COMMUNITY TRANSPORT SERVICES TASMANIA POSITION DESCRIPTION









Finance Manager

Overview

Business Area Business Services

Team Finance & Administration

Award Social, Community, Home Care & Disability Services Award

Position Classification Social & Community Services Employee Level 6

Number of direct reports 5 +

Immediate Manager Chief Financial Officer

Manager-one-removed Chief Executive Officer

About CTST

At CTST, our commitment is to provide affordable services to support people to live well and connect with their community.

The needs and experience of each individual consumer is our primary focus when making decisions about their services and the safety and wellbeing of our people and our consumers is our priority. We are cooperative and collaborative because we believe that collective impact gets the best result and we show our respect for our consumers, our people, and our partners by striving for the highest professional standards in everything we do.

We are committed to being good corporate partners and show respect of our community and the environment.

Position Purpose

The Finance Manager leads the finance and administration team and plays a central role in ensuring the integrity, efficiency and effectiveness of financial operations across the organisation. Reporting to the Chief Financial Officer, the role is responsible for the delivery of accurate financial reporting, grant acquittals, budgeting support and compliance.

In addition, the Finance Manager leads the continuous improvement of finance systems and processes and works closely with internal stakeholders to improve financial understanding and accountability across the organisation. The role also supports the Chief Financial Officer in the oversight of functions such as fleet, facilities and procurement by providing coordination and reporting support.

Legislative Knowledge & Understanding

Fair Work Act 2009

Aged Care Act 1997

Aged Care Quality and Safety Commission Act 2018

Aged Care Quality Standards

Privacy Act 1998

Personal Information Protection Act 2004

National Disability Insurance Scheme Act 2013

Anti-Discrimination Act 1998

Workers Rehabilitation & Compensation Act Tasmania 1988

Workplace Health and Safety Act Regulations 2011

Poisons Regulations 2018

Relevant Industrial Awards and Agreements

Public Transport Operator Accreditation Regulations

Position Accountabilities

Leadership

Promote values that reflect the spirit and purpose of CTST

Lead by example to maintain a supportive organisational culture

Foster a strong consumer-centric service culture

Uphold and support equity and diversity principles through all areas of the organisation

Demonstrate emotional maturity, cultural awareness and flexibility in all dealings

Finance and Administration Team Leadership

- Lead, supervise, and support the finance and administration team to ensure high-quality service delivery
- Allocate responsibilities, monitor workloads and build capability through mentoring and development
- Promote a collaborative, accountable and solutions-focused team culture

Financial Management and Reporting

- Prepare timely, accurate monthly management reports including analysis of actuals vs budget
- Assist the Chief Financial Officer with budgeting, forecasting, board reporting and financial modelling
- Oversee financial system integrity through accurate reconciliations, journals and month-end processes

Grant Acquittals and Compliance

Technical

- Prepare financial acquittals for grants and funding bodies in accordance with reporting obligations
- Track and report on project-specific funding, ensuring transparency and accuracy
- Support the Chief Financial Officer in maintaining financial compliance with legislation, contracts and standards

Financial Operations and Systems Development

- Oversee core financial operations: accounts payable, receivable, reconciliations, and payroll
- Lead the continuous improvement of finance systems and processes including identifying automation opportunities and system enhancements
- Maintain finance policies, procedures, and internal controls to ensure efficiency and compliance

Building Financial Capability Across the Organisation

- Partner with program and operational managers to support understanding of budgets, forecasts, and financial reports
- Deliver training, tools and guidance to build financial literacy and accountability at all levels
- Translate financial information into accessible insights for non-financial stakeholders

	Support for Fleet, Facilities, and Procurement		
	 Provide support to the Chief Financial Officer and Business Services team members in the delivery of: 		
	 Vehicle fleet: purchasing, disposals, cost reporting, insurance 		
	 Facilities: commercial support, utilities, lease records, maintenance registers 		
	Ensure costs related to these functions are accurately tracked and reported		
	 Provide backup resource support for these functions as required 		
	Audit and Risk		
	 Coordinate preparation for annual external audits including schedules and documentation 		
	 Support internal control monitoring and participate in risk identification and mitigation effort 		
	Contribute to policy development across finance and broader corporate service areas		
Health, Safety & Wellbeing	Actively promote and adhere to all CTST health, safety and wellbeing policies and procedures		
	Contribute to a safe workplace through a demonstrated commitment to safety improvements		
	Report all safety risks, incidents, and hazards in a timely manner		
	Actively promote a positive approach in the workplace to enhance health and wellbeing		
Financial Compliance	Monitor project budgets to achieve financial targets		
	Ensure all company assets are treated with care and utilised for the intended purpose		
	Maintain an up-to-date knowledge of legislative and regulatory compliance to ensure that requirements are met, and identify any emerging issues of significance to the organisation		
	Ensure CTST's ongoing compliance with Aged Care Quality & Safety Commission, NDIS Practice Standards, Passenger Transport Accreditation Authority, and other essential quality standards		
	Always ensure that the highest standards of privacy and confidentiality are maintained		
Position Require	ements		
Technical	ESSENTIAL		
Qualifications	Tertiary qualifications in accounting, finance or a related field		
	Strong financial systems knowledge (e.g. Xero, MYOB, or similar) and strong Excel capability		
	DESIRABLE		
	CPA or CA qualification (or working toward)		
Knowledge, Skills and Experience	ESSENTIAL		
	Proven experience in effectively leading and developing finance or administration teams		
	Demonstrated experience in financial management, reporting and compliance		
	Proven ability to manage end-to-end financial operations, reporting and month-end processes		
	Experience in financial modelling, analysis and board reporting		
	Effective communication skills with the ability to present complex financial information in an accessible way		
	Ability to partner with non-financial managers to build financial literacy and accountability		
	Strong analytical, problem-solving, and organisational skills with attention to detail		
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Knowledge and understanding of relevant industry legislation, policies and systems and internal

Track record of improving financial systems, processes and controls including automation initiatives

control frameworks, and the ability to apply them to the working environment

Experience coordinating external audits and supporting risk management activities

	DESIRABLE
	Experience in the not-for-profit, community services or health sector
	Familiarity with funding acquittals, restricted funding, and government contracts
	Exposure to procurement, facilities or fleet functions in a support or coordination capacity
Worker Screening and Position Requirements	Provision of a National Police certificate that meets the suitability requirements for unsupervised work in accordance with the Aged Care Act/ NDIS Act
	Must hold a current driver's licence
	Must hold a current registration to work with vulnerable people
	Must be an Australian Resident or hold an Australian Working VISA
	Intrastate travel will be required

Position Approval				
Name & Role	Summary of Revisions	Approved Date		
Heath Dillon Chief Financial Officer	New position in the structure	11/08/2025		