



Incorporated Village of Plandome Heights

Position Description

DEPUTY CLERK-TREASURER/COURT CLERK

The role of the Deputy –

The Deputy Clerk-Treasurer (“Deputy”) supports the Clerk-Treasurer in the performance of her/his duties. The Clerk-Treasurer works at the direction of the Mayor and is the chief records and administrative officer and chief fiscal officer of the municipality. This position is responsible for the books and records of the municipality, minutes of meetings of the Trustees, orders to pay claims of vendors, collects property taxes, keeps the books of account and banking records for the General Fund and a Capital Projects Fund and directs the day-to-day operations of the Village. This position responds to resident requests and complaints and supports the activities of the building department in preparing building permits and certificates of occupancy. This position also serves as the recording secretary and administrative assistant to the periodic meetings of the subsidiary boards (such as architecture, zoning, planning) of the Village. The Deputy supports or stands-in for the Clerk-Treasurer in all of these functions.

The Deputy also is the Village Court Clerk responsible for supporting the Village Justice in the conduct of the operations of the Village Justice Court which meets 6 times a year.

Requirements of the position -

The position requires a minimum of 5 years of relevant business experience. The core competencies of the Deputy Clerk-Treasurer/Court Clerk include:

- General office organization and management, and records management, skills,
- Logical thought and skill in complying with local and state laws, rules and regulations,
- Light bookkeeping knowledge/skill particularly with Quickbooks of Peachtree software,
- Customer/resident service skills,
- Conflict resolution and avoidance skills,
- Strong general computer skills,
- Willingness to learn Court procedure and operations.

The working hours of the Deputy have been approximately 20 hours per week on a schedule which may be flexible. Occasional evenings are necessary to attend Board meetings or Court sessions.

Interested candidates can email Mayor@PlandomeHeights-NY.gov or call Village Hall at 627-1136.

The Village of Plandome Heights –

The Village of Plandome Heights covers 0.2 square miles and has 326 households and approximately 1,000 residents. The Village’s primary responsibilities include sanitation, snow removal, road repair, building and zoning matters and a Justice Court. With a budget of approximately \$400,000 in total, it is among the smaller villages in the State of New York. The staff of the Village includes a full-time Clerk-Treasurer, a part-time Deputy Clerk-Treasurer/Court Clerk and a part-time Building Inspector. The Mayor, six Trustees and the various Boards volunteer their time. The Village website is www.plandomeheights-ny.gov.