Job Title: Compliance and Job Cost Wage/Hour Status: Exempt

Accounting Manager

Reports to: Deputy Superintendent for Finance & Pay Grade: 104

Finance and Operations

Primary Purpose

Ensure accuracy and reliability of Job Cost Accounting Management System, compliance with construction and other related contracts, and accountability of all capital funds, including capital grants and contributions, bond proceeds and maintenance tax notes. Work with Facilities and Construction Department in accounting for capital projects and assist staff in the Financial Services Department with CWIP calculations.

Qualifications

Education/Certification

Bachelor's Degree in Accounting or related Business Degree

Special Knowledge/Skills

- Knowledge of the Texas Education Agency Financial Accountability System Resource Guide
- Knowledge of accounting principles and the application of these principles to public school finance
- Knowledge of data processing applications and Job Cost Accounting Software
- Ability to use personal computer and software to develop spreadsheets, perform data analysis, and word processing
- Strong contract compliance principles
- Skill in reviewing contracts
- Ability to interpret policy, procedures, and data
- Strong analytical, communication, public relations, presentation, and interpersonal skills
- Ability to multi-task, organize, plan and prioritize projects to attain goals

Experience

Five (5) years' experience in general accounting including: preparation of financial statements, audits, cost accounting, fixed assets and general ledger

Three (3) years supervisory experience

Major Responsibilities and Duties

- 1. Manage and perform monthly reconciliation between the Job Cost Accounting System in the Facilities Department and the general ledger.
- 2. Perform quarterly reconciliation between the Fixed Asset System and the general ledger.
- 3. Oversight of the accounts payable and receivable process related to capital project funds.
- 4. Prepare the year-end audit work papers and interact with internal and external auditors.
- 5. Maintain property management commitments under leases, notes, and schedules.
- 6. Review depreciation schedules for capital project funds.
- 7. Work closely with Financial Services Department staff to ensure accuracy, completeness, accountability, and timeliness of construction costs recorded in the general ledger, job cost accounting system, and capital asset system.
- 8. Analyze and reconcile work in progress transaction for accuracy and completeness in support of monthly financial reporting.
- 9. Responsible for maintenance and preparation of monthly and annual schedules of: Construction Work Performed, Construction Work in Process, Retainage, and Encumbrances.
- 10. Review, on a daily basis, all construction expenditures posted to the general ledger.

- 11. Assist in the preparation and administration of the department's budget to include the allocation of funds for each construction job.
- 12. Responsible for reviewing construction and other related contracts and ensuring compliance with contract terms to include change orders.
- 13. Responsible for final payment review of construction contracts prior to placement on board agenda.
- 14. Assist the Executive Director of Facilities & Construction with the forecast of construction job costs.
- 15. Assist internal and external auditors with the preparation of documentation and records for District audits of capital assets or other property.
- 16. Responsible for preparation of monthly and annual schedules for additions, retirements, and transfers of capital assets.
- 17. Responsible for time and effort of Facilities and other staff charges to capital funds.
- 18. Work closely with Procurement and Financial Services Departments to establish consistent procedures that expedite the process from purchasing to disbursement of funds.
- 19. Manage the fiscal year-end close out and rollover of encumbrances.
- 20. Conduct research, retrieve and respond to internal and external inquiries in accordance with federal, state, and local laws and regulations and Public Information Act.
- 21. Collaborate with staff and other departments to create innovative systems and improve processes to maximize workflow efficiency.
- 22. Provide continuous enhancements to policies and department procedural manual.
- 23. Collaborate with campuses and departments to support the District's mission and strategic goals and objectives.
- 24. Conduct presentations to the community, Board of Trustees, and the Citizens Bond Advisory Committee (CBAC).
- 25. Prepare special reports as required by the Facilities Department.
- 26. Demonstrate awareness of district community needs; articulate to the public the school District's mission and solicit its support in realizing the mission.
- Apply management practices that promote collegiality, teamwork, and collaborative decision making among staff.
- 28. Perform other duties as assigned by Supervisor.

Supervisory Responsibilities

Assigned personnel

Equipment Used

Personal computer, printer, copier, and calculator

Physical and Mental Job Requirements

Mental Demands/Physical Demands/Environmental Factors

Maintain emotional control under stress. Work with frequent interruptions. Some districtwide travel; occasional long hours, some weekend, early morning or evening meetings.

Terms of Employment

226 days; salary to be established by the Board of Trustees

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