

Streator Elementary School District #44

Job Description

District Business Manager

FLSA Status: Non-Exempt
Reports to: Superintendent

Effective: 04.15.2025
Approved: KV

Position Objective

The District Business Manager oversees all financial services of the District by maintaining accurate financial accounting and reporting systems and attends all Board meetings.

Essential Functions:

- Board Recording Secretary
- Oversees financial team and assists with grants/investments
- Maintains accounts receivable
- Performs payroll operations
- Makes bank deposits and manages all district bank accounts
- Operates computer using in-depth knowledge of the financial program
- Provides computerized financial reports
- Serves as District contact person for financial functions of the Skyward Financial System
- Administers retirement plans for TRS and IMRF
- Processes W-2's and 1095's
- Daily banking delivery
- Performs journal entries as needed
- Administers district health insurance and dental insurance plan
- Completes Annual Reports including but not limited to TRS, Salary and Benefit Report
- Trains Accounts Payable Staff to be able to run payroll in case of an absence
- Provide support for the Superintendent/other Administrative Staff as needed
- Prepare for and assist with annual audit
- Coordinate yearly salary and wage placement/earnings
- Manage district credit card
- Complete payroll withholdings, yearly financial statements, records and all tax filings
- Complete unemployment claims and work with IDES regarding unemployment
- Administers Section 125 plan with AFLAC
- Prepares board packet using Boardbook
- Prepare board meeting minutes, meeting flows and closed session folders
- Coordinate, organize and maintain Board of Education records/documents
- Make reservations for Board of Education Conference
- Attend Regular and Special Board of Education meetings

Additional Functions:

- Serve as back-up for accounts payable
- Provide backup support on other District Office systems
- Other duties as assigned

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Qualifications:

- Associate's Degree or higher preferred
- Background in accounts payable preferred

Competencies:

- Proficient in typing, filing, copying and other clerical functions
- Proficient in standard office software applications
- Excellent interpersonal communication skills. Able to communicate effectively with staff at all levels, board members, and the general public
- Adaptable to different work scenarios and schedules. Able to prioritize efforts in order to achieve a student-focused solution
- Excellent organization skills
- Ability to read, write and speak the English language

Working conditions

- Mental Demands: calculating, comparing, evaluation, interpreting, organizing, consulting, analyzing, planning, documenting, specifying, coordinating, implementing, and presenting
- Physical Demands: bending, stooping, kneeling, twisting, reaching, sitting for prolonged periods of time, standing, walking, lifting, finger dexterity, grasping, repetitive motions, talking, hearing and visual acuity
- Environmental Conditions: The work is performed primarily indoors; however, outside work is required on occasion. Travel between buildings may be a requirement

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