Auburn University Job Description

Job Title:  Mgr, Airport Admin & Customer Service  
Job Code:  EG15  
FLSA status:  Exempt  

Job Summary
Oversees customer service personnel for the airport and performs a variety of financial operations for the airport, including budgeting and forecasting, university compliance, transaction approvals, journal entries, and reporting, as well as account audits and reconciliations. Serves as point of contact for departments regarding budget and financial process within the AU Airport, as well as for city and government officials, Board of Trustees Members, and local law enforcement agencies. Responsible for the billing of hangars and aircraft based at the airport, including contract lease agreements, creating accounts, and the monthly billing and auditing of hangars. Participates in the airport safety committee, to include, but not limited to, updating safety protocols, and compiling incident reports.

Essential Functions

1. Performs routine accounting and financial duties, including, but not limited to, preparing, coding, and processing the department's financial transactions. Reviews and audits documentation for completeness, accuracy, and compliance. Investigates and resolves inconsistencies and errors in financial documentation.

2. Creates, processes, and finalizes contract lease agreements for airport tenants. Creates new member accounts and processes monthly billing for all airport services and hangars.

3. Prepares, reviews, and analyzes quarterly management statements, including budget-to-actual and year-over-year variances. Provides insight to Director and Assistant Director in the determination of new fiscal year budgets.

4. Performs financial analysis, including expense summary, forecasting, and budget data tracking, providing reports to department leadership. Manages the development and maintenance of data, and recommends and implements improvements to accounting practices, systems, and procedures.

5. Manages the customer service and in-house operations of special events, game days, and board meetings. Provides direct availability for special dignitaries and ensures travel is available at time of arrival and special requests are completed. Collaborates with local and government agencies in preparation of VIPs and other high profile guests.

6. Processes and finalizes reports for Federal Excise Tax reimbursements, as well as credit card transactions and reconciliations.

7. Provides airport guidelines to pilots for inbound and outbound aircrafts, as well as notification to FAA regarding Notice-to-Air-Missions (NOTAMS) and other construction on airport property. Responsible for recognizing and identifying aircrafts type and specifications, ensuring airport and FAA guidelines are met.

8. Responsible for updating fuel prices in all systems accessible to the customer and provides usage reports.

9. Dialogues to incoming/outgoing pilots on radio; giving proper runway clearance and usage, wind direction, or direction to the FAA tower if available.

10. Notifies Federal Aviation Administration of current construction or restrictions at the airport. Tests the airport crash alarm system daily. Ensures Auburn/Opelika emergency personnel are connected to the airport.

Job Family:  No Family
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Supervisory Responsibility

Full supervisory responsibility for other employees is a major responsibility and includes training, evaluating, and making or recommending pay, promotion or other employment decisions.

The above essential functions are representative of major duties of positions in this job classification. Specific duties and responsibilities may vary based upon departmental needs. Other duties may be assigned similar to the above consistent with the knowledge, skills and abilities required for the job. Not all of the duties may be assigned to a position.
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Minimum Required Education and Experience

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<td>Degree in Accounting, Finance, or Aviation</td>
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Substitutions allowed for Education:
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Substitutions allowed for Experience:
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Minimum Required Knowledge

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Certification or Licensure Requirements

Valid Driver’s License

Physical Requirements/ADA

Occasional and/or light lifting required. Limited exposure to elements such as heat, cold, noise, dust, dirt, chemicals, etc., but none to the point of being disagreeable. May involve minor safety hazards where likely result would be cuts, bruises, etc.

Routine deadlines; usually sufficient lead time; variance in work volume seasonal and predictable; priorities can be anticipated; some interruptions are present; involves occasional exposure to demands and pressures from persons other than immediate supervisor.

Job frequently requires standing, walking, sitting, reaching, talking, hearing, handling objects with hands, .

Job occasionally requires stooping/kneeling/crouching/crawling, and lifting up to 50 pounds.

Vision requirements: Ability to see information in print and/or electronically.

Date: 5/24/2022