



EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY

Office Assistant

Salary: \$ 15.84 - \$22.38 Hourly

Job Type: Full-Time

Department: Government Services

Benefits: Benefits Eligible

Position pending budget approval

The Position

Under direct or general supervision, provides a variety of office support activities to the Government Services Department, which may include word processing, data entry and organization, telephone and counter reception, receipt of payments, processing of invoices, record keeping, report preparation, and filing; provides information and assistance to the general public; and performs related work as required.

Job Functions

- Plans, organizes, and carries out clerical assignments and special projects related to assigned area of responsibility.
- Performs a wide variety of intermediate-level clerical work including maintaining accurate and detailed records, verifying accuracy of information, researching discrepancies and recording information.
- Verifies and reviews forms and reports for completeness and conformance with established regulations and procedures; applies departmental and program policies and procedures in determining completeness of applications, records, and files.
- Prepares, copies, and distributes a variety of documents, including agendas, bid packages, contracts, and specifications; ensures proper filing of copies in departmental or central files.
- Screens calls, visitors, and mail; responds to complaints and requests for information; assists in interpreting and applying regulations, policies, procedures, systems, rules, and precedents in response to inquiries and complaints from public; enters/tracks public calls into appropriate computer databases; directs callers to appropriate Town staff as necessary.
- Composes, types, formats, and proofreads a wide variety of reports, letters, and memoranda; types from rough drafts, verbal instructions, or transcribing machine recordings; checks drafts for punctuation, spelling, and grammar; suggests corrections to drafts.
- Receives, codes, logs, schedules, and distributes service requests and work orders.
- Answers incoming calls and routes individuals to appropriate staff via switchboard or dispatching using a two-way radio; assists public at front counter and directs public to appropriate locations and/or staff.
- Receives, opens, time stamps, sorts, and distributes incoming and interdepartmental mail; prepares and distributes outgoing mail.
- Makes copies; collate materials; files copies of letters, memoranda, reports, and other materials in department and/or central files.
- Performs other duties as assigned.

Qualifications

Any combination of training and experience that would provide the required knowledge, skills and abilities is qualifying. A typical way to obtain the required qualifications would be:

Equivalent to the completion of the twelfth (12th) grade, and one (1) year of varied clerical support experience, preferably involving some public contact. Prior experience in a municipal setting is highly desired.

License: Valid California class C driver's license with satisfactory driving record and automobile insurance.

Selection Process

A completed Town employment application is required by the close of recruitment on **Wednesday, July 6th, at 5:30p.m. or once 20 qualified applications are received, whichever occurs first.** Application packages are available at the Town of Apple Valley, 14975 Dale Evans Parkway, Apple Valley 92307, or on our website at www.applevalley.org. Applications may be completed online, or mailed/delivered to 14955 Dale Evans Parkway, Apple Valley 92307. The Town of Apple Valley participates in the E-Verify program.

The Town of Apple Valley does not discriminate on the basis of age, sex, race, religion, national origin, marital status, sexual orientation, or handicap status in its employment actions. If applicant has a disability that may require an accommodation, please contact Human Resources in writing at time application is submitted.