VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITY

(Updated: 8/11/25)

Position Title: Food Service Volunteer - Frye

Agency Name: Low Income Housing Institute

Agency Description: The Low Income Housing Institute develops, owns and operates housing for the benefit of low-income, homeless and formerly homeless people in Washington state; advocates for just housing policies at the local and national levels; and administers a range of supportive service programs to assist those we serve in maintaining stable housing and increasing their self-sufficiency. In 2015, LIHI started building Tiny House Villages as a response to the homelessness crisis and as a replacement for tents. Tiny houses offer tremendous benefits over tents – they are safe, weatherproof and lockable – and the Tiny House Villages allow residents to reclaim their dignity and get on a path to permanent housing, employment and connection to supportive services.

Position Description: As a volunteer at the Frye, you will learn about the inequitable disparities many homeless individuals face and assist them from overcoming barriers. In this environment the following kitchen duties include but are not limited to:

- Greeting each resident
- Providing prepackaged / pre-prepped food and eating utensils
- Providing premade coffee (Mornings only)
- Implementing and maintaining safe food hygiene standards
- Maintaining safe food storage
- Performing light janitorial duties in kitchen after each meal

Logistics: The Frye is conveniently located by over 30 different public transit routes; Orientation and all training provided at the first volunteer event.

Qualifications:

COVID-19 vaccination preferred

Carpentry experience valued, but not required

Total number of weekly hours: 2 or more

Days/Hours: M-F 8am-10am; 1pm-3pm

Number of openings: 2 per meal

Start Date: Continuous **Address**: 223 Yesler Way

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Application Instructions: Contact Natasha Young via natasha.young@lihi.org or 206-405-4506 x109 to set up a time to volunteer.