systems for Television

 \cdot Bachelor's degree in Agriculture, Journalism, Media, Communication or other related fields

About RFD-TV:

• RFD-TV is the only television network in the United States devoted entirely to serving Rural America while striving to reconnect City and Country. The network is seen in nearly 50 million homes across the country.

• We produce 27 ½ hours of news programming each week, in addition to countless special programs. Our program lineup consists of a mix of news, entertainment, rural lifestyle and equine programming tailored to the unique appetites of the network's loyal constituency.

• The network occupies state-of-the-art production facilities and offices in one of Nashville's best locations, famed Music Row.

Job Type: Full-time

Benefits:

- Dental insurance
- Health insurance
- Paid time off
- Vision insurance

Schedule:

• Monday to Friday

Experience:

- Agricultural Weather on TV: 3 years (Required)
- Certified Meteorologist: 3 years (Required)
- News Anchor: 1 year (Preferred)

Work Location:

• One location

Work Remotely:

• No

Please submit resumes to RFD-TV's News Director, Katie Farritor, by emailing <u>katie@rfdtv.com</u>.