# WARREN COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT Office of Human Resources Job Description

# Staff Accountant (draft)

(tbd)

**Supervisor:** Business Administrator **Evaluator:** Business Administrator

**Department:** Business Services

## **Description**

### Qualifications

- Bachelors Degree In Accounting
- Four years of office experience preferred
- Experience of Computer Applications in Accounting & Payroll
- Demonstrated knowledge of Microsoft Office modules
- Demonstrated Skills in Financial Modeling, report writing software
- Experience with multi-fund Governmental Accounting
- CPA or CPA candidate preferred
- Excellent communication skills
- Ability to meet deadlines and work under stressful situations

### **Duties, Responsibilities, and Functions**

The essential functions of this position include, but are not limited to, the following:

- Record electronic bank transactions monthly including:
  - o Bank Wires
  - ACH transactions
  - o Fees and adjustments
  - o Investment and Interest earnings
- General Ledger Accounting Functions including:
  - o Account analysis and adjustment
  - o Reconciliation of Multiple Bank Accounts monthly to Bank Statements including:
    - Two General Fund bank accounts
      - Including collateralized overnight sweep activity
    - Capital Reserve bank account
    - Two Food service bank accounts
    - Multiple (Four) Investment accounts
    - Holding Account
    - Petty Cash Accounts
    - Multiple Bond Fund Accounts
  - o Reconciliation monthly of Multiple Bank Accounts to associated General Ledger account:
    - Two General Fund bank accounts
    - Capital Reserve bank account
    - Two Food service bank accounts
    - Multiple (Four) Investment accounts
    - Holding Account
    - Petty Cash Accounts

- Multiple Bond Fund Accounts
- Reconciliation of State reimbursements
- Maintenance / Reconciliation monthly of Accounts Receivable including;
  - Government Subsidies
  - Tax Collections
- Reconciliation monthly of Accrued Liabilities including but not limited to:
  - Accounts payable
  - Accrued payroll
  - Accrued payroll taxes
  - Employee benefits
  - Post employment benefits
- General Journal Entries
- o Chart of Accounts Maintenance
- o Compliance with PA School Code
- Report writing via Report Writing Software
  - Monthly Board Financial Reports
    - Monthly Budget Status
    - List of Bills
    - Salary Reports
    - Treasurers Report
    - Athletic Fund Status Report
  - Special Reports
  - Analysis Reports
  - o Contract Negotiation Reports
- Financial Modeling
- Financial Report preparation to Board of School Directors and Administration
- Research including but not limited to
  - o Statutory
  - o Federal & Local Code as it relates to Business Services
  - o Payroll Federal and State Code reporting requirements,
  - District Policy
  - o State Department of Education financial mandates
- Financial Analysis & Monitoring
  - o Monthly analysis of transaction postings
  - o Correction by Journal Entries of miss-postings
- Budget Monitoring and Analysis
  - o Monthly analysis of budget status
  - o Preparation of Budget adjustments
  - Posting of Budget transfers
- Assist with Budget preparation and monitoring
- Staff Supervision
  - o TBD
- Liaison to Annual Audit by Independent Auditors
  - o Compile data for Audit from but not limited to:
    - Federal Programs office
    - Special Education office
    - Accounts Payable office
    - Asset acquisitions and disposals
    - Grants
    - Tax Collection
    - Payroll
    - Etc.
- Assist & provide support for bi-annual State Audit
  - o Compile and collect data from but not limited to:
    - Federal Programs office
    - Special Education office

- Accounts Payable office
- Asset acquisitions and disposals
- Grants
- Tax Collection
- Payroll
- Etc.
- Approval of Building Rentals
- Analysis of costs and revenues for multiple Governmental Funds
- Other Duties as assigned by the Business Administrator
- Participation in appropriate Professional Development
- Back-up for Security Maintenance for Finance Plus Software
- Assist in Payroll Office During Peak periods
  - o Summer Pays
  - o Salary Changes each new fiscal year

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### **Comments**

This position requires problem solving skills, analytical, speaking, and writing ability, reasoning skills, initiative, spatial perception, accuracy, visual and auditory discrimination, patience, and concentration skills.