

Position: Part Time Receptionist

Salary: \$10.56 - \$13.34 hr. (Scale 14 - 24)

Schedule: 11:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m. Monday – Thursday (1/2 hour break)

Closing Date: February 10, 2009 at 5:30 p.m.

GENERAL PURPOSE

Under general supervision of the City Finance Director/Recorder, this employee will be responsible for answering phones, helping customers, receipting money and other essential functions.

ESSENTIAL FUNCTIONS

- 1. Courteously and in a timely manner, answers phones, greets and screens visitors. Makes appropriate referrals.
- 2. Accurately types letters, reports, and minutes.
- 3. Accurately maintains various files in city offices.
- 4. Places phone calls in a courteously and timely manner.
- 5. Receives complaints from residents and relays messages in a timely manner.
- 6. Assists with signing up new utility customers for service and explains billing process in a courteous, friendly manner.
- 7. Accurately files customer utility agreements.
- 8. Collects bail on each citation referred to the Salem City Court.
- 9. Assists with signing people up for traffic school.
- 10. Schedules reservations for Knoll Park, pavilions and Community Center.
- 11. Maintains accurate files in record room.
- 12. Does letters as needed.
- 13. Assists in issuing Building Permits, filing permits, scheduling inspections, etc.
- 14. Distribute Blue Stakes and document work orders.
- 15. Accurately receipts money for deposit.
- 16. Will be filling in for Police Department Secretary during lunch time.
- 17. On occasions, will be required to cover vacations (working a full day (9 hours & Fridays)).
- 18. On occasions, will be required to daily deposits to the bank.
- 19. Working with the city treasurer to help set up new utility customers, terminate utility customers, and working on collections for utility customers.
- 20. Is governed by Salem City Personnel Policy.
- 21. Must be willing to attend all safety and other city employee meetings as needed.

POSITION QUALIFICATIONS

- 1. Education and Experience. Graduation from standard senior high school or equivalent, and have some experience.
- 2. Necessary Knowledge, Skills, and Abilities. Knowledge of computer operations, including a working knowledge of spreadsheets and word processing; Ability to maintain effective working relationships with employees, other agencies and the public; ability to think and act independently; ability to work under pressure; ability to communicate effectively, verbally and in writing.