

UTAH COUNTY JOB DESCRIPTION

CLASS TITLE: FINANCIAL ASSISTANT - ATTORNEY
CLASS CODE: 6701

FLSA STATUS: NON-EXEMPT
SUPERVISORY STATUS: NONE

EFFECTIVE DATE: 06/14/2008
DEPARTMENT: ATTORNEY

JOB SUMMARY

Under general supervision from the elected County Attorney, performs detailed bookkeeping, financial tracking, and other administrative support duties pertaining to the record keeping and accounting functions of the office.

ESSENTIAL FUNCTIONS

Participates in the preparation of the yearly budget package; monitors the budget by tracking expenditures; coordinates disbursement of funds with the department head; recommends and implements budget adjustments; approves purchase orders in accordance with budgeting constraints and County and department policies; manages petty cash account.

Processes necessary information for department payroll; utilizes the County's time-entry system to ensure proper reporting of work time; generates and signs off on department payroll reports; ensures timely delivery to the Personnel Department; distributes paychecks upon delivery to the department; resolves employee payroll questions and issues in coordination with the Personnel Department.

Oversees the departmental personnel files and record keeping responsibilities; coordinates and monitors various personnel actions including recruitment, selection, performance appraisals, etc.; ensures accuracy of employee records; monitors retention schedules and ensures timely archiving of appropriate documents.

Schedules and arranges frequent travel and lodging for office personnel and witnesses or victims brought in for trial; processes reimbursements and payments; monitors cell phone and wireless accounts; receives and pays regular billings for services; identifies and tracks personal calls; orders new and replacement cell phones and air cards.

Maintains an inventory and monitors and orders supplies, books, and equipment for the office; ensures availability of needed inventory; initiates purchases as needed; monitors delivery of purchased materials.

KNOWLEDGE, SKILLS, AND ABILITIES

Considerable Knowledge of: Utah County Rules and Regulations and Policies and Procedures.

Working Knowledge of: Proper grammar, spelling, and punctuation.

Skill in: Reading, writing, and basic accounting; operating standard office equipment; word processing, data entry, and spreadsheet creation.

Ability to: Maintain cooperative working relationships with those contacted in the course of work activities; coordinate multiple tasks efficiently and handle stress associated with deadlines and frequent interruptions; create and maintain record keeping and filing systems.

PHYSICAL DEMANDS

Regularly: Sits at a desk; walks, stands, or stoops; uses tools or equipment requiring a high degree of dexterity; and works for sustained periods of time maintaining concentrated attention to detail.

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Occasionally: Lifts, carries, pushes, pulls, or otherwise moves objects weighing up to 25 pounds; and drives a motor vehicle.

Accommodation may be made for some of these physical demands for otherwise qualified individuals who require and request such accommodation.

WORKING CONDITIONS

Work is performed in an office or other environmentally controlled room.

EDUCATION AND EXPERIENCE

High school diploma or equivalent and five (5) years of complex clerical or administrative support work experience including two (2) years directly related to the duties described above. Equivalent combinations of education and experience may also be considered. Selected applicants must pass a typing test at or above the rate of 40 WPM net.

Selected applicants may be subject to a background check.

LICENSING AND CERTIFICATION

Incumbent must possess a current driver's license and obtain a valid State of Utah driver's license within 60 days of employment.

This description lists the major duties and requirements of the job and is not all-inclusive. Incumbent(s) may be expected to perform job-related duties other than those contained in this document and may be required to have specific job-related knowledge and skills.