Job Posting: Valier School District Full-Time District Clerk

Position Availability: Immediately **Application Deadline**: Until Filled

Job Description:

We are seeking a passionate and dedicated individual to join our team as District Clerk. This position offers an exciting opportunity to work closely with the School Board, Administration, Certified, and Classified staff members. Prior experience working with financial records and accounting is preferred.

Application Process:

Interested candidates should contact the elementary school office to request application materials or find them on our website at https://www.valier.k12.mt.us/about-us/Employment. Completed applications must be submitted to Superintendent Joshua Reed at reedj@valier.k12.mt.us.

We look forward to welcoming a dedicated individual to our team.

Please contact Superintendent Joshua Reed at 406-409-8729 for any questions.

DISTRICT CLERK/BUSINESS MANAGER

REPORTS TO: Superintendent/Board of Trustees

ESSENTIAL FUNCTIONS:

Attend all meetings of the Board of Trustees, unless excused by the chairperson.

Responsible for taking and maintaining accurate minutes of meetings of the Board of Trustees.

Acts as custodian of all records and documents of the District, including but not limited to personnel files, student records, financial records, property records, and minutes.

Responsible for keeping accurate and detailed accounts of all receipts and disbursements.

Responsible for drawing and countersigning all warrants for expenditures.

Responsible for the preparation of all notices for School Board meetings and elections.

Responsible for preparing and submitting financial reports to the superintendent and the Board as requested.

Responsible for preparation of Board packets.

Processes all authorized invoices.

Maintains records of paid/unpaid invoices and purchase orders.

Assists in budget preparation and with audits.

Processes payroll data for all School District employees and prepares payroll checks for distribution.

Maintains up-to-date files of all payroll information.

Responsible for employment forms, including but not limited to retirement, IRS, and W-2's.

Responsible for communicating with governmental agencies, labor organizations, TRS, and PERS to provide information.

Serves as chief fiscal officer of the District.

Informs the superintendent and/or Board of Trustees of the business operations of the District.

Generates timely financial statements and other financial reports upon request, including fiscal and statistical reports.

Assigns and distributes fiscal responsibilities, in consultation with the superintendent.

Creates and applies fiscal controls and procedures.

Assists in development of the budget.

Establishes procedures necessary for budgetary controls.

Establishes procedures for purchasing in accordance with Board policy.

Directs the preparation, advertisement, and dissemination of bid documents.

Directs the preparation and dissemination of payroll.

Responsible for all financial procedures and records.

Only minimum duties are listed. Other functions may be required as given or assigned.

DESIRED MINIMUM QUALIFICATIONS:

Hold a Bachelor's degree with a major in accounting, economics, or finance or related field.

Five or more years of progressively responsible leadership experience in and/or familiarity with school finance.

Knowledge of finance and budgeting principles.

Strong leadership and communication skills.

Able to establish and maintain effective working relationships with students, staff, and the community.

Able to express himself/herself clearly and concisely in both oral and written communications.

Able to perform duties with an awareness of all District requirements and Board policies.

Ability to handle stressful situations.

Ability to effectively manage time and responsibilities.

Compile and maintain accurate and complete records and reports.

Understand and carry out oral and written instructions.

Maintain cooperative working relationships with those contacted in the course of work.

Type at a net corrected speed of 50 words per minute.

Ability to handle stressful situations.

Ability to maintain confidentiality of employment and student matters.

Ability to effectively manage time and responsibilities

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One year experience in typing and general clerical work; high school diploma or equivalent; or any combination of training and/or experience that could likely provide the desired knowledge and abilities.

Basic arithmetic, filing, and record-keeping procedures.

Proficiently operate standard office equipment, including copier, computer terminal, word processor, etc.

Communicate effectively with students, public, and staff.

EQUIPMENT USED:

Computer, calculator, copier, telephone/voice mail, fax.

WORK ENVIRONMENT:

While performing the duties of this job, the employee regularly works inside. The employee must be able to meet deadlines with severe time constraints.

The noise level in the work environment is usually moderate.

PHYSICAL DEMANDS:

While performing the duties of this job, the employee is frequently required to sit; occasionally walk, talk, hear and stand; twist at neck and waist; kneel. Specific vision abilities required by this job include close vision, distance vision, depth perception, and the ability to adjust focus. The employee is required to be able to hear conversations in quiet environments. May be required to lift or move up to 20 pounds.

MENTAL/MOTOR DEMANDS:

While performing the duties of this job, the employee often performs routine work. The employee frequently exercises flexibility (ability to shift from one task to another). Guidance and reinforcement are usually available. The employee frequently works within time constraints and maintains attentiveness intensity. The employee is frequently involved in social interactions which require oral and written communications.

The physical demands, work-environment characteristics, and mental/motor demands described within this job description are representative of those that must be met by an employee to successfully perform the essential functions of this job. Reasonable accommodations may be made to enable individuals with disabilities to perform the essential functions.

For those classified employees employed under a written contract for a specified term, nothing contained in this job description shall create a property right beyond the specified duration of the employment contract.

History

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