

SUNFLOWER ELECTRIC POWER CORPORATION RESPONSIBILITY OUTLINE

Position Title	Human Resources Administrator	Date	January, 2010
Department	Human Resources	Pay Status	Salaried
Reports To	Manager, Human Resources	FLSA Category	Exempt
Location	Hays/Holcomb/Garden City	EEO Category	2

SUMMARY

Administer the human resource function including staffing, employee relations, performance management, compliance, and other responsibilities for the assigned location(s). Responsible for area of specialization (see addendum).

ESSENTIAL RESPONSIBILITIES

Specialization

See applicable specialization addendum.

Staffing

Coordinate all aspects of the employment process from initial approved staffing request to new employee orientation. Work closely with management to determine specific needs when filling vacancies and provide the best matched candidates for review and selection. Ensure procedures are followed in the selection process and all background and reference gathering duties are performed.

Deliver orientations so new employees start their work relationship on a positive note and they are properly acclimated.

Employee Relations

Be highly visible and serve as a resource for employees. Provide assistance and advice to employees consistent with Sunflower's culture as required.

Performance Management

Assist supervisors and managers in employing performance management and developing performance appraisals. Provide guidance and advice on issues including corrective action, development, and performance improvement.

Compliance

Ensure continued compliance with governmental and equal opportunity (EEO) guidelines and regulations. Assist in investigation of EEO-related complaints.

Other Human Resource Responsibilities

Help maintain consistency and integrity of the policies, procedures, and guidelines.

Prepare, process, and document, as necessary, all human resources actions, employee records, files, logs, and records. Maintain employee and candidate confidentiality. Help maintain the department's record retention program.

Participate in the preparation and administration of the department's budget.

Supervision and Leadership

Provide leadership, coaching, and counseling to direct reports regarding job performance. Keep employees informed of work requirements, business conditions, company policies, and other factors that impact their work performance and environment.

Safety

Help ensure a safe working environment by emphasizing the importance of safety processes and setting the highest safety standards and expectations of all employees. Maintain safety awareness and comply with all safety policies, practices, and procedures to assure a safe working environment. As applicable, resolve safety concerns and issues coordinating closely with the Safety Department and provide the highest support to the Safety Department to establish and enforce safety programs consistent with industry practice.

Culture

Demonstrate a commitment to Sunflower's culture and core values of technical competency, respect and dignity, accountability, integrity, trustworthiness, and servant leadership to empower or otherwise enable others to optimally perform their job responsibilities. Demonstrate and promote ethics and behaviors consistent with Sunflower's culture, Board policies, and business practices.

Other Responsibilities

As assigned or required to support Sunflower's mission and operations.

QUALIFICATIONS

Education and Experience

Bachelor degree in human resources, management, business administration, or a related area and five years professional human resources experience in the areas of recruitment, employee relations, performance management, benefits, and compensation; or equivalent combination of education and experience.

Knowledge, Skills, Abilities

Knowledge of and skills in best human resources practices including recruitment, performance management, employee relations, coaching, employee development, and compensation.

Working knowledge of current human resource federal and state regulations, trends, and developments. Knowledge and understanding of wage and hour laws as they relate to employment policies and procedures.

Adept at analyzing data and information to determine opportunities for improvement. Good math skills.

Strong organizational skills.

Able to provide presentations to disparate audiences.

High standards of personal integrity and ability to preserve confidentiality. Professional maturity and judgment, tact, and discretion in balancing the interests of Sunflower and employees.

Able to interface and collaborate with a variety of people.

Able to counsel employees and supervisors to ensure successful resolution of issues.

Written, verbal, and interpersonal communication skills at the level required to successfully perform the essential responsibilities of the position.

Able to operate computers and associated programs, including MS Word, Excel, PowerPoint, and database programs, at the level required to successfully perform the essential responsibilities of the position.

Supervisory, leadership, and coaching skills and abilities.

Labor relations skills and abilities are preferred.

Other

Must possess and maintain a valid driver's license.

Able to travel to all Sunflower sites and attend training and meetings out of state as needed.

PHR or SPHR certification is preferred.

Physical and Mental Demands

See Physical and Mental Requirements sheet.

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**SUNFLOWER ELECTRIC POWER CORPORATION
RESPONSIBILITY OUTLINE ADDENDUM**

Position Title	Human Resources Administrator	Date	January, 2010
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SUMMARY

Administer the benefits program for Sunflower as well as the medical insurance Trust program.

ESSENTIAL RESPONSIBILITIES

Benefits Specialization

Administer the benefits program and its budget ensuring it meets cultural, demographic, and company needs. Coordinate and monitor enrollments, changes, and ensure providers pay claims appropriately.

Serve as the ultimate resource for employees regarding their benefits package and travel to Sunflower sites on a regular basis to assist with benefits issues.

Provide training and assistance to Human Resources staff so they are able to handle most issues and questions by employees. Provide training and communication to employees regarding the content and value of the benefits package.

Lead the Healthcare Benefit Cost Control Committee and provide data and training as appropriate.

Serve as Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act (HIPAA) privacy officer for Sunflower and the Kansas Electric Cooperative Health Insurance Trust (KECHIT) ensuring compliance with security and privacy regulations.

Coordinate annual audits and file returns with appropriate governmental agencies. Respond to governmental requests as appropriate.

Serve as group leader for KECHIT. Analyze data, trends, and opportunities and make recommendations to Trustees on plan changes. Facilitate meetings and prepare and present utilization and performance data.

QUALIFICATIONS

Experience

In addition to the HR Administrator requirements, this position requires two years experience in administering benefits programs.

Knowledge, Skills, Abilities

In addition to the HR Administrator requirements, this position requires in-depth knowledge and skills in administering benefits programs.

Strong analytical skills.

Strong presentation skills.

Skilled in the use of MS Word, Excel, PowerPoint, and database programs.

MS Access skills are preferred.

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PHYSICAL AND MENTAL REQUIREMENTS**

Position Human Resources Administrator - Hays & Garden City

Date January, 2010

Physical Tasks and Exposure

For the following, indicate if the task or exposure during a typical shift is:

O = Occasional (<10% of time); **S** = Sometimes (26-50%); **F** = Frequently (51-75%); **R** = Regularly (>75%)

O	S	F	R	Task/Exposure	O	S	F	R	Task/Exposure
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Standing	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Lifting/Lowering:
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Walking	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<10 pounds
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Climbing	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	11-30 pounds
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Bending	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	31-50 pounds
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Crouching	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	51-75 pounds
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Twisting	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	>75 pounds
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Reaching above Heights					Carrying:
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Confined spaces	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<10 pounds
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Variable weather	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	11-30 pounds
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Cold	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	31-50 pounds
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Heat	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	51-75 pounds
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Dampness	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	>75 pounds
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Noise					Pushing/Pulling:
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Dust/Dirt	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<10 pounds
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Ionizing radiation	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	11-30 pounds
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Chemicals--skin	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	31-50 pounds
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Chemicals--lungs	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	51-75 pounds
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Comments

Incumbent will also work with others either individually or in groups.

Audio-Visual

For the following, check if essential to the position

- Hearing: _____
- Vision: _____
- Color discrimination: _____
- Depth perception: _____
- Other: _____

Mental Requirements

For the following, check if essential to the position

- Sense of urgency
- Works alone
- Concentration
- Other
- Multiple tasks
- Independent judgment
- Proper reasoning
- Repetition

Other