

The City Beautiful

City of Coral Gables Job Description

Job Title:

Commission Aide

Department: City Clerk **Classification:** 0604 **Pay grade:** 17E

FLSA:

Exempt

Summary

The position provides support and assistance to individual members of the City Commission in performing their Charter functions.

Essential Duties and Responsibilities

The following duties are normal for this position. The omission of specific statements of the duties does not exclude them from the classification if the work is similar, related, or a logical assignment for this classification.

Conducts research at the request of members of the Commission regarding policy, legislative and constituent matters

Attends and/or represents members of the Commission at their individual request at community and homeowner meetings and prepares meeting summaries.

Addresses constituent issues on behalf of members of the Commission and refers such issues to departments or personnel as instructed.

Greets members of the public on behalf of members of the Commission. Receives and screens incoming telephone calls. Answers telephone calls and inquiries from residents, customers, business owners, as well as other governmental officials, professional staff and the general public.

Prepares appropriate replies to constituent correspondence independently or as directed by the members of the Commission.

Performs office and clerical support functions, which include composing, typing, editing and distributing correspondence, scheduling appointments, routing correspondence, maintaining records, filing, etc.

Schedules appointments, conference registrations, travel arrangements and performs other related duties.

Reads and prioritizes incoming mail and email. Sorts and distributes incoming mail and processes outgoing mail.

Prepares letters and memoranda for Commission members.

Prepares materials for meetings and public speaking engagements.

Conforms with and abides by all laws, regulations, policies, work procedures and instructions, with particular attention to the Government in the Sunshine Law.

This position falls within the office of the City Clerk. Performs other related tasks as required.

Knowledge, Skills, and Abilities

Knowledge of department operations, policies and procedures, rules and regulations. Knowledge of office practices, processes, systems, and equipment. Ability to perform many tasks in a short time frame. Ability to understand and follow written and verbal instructions. Ability to maintain records, and prepare reports. Computer literacy and the ability to efficiently utilize computer and office equipment. Ability to establish and maintain effective working relationships with City officials, management, co-workers, and the public. Oral and written communications skills.

Physical Requirements

Must have the use of sensory skills in order to effectively communicate and interact with other employees and the public through the use of telephone and personal contact as normally defined by the ability to see, read, talk, sit, stand, hear, use hands to fingers, handle, feel or operate objects, read and write English. Physical capability to effectively use and operate various items of office equipment; such as but not limited to a personal computer, calculator, copier and fax machine. Considerable amount of time spent using computer. Work is predominantly indoors within a usually quiet to moderately noisy environment. Must be able to lift, carry and or push articles weighing up to 20 lbs.

Reasonable accommodations may be made to enable individuals with disabilities to perform the essential functions of the job.

Minimum Education and Experience

Associate's Degree, Bachelor's preferable. Four (4) years experience in progressively responsible clerical and administrative positions is required.

Valid Florida Driver's License