

Jason Gregson

- Machinist/Mechanic -

1201 Borthwick St Centralia WA 98531

Cell: 360-710-1083

Email: jasonagregson@gmail.com

I appreciate your consideration for employment at your company. I am a dedicated, hardworking, and trustworthy employee who shows up on time and works efficiently to produce the best possible result in the time allotted. I am looking for full time employment to continue my career in the manufacturing field.

My areas of expertise are in making prototype and one-off parts, production efficiency solutions, troubleshooting, teardown repair and reassemble, fabrication, and creative solutions to complex problems. I am eager to learn new skills but I bring with me many years of industrial experience that was diversified enough to give me a fairly unique skillset.

Hard Skills:

- Proficient with most common machine shop equipment
- Proficient with heavy duty mechanics shop equipment
- Have completed many small and large work assignments both single handedly and as a valuable part of a team both in repair of machinery and vehicles as well as fabrication of new and unique parts and machines

Soft Skills:

- Problem solving
- Critical thinking
- Can handle pressure and stressful deadlines
- Timeliness
- Hardworking
- Mechanically inclined

Industrial Experience

- Versatile Machining, Bainbridge Island WA 3 years -

- Fadal 3-Axis CNC Mill: Minor programing, setup, edit G-code to maximize efficiency, adjust speeds and feeds, etc
- CNC Lathe: Same as above+ threading
- Manual mill: Setup, mill, drill and tap
- Manual Lathe: Setup, run, turning OD and ID, threading
- Die Sinking EDM: Setup and run
- Injection Molding Machine: Change molds, setup machine for different pulls/plastics/colors, monitor operation and make adjustments to clamping strength, temperature, etc
- Stick and Mig Welding: Read drawings, determine most efficient way to proceed, pull material from storage area and cut to proper sizes, break edges, weld together according to drawings, inspect welds for proper depth and composition
- Other Skills: Many other smaller shop tools, grinders, drill press, metal cutting band saw, hot-cut saw, etc
- **Responsibility Advancement: Started as a helper, within two years was able to keep three+ machines running at once**

Heavy Duty Mechanic Experience

- Estes Express Lines Diesel Shop, Auburn WA 2 years-

- Trailers: Perform yard check to determine which units require preventative maintenance, use yard goat to back trailers into shop, perform 300+ point inspection noting work needed, perform all repairs required. Structural, electrical, mechanical, air brake, rollup door, body work etc. Put trailers back into service.
- Forklifts: Determine which units require preventative maintenance, drive unit down to shop, perform PM and fill out paperwork, perform work needed, ensure unit is ready for service and return to service. Oil change, transmission service, tune ups, engine swaps, transmission swaps, replace or rebuild hydraulic cylinders and valves, use onboard diagnostics to diagnose electrical and sensory issues, etc.
- Responsibility Advancement: Started with Estes as a dockworker driving a forklift. Quickly proved myself a valuable and trustworthy employee and was given the responsibility of checking every trailer in yard and looking for missing freight. Worked closely with claims department and terminal manager to get lost freight back on track. After 1 year moved to diesel shop. After a few months working on trailers I was given a promotion from Trailer Mechanic to Moving Equipment mechanic and was put in charge of forklift maintenance.
- Other duties: Perform roadside repairs on units that had broken down while out delivering freight; perform PM on shop truck, air compressor, yard goat, lift-gate units, and other smaller shop equipment. Work with parts clerk to determine best options for replacement parts. Communicate with coworkers to determine best course of action for work flow and shop floor use. Keep work area clean and tidy.

Other positions I have held:

- Print Machine Operator at Local Church Publishing 7 years

Hobbies:

- Gunsmithing
- Shooting

- Hiking
- Carpentry
- Working on my '95 Jeep Grand Cherokee and my '92 Lexus SC 400