Delta Fresh Foods Initiative - Good Food Revolution Project in Bolivar County MS Job Description – Farm and Market Manager – Full Time Contractual for 12 months Supervisor: Executive Director

Major Responsibilities:

- 1. Provide technical assistance, support, and training with farmers who are providing or committed to providing local produce to Delta Fresh Foods for distribution and sales.
- **2.** Provide technical assistance, support, training, and coordination of and with youth engaged in local food production at the Youth Farm of Delta Fresh Foods, including 30' x 72' high tunnel food production.
- 3. Oversee and assist with operation of Mobile Market operated by Delta Fresh Foods.

Qualifications:

- 1. Previous farming experience and a degree or enrolled in a degree program in sustainable food production.
- 2. Experience in providing technical assistance to farmers including high tunnel production.
- 3. Commitment to small farming and sustainable agricultural practices.
- 4. Ability and commitment to working with youth and coordinating youth farming program, experience and learning.
- 5. Dedication to working under adverse weather conditions (cold, heat, humidity, rain, pollen) at times.
- 6. Commitment to teamwork and building a caring community.
- 7. Capacity to work effectively and successfully with diverse populations and across the boundaries of race, income, age, religion, and political persuasion.
- 8. Valid Driver's License and reliable mode of transportation.

Position: Contractual to begin ASAP in 2020. This opportunity is based in Bolivar County MS. Contingent on satisfactory background check and good driving record of successful candidate.

Rate: \$50,000 for full-time 12 month contract.

Hours: Mutually-agreeable days and times established with Executive Director – daytime with some evening and weekend responsibilities.

Filing Deadline: Open Search until filled. Interested applicants apply as soon as possible.

Application Instructions: Send Completed Application and Resume via email to: Judy Belue, Executive Director jwbelue1@gmail.com

