

# BILL BACHMAN

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- Excellent mechanical skills from operation to repair of equipment in industrial settings.
- Highly motivated, persistent, dedicated and responsible.
- Excellent ability to reason, make decisions and exercise and use independent judgment in various situations.
- An effective leader, skilled in enlisting the support of team members in aligning with project and organizational goals.
- An organized leader and detail oriented manager, able to prioritize and delegate tasks effectively to ensure timely project completion within a team environment.

## KEY AREAS OF EXPERTISE

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Operation of heavy equipment	Welding/Fabrication skills	Problem solving
Production oriented	Communication to all levels	Personnel management
Manage and oversee operations	Internal /external relations	Capital funding & budgeting
Execution of 4DX Disciplines	Timekeeping ADP/Kronos	Adhere to financials of AOP

## PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

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### **Coalview LLC**

Centralia, WA.

*Plant Operator*

*2017-Present*

*Relief Supervisor*

*2017-Present*

Current on MSHA safety training, including Part 77, w/10hr. CPR and methane certification. Duties include Fine Coal Recovery. Operating 72' dredge retrieving pond slurry and fine coal. Operate John Deere 444 front end loader, Mustang Bobcat, Material Handler, John Deere 550 & 650 dozers. Operate outboard boats on pond. Operating processing plant, communicating with dredge operator and other employees as to current status of Plant, Dredge and thickener. Record hourly Dredge, Plant, Underflow, and Thickener readings on spreadsheets. Communicate with Power Generations side when needed. Maintain general equipment at the plant welding, conveyor belts, shaker decks, spirals, vehicles, etc. Relief supervisor duties include inspection of mine and active work areas. Reviewing and recording timesheets, safe work plans, and filling out daily inspection log book. Recording methane tests. Communicating turnover at beginning and end of shift with crews.

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## **GBW Railcar Services. LLC,**

**Chehalis, WA.**

**2007-2017**

*Plant Superintendent*

*2016-2017*

*Plant Manager*

*2011-2016*

*Plant Superintendent*

*2008-2011*

*Production Supervisor*

*2007-2008*

Manage the day-to-day operations with a workforce from 90 to 120 team members. Responsible for planning and overseeing Production, Quality, EHS, Inventory, Human Resources, and Billing managers and their teams. Oversee and comply with all Federal, State, and local regulations (FRA, AAR). Generate shop revenue levels from \$1.1-2.5 million monthly. Manage working capital with inventory levels of up to 3.4 million creating capital spending plans yearly for site improvements. Approve all purchase orders at the facility. Contract repair and improvements to facility. Track and maintain Direct Labor Utilization, Total Labor Utilization, billing efficiencies and Shop Utilization. Coordinate with the BNSF railroad of cars routed to shop and disposition of cars. Conform and adhere to all customers' scopes of work. Accept and unload oversize loads of railcars from derailments onto facility site. Implement corporate changes and needs as they arise.

## **Trans Alta Mining Company,**

**Centralia, WA**

**2000-2007**

*Certified*

*Welder/Lead man*

*2000-2006*

*Heavy Hauler Operator (CMC Mining, hired as Temp)*

*1996-1998*

Responsible for shift turnovers between other shift supervisors and their lead men in the Lay Down area of the Maintenance Department. Included turnover repair out in the field operations of various dragline, prep plant repair and maintenance. Performed all phases of mine welding and fabrication. Relined shovel buckets replaced tooth bases; repaired arches, hitches, trunnions, booms, dump truck boxes, frames etc. Repaired Hitachi 3500 and 5500 and 4100 P&H shovels. Experienced in operation of Iron workers, scissor lifts, man lifts, material handlers, bucket trucks, forklifts, overhead bridge cranes, jib cranes, band saws, iron workers, pipe threader, cutoff saws to facilitate in the maintenance of the mine while following MSHA guidelines and best safety practices. Also used most phases of welding including SMAW, FCAW, GMAW, carbon arc gouging, plasma cutting, track torch, Boretac bore rebuilder and Computer Pattern burner operation. Operated heavy Haul trucks: Caterpillar 777,785,789, and 793; front end loaders 955,966,988; IT 28 loader; and Haul Pak 985 diesel electric trucks which carry payloads depending on model of 130-300+ tons. Operated the heavy haul trucks approximately two years as a temp, then hired on full time driving and moved into the maintenance side as a welder until the mine shutdown in 2006.

## **Railcar Washington,**

**Chehalis, WA.**

**1989-2000**

*Production Supervisor*

*1994-2000*

*Lead Man*

*1989-1994*

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Supervised 30-40 employees with 3 to 4 lead men and their crews of 8-10. Responsible for the crew conforming to production, safety and quality assurance of the federal, state, local, customer, and company standards and policies. Provided training and oversight of the crews performing heavy structural welding and fabrication work to freight cars of all types including torching, air arcing, and other tools needed to do the job. Operated Hydra Crane, shop locomotive, and forklifts in everyday operations to assist in production. Before supervisor's role, acted as a lead man for a small crew of 10 driving safety, quality and efficiency within the group and supporting all groups throughout the shop with any and all needs.

## **EDUCATION**

*Rochester High School, Rochester, WA.*

*1981*

*Centralia Community College, Centralia, WA.*

*1982/1986*

Completed coursework towards Diesel Technology. Received several American welding society certifications in SMAW, GMAW, and FCAW. Learned Oxy-Acetylene welding & cutting.

## **HOBBIES/INTERESTS**

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Fishing, Camping, Hiking, Golfing, Motorsports.