



Office of Human Resources
Financial Manager - LV2830
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General Statement of Duties

Manages financial functional and/or operational area(s) that include implementing work plans based on annual goals and the strategic plan; resolves citizen, operational, and management issues; and achieves goals while ensuring resources are utilized appropriately.

Distinguishing Characteristics

There are four classes in the Financial Management Series (Financial Manager, Financial Director, Financial Executive, and City Controller). The Financial Manager is a first level management class. A Financial Manager oversees work groups/areas within a division or agency and is generally responsible for supervising first or second line supervisors and/or individual contributors. A Financial Manager position is operationally and/or functionally focused.

The Financial Director is a mid-level management class. A Financial Director manages a division or agency and is generally responsible for supervising managers, supervisors, and individual contributors. A Financial Director position is operationally and/or functionally focused as well as strategically focused.

The Financial Executive is the highest level of management class in the city other than appointees or elected officials. A Financial Executive directs multiple divisions and is generally responsible for supervising directors, managers, supervisors, and individual contributors. A Financial Executive position is strategically focused.

The City Controller is a one incumbent class. The City Controller directs multiple divisions and is generally responsible for supervising directors, managers, supervisors, and individual contributors. The City Controller position is strategically focused.

Essential Duties

Manages a work group in a division or agency in such areas as Accounting, Budget, Assessment, Treasury, Cash Management, Debt, Investments, Real Estate, Internal Control and Compliance, and Risk Management.

Develops goals, documents performance, provides performance feedback and formally evaluates the work of the employee; provides reward and recognition for proper and efficient performance. Assists staff to achieve performance standards and identifies opportunities for continual improvement to performance standards.

Communicates annual work plans to employees and ensures employees are focused on the work plan and achieving performance standards.

Monitors and directs daily operations to ensure policies and procedures are being followed. Ensures goals and objectives are met, services are being provided efficiently and effectively, and takes corrective action when needed.

Ensures staff and financial resources are utilized appropriately and shifts resources based on business needs within budget restraints.

Resolves operational and management issues, makes decisions that are inclusive of multiple perspectives and solves underlying problems.

Represents the work area(s)/division in meetings with elected and/or appointed officials and other city entities. Serves as a city representative on various committees. Fosters collaborative relationships that benefit the organization.

Creates and administers work group procedures and recommends and implements process improvements and policies for work group(s).

Establishes performance metrics for staff and work area(s). Assists staff to achieve performance standards and identifies opportunities for continual improvement to performance standards.

Resolves escalated employee and citizen complaints.

Selects, trains, develops, and evaluates subordinate staff. Makes decisions on hiring, terminations, promotions, and disciplinary actions as required.

Participates in the development of budget recommendations for operating and capital expenditures.

Performs other related duties as assigned.

Any one position may not include all of the duties listed. However, the allocation of positions will be determined by the amount of time spent in performing the essential duties listed above.

Competencies

Deciding and Initiating Action - Takes responsibility for actions, projects and people; makes quick, clear decisions which may include tough choices, after considering risks.

Delivering Results - Sets high standards for quality, quantity, and timelines. Focuses on customer needs and satisfaction. Consistently achieves project goals.

Influencing - Collaborates with, persuades and influences others.

Reasoning - Identifies rules, principles, or relationships that explain facts, data, or other information; analyzes information and makes correct inferences or draws accurate conclusions.

Strategic Thinking - Formulates objectives and priorities, and implements plans consistent with the long-term interests of the organization in a global environment. Capitalizes on opportunities and manages risks.

Coaching - Provides others with clear direction, motivates, and empowers. Recruits staff of a high caliber and provides staff with development opportunities and coaching.

Knowledge & Skills

None

Level of Supervision Exercised

Manages a work group(s) within a division by supervising supervisors and/or individual contributors.

Education Requirement

Bachelor's Degree in Business Administration or a related field based on a specific position(s).

Experience Requirement

Three (3) years of supervisory experience or three years of experience at an Administrator level.

Education & Experience Equivalency

Two (2) years of the appropriate type and level of experience may be substituted for each required year of post-high school education.

A combination of appropriate education and experience may be substituted for the minimum education and experience requirements.

Licensure & Certification

By position, requires a valid Driver's License at the time of application.

By position, possession of one of the following: Certified Public Accountant, Certified Government Financial Manager, or Certified Public Financial Officer.

Licenses and certifications must be kept current as a condition of employment.

Working Environment

For DPL Positions Specifically:

Atmospheric Conditions: conditions that affect the skin, eyes or respiratory system.

Handles absentee replacement on short notice.

Handles emergency or crisis situations.

Occasional pressure due to multiple calls and inquiries.

Subject to pressure for multiple calls, inquiries, and interruptions.

Level of Physical Demand

For DPL Positions Specifically:

1-Sedentary (0-10 lbs.) - 2-Light (10-20 lbs.)

Physical Demands

For DPL Positions Specifically:

(Physical Demands are a general guide and specific positions will vary based on working conditions, locations, and agency/department needs.):

Depth Perception: Ability to judge distances and space relationships.

Eye/Hand/Foot Coordination: Performing work through using two or more body parts or other devices.

Fingering: Picking and pinching, through use of fingers or otherwise.

Handling: Seizing, holding, grasping, through use of hands, fingers, or other means.

Hearing: Perceiving and comprehending the nature and direction of sounds.

Lifting: By Position, may move objects up to 10 pounds, or 10-20 pounds from one level to another.

Reaching: Extending the hands and arms or other device in any direction.

Repetitive Motions: Making frequent or continuous movements.

Sitting: Remaining in a stationary position.

Talking: Communicating ideas or exchanging information.

Vision Far Acuity: Ability to perceive or detect objects clearly at 20 feet or more.

Vision Near Acuity: Ability to perceive or detect objects at 20 inches or less.

Background Check Requirement

Criminal Check
Education Verification
Employment Verification
By position, Licenses/Certification

Assessment Requirement

None

Probation Period

None

Class Detail

Pay Grade: V-816
FLSA Code: Y
Established Date: 9/21/2018
Established By: LS
Revised Date:
Revised By:
Class History: