# **Systems Administrator**

## **Purpose Statement**

The job of Systems Administrator is done for the purpose of managing the local and area networks of the District; maintaining the operation and health of the District database system; ensuring that all District server systems are current and operable; performing confidential administration of District e-mail and Internet access systems; and planning and delivering District energy management and other assigned systems including installing, troubleshooting, assisting users, and initiating repair and replacement of various systems.

This job reports to Assigned Supervisor

## **Essential Functions**

- Administers local and wide area networks for the purpose of ensuring availability of services to authorized users.
- Analyzes systems needs and requirements for the District and approved end users for the purpose of ensuring the smooth and effective operation of the District.
- Assists in the establishment and implementation of security protocols for a variety of District systems for the purpose of ensuring the secure operation of District IT systems.
- Designs systems (e.g. Internet, firewall, User Directories, FTP servers, etc.) for the purpose of meeting District technology needs and goals.
- Facilitates meetings for the purpose of gathering and conveying information necessary to the performance of the job.
- Installs a variety of systems for the purpose of meeting District technology needs and goals.
- Maintains a variety of systems for the purpose of ensuring efficient and secure operations.
- Manages assigned projects and program components for the purpose of delivering services in compliance with established quidelines and objectives.
- Participates in meetings for the purpose of providing information and making recommendations.
- Performs a variety of advanced actions (e.g. directory services, email and Internet access audits, network conductivity, etc.) for the purpose of ensuring the smooth and efficient operation of the District systems.
- Prepares information for the purpose of documenting activities, providing written reference, and conveying information.
- Recommends a variety of actions (e.g. system change, rollout requirements, etc.) for the purpose of allowing the District
  and Board to make informed decisions.
- Researches a variety of work-related topics for the purpose of gathering information, remaining current in the field, and recommending procedures and purchases.
- Responds to inquiries from a variety of stakeholders for the purpose of providing technical support, resolving issues, and making recommendations.
- Troubleshoots malfunctions for the purpose of resolving operational issues and restoring services.

#### **Other Functions**

 Performs other related duties as assigned for the purpose of ensuring the efficient and effectivefunctioning of the work unit.

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### **Job Requirements: Minimum Qualifications**

# Skills, Knowledge and Abilities

SKILLS are required to perform multiple, highly complex, technical tasks with a need to routinely upgrade skills in order to meet changing job conditions. Specific skill based competencies required to satisfactorily perform the functions of the job include: utilizing pertinent network, application, operating system monitoring, and troubleshooting software; adhering to safety practices; planning and managing projects; scripting and programming; and preparing and maintaining accurate records.

KNOWLEDGE is required to perform algebra and/or geometry; review and interpret highly technical information, write technical materials, and/or speak persuasively to implement desired actions; and analyze situations to define issues and draw conclusions. Specific knowledge based competencies required to satisfactorily perform the functions of the job include: current, legacy, and emerging operating systems; environments and network protocols; router configurations; Inter/Intranet applications; data security; project management; API; and processes and methodology.

ABILITY is required to schedule activities, meetings, and/or events; gather, collate, and/or classify data; and consider a number of factors when using equipment. Flexibility is required to independently work with others in a wide variety of circumstances; work with data utilizing defined but different processes; and utilize equipment under a variety of conditions for multiple purposes. Ability is also required to work with a wide diversity of individuals; work with data of varied types and/or purposes; and utilize a wide variety of types of job-related equipment. Problem solving is required to identify issues and create action plans. Problem solving with data frequently requires independent interpretation of guidelines; and problem solving with equipment is significant. Specific ability based competencies required to satisfactorily perform the functions of the job include: setting priorities; establishing effective relationships; being attentive to detail; communicating with diverse groups; conveying technical information to non-technical audiences; maintaining confidentiality; and working nonstandard hours.

# Responsibility

Responsibilities include: working under limited supervision using standardized practices and/or methods; leading, guiding, and/or coordinating others; operating within a defined budget. Utilization of significant resources from other work units is routinely required to perform the job's functions. There is a continual opportunity to significantly impact the organization's services.

#### **Work Environment**

The usual and customary methods of performing the job's functions require the following physical demands: some lifting, carrying, pushing, and/or pulling, some stooping, kneeling, crouching, and/or crawling and significant fine finger dexterity. Generally the job requires 90% sitting, 5% walking, and 5% standing. The job is performed in a generally hazard free environment.

**Experience:** Four years of network administration experience and administering network operating systems.

**Education (Minimum):** Community college and/or vocational school degree with study in job-related area. Associates/Bachelor's Degree in computer science and Cisco, Microsoft, Google Certifications preferred.

Required Testing Certificates and Licenses

None Required Valid Driver's License

Ladder and Lifting Training

Continuing Educ. / Training Clearances

Maintain Certificates and/or Licenses

Criminal Background Clearance
District Mandated Training

Tuberculosis Clearance

FLSA Status Approval Date Salary Grade
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