

Program #72003 - FRM Chief Financial Officer

FY 2024 Department Requested

Department: County Management Program Contact: Eric Arellano

Program Offer Type: Administration Program Offer Stage: Department Requested

Related Programs:

Program Characteristics: In Target

#### **Executive Summary**

The Chief Financial Officer manages the financial health of the entire County and sets administrative policy related to financial management. Direct responsibilities include Accounts Payable, ERP Finance Support, General Ledger, Fiscal Compliance, Risk Management, Payroll, Retirement Programs, Excise Tax Administration, Central Purchasing and Treasury.

### **Program Description**

The Chief Financial Officer (CFO) develops and presents financial guidelines to executive level staff, the County Chair's Office, and the Board of County Commissioners. The CFO presents recommendations related to public financial policy to these groups as well as other jurisdictions. The CFO interacts with the Oregon Legislature, the general public, and the business community in assessing the potential impact of changes in financial policy. The CFO also develops and/or suggests financing alternatives to executive level staff and jurisdiction partners.

The CFO monitors the Public Employees Retirement System (PERS) and works with partner jurisdictions to develop and present legislative policy. This involves communication with the Board, the Oregon Legislature and/or PERS Board and labor groups. The CFO works with the Budget Office, the Chair's Office, the Board and County departments to establish priorities and guidelines, and ensures that policies are aligned with these priorities. The CFO works with departmental finance sections, DCM divisions, and all County department stakeholders on all administrative policies and procedures.

The CFO manages the County's risk fund, this includes but is not limited to managing risk fund budget, setting collection rates, managing/setting reserve requirements (e.g. workers compensation and health self insured programs), managing other post retirement employment benefits (OPEB) program, and managing the usage of the fund.

Performance Measures									
Measure Type	Primary Measure	FY22 Actual	FY23 Budgeted	FY23 Estimate	FY24 Offer				
Output	Annual Comprehensive Financial Report is issued according to legal requirements	1	1	1	1				
Outcome	Maintain County's high bond rating of AAA	1	1	1	1				

#### **Performance Measures Descriptions**

The Annual Comprehensive Financial Report is a primary product of the Finance Division. Statutes require that it is issued within six months of the close of the fiscal year. 1=achieved; 0=not achieved.

County maintains the highest bond rating of AAA on general obligation debt. This rating is achieved by continuing to demonstrate prudent financial management. 1=achieved; 0=not achieved.

## **Legal / Contractual Obligation**

Several financial functions laid out in Oregon Revised Statutes and County Code are directly and indirectly the responsibility of the Chief Financial Officer.

## Revenue/Expense Detail

	Adopted General Fund	Adopted Other Funds	Department Requested General Fund	Department Requested Other Funds
Program Expenses	2023	2023	2024	2024
Personnel	\$543,299	\$100,562	\$577,405	\$109,110
Contractual Services	\$41,000	\$0	\$41,000	\$0
Materials & Supplies	\$16,511	\$0	\$16,511	\$0
Internal Services	\$970,830	\$195,563	\$922,855	\$163,016
Total GF/non-GF	\$1,571,640	\$296,125	\$1,557,771	\$272,126
Program Total:	\$1,867	7,765	\$1,829,897	
Program FTE	2.65	0.35	2.65	0.35

Program Revenues								
Other / Miscellaneous	\$0	\$296,125	\$0	\$272,126				
Total Revenue	\$0	\$296,125	\$0	\$272,126				

# **Explanation of Revenues**

This program is supported by General Fund and Risk Fund revenues.

# Significant Program Changes

Last Year this program was: FY 2023: 72003 FRM Chief Financial Officer