CLASS TITLE: PURCHASING CONTRACTS COORDINATOR

PURPOSE OF THE CLASSIFICATION: Under general supervision is responsible for the administration, preparation, review, facilitation and coordination of contracts and contract procedures for Purchasing and performs other related assigned duties.

ESSENTIAL TASKS:

- Prepares and reviews terms and conditions of invitation for bid, request for proposal and contract documents to acquire equipment, supplies, materials, contractual services and professional consulting services
- Monitors and tracks contracts to ensure their timely execution and renewal
- Monitors and analyzes contracts for compliance with various federal, state and local regulations, laws and ordinances
- Prepares and processes contract amendments
- Monitors and tracks contract issues in order to improve the first-pass-yield for contracts through the approval process
- Coordinates with user departments on all matters relating to contracts and contract procedures
- Develops procedures for ensuring contractors' compliance with contract requirements
- Attends and/or conducts meetings and conferences
- Must report to work on a regular and timely basis

Reasonable accommodations may be made to enable individuals with disabilities to perform the essential tasks.

QUALIFICATIONS:

<u>Training and Experience</u>: Graduation from an accredited college or university with a bachelor's degree in public administration, business management, purchasing or a related field and at least two (2) years of responsible experience in administering contracts; or an equivalent combination of training and experience per Personnel Policies and Procedures, Section 128.

Knowledge, Abilities, and Skills: Considerable knowledge of contract management principles and practices; considerable knowledge of federal, state and local laws pertaining to contracts for government procurement; considerable knowledge of contract preparation procedures; and good knowledge of legal terms and general business procedures and practices. Ability to analyze and interpret legal contracts for the procurement of equipment, supplies, materials and services; ability to communicate effectively in both verbal and written form; ability to operate computer software for word processing and spreadsheets; and the ability to understand and influence the behavior of others within the organization, customers or the public in order to achieve job objectives and cause action or understanding.

<u>Physical Requirements:</u> Physical requirements include arm and hand dexterity enough to use a keyboard and telephone; frequent lifting, carrying, pushing and pulling up to 50 pounds; subject to walking, standing, sitting, reaching, balancing, bending, kneeling, crawling, handling, climbing and twisting; and vision, speech and hearing sufficient to perform the essential tasks.

Licenses and Certificates: Possession of a valid Oklahoma Class "D" Operator's License.

WORKING ENVIRONMENT: Working environment is indoors in an office setting and outdoors and in inclement weather.

Class Code: 2582 EEO Code: N-02 Pay Code: AT-32

Group: Fiscal

Series: Purchasing and Stores

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