



DIRECTOR OF FACILITIES SERVICES – The Rush Companies

Department: Rush Properties, Inc.
Reports To: Vice President, Rush Properties, Inc.
FLSA Classification: Exempt position
Date: December 3, 2021

Job Summary

Rush Properties Inc., (RPI), is a commercial real estate services firm that provides property management, brokerage, and facilities services. RPI is currently seeking a **Director of Facilities Services** to join our team and have responsibility for the first-class operation and management of a growing portfolio of commercial buildings in the Puget Sound region. The purpose of this position is to increase the value of our portfolio by overseeing, performing, and managing a team that provides efficient maintenance of all our commercial buildings. This is a hands-on position with approximately 75% of the time spent in the field.

Essential Duties & Responsibilities

Facilities Operations

- Partners with the in-office service team to respond quickly and effectively to tenant requests for service.
- Represents the company professionally during all interactions with tenants, vendors, and Rush team members.
- Performs diagnostics, repairs and routine building maintenance in an efficient and effective manner using computerized maintenance management system (CMMS), access controls software, air conditioning controls software where required.
- Serves as lead project manager for maintenance and improvement work performed by outside vendors.
- Manages vendor contracts, relationships and trains vendors on work order and billing procedures.
- Responsible to understand and manage the Operations and Maintenance Manual for each assigned building.
- Performs role of Field Supervisor for field team members.
- Responsible to research, coordinate work and assign tasks including CMMS monthly preventive maintenance tasks.

People Management/Field Supervisor

- Performs ongoing training of field team for all equipment, systems, and practices on the portfolio of buildings.
- Performs quarterly and annual reviews of the field team in coordination with the Division Vice President.
- Provides safety training for field team members.
- Responsible to research, coordinate work and assign tasks.
- Uses PC, mobile applications and/or tablet for work order system, email, and process and procedure training.
- Responds to emergency calls as required, including during normally off-duty hours.
- Is part of the on-call rotation with other field team members.
- Serves as the team resource (go-to-person) on certain types of maintenance challenges (specialist).

Administrative/Financial Duties

- Assists in the preparation of operating and capital budgets.
- Processes certain invoices and ensures proper cost center coding.
- Reviews periodic reports including financials and explains variances. Works with finance team to correct errors.

Job Requirements

- Technical training on HVAC/mechanical, electrical trades required, with certification preferred. EL07 Electrical license preferred. EPA Refrigerant handling Type I and II certificate required.
- Familiar with various HVAC systems including Variable Refrigerant Flow, Variable Air Volume, Split Systems, and Package Roof Top Units.
- Experience in successfully managing and leading a commercial facilities team.
- Ability to accurately use mobile work order and timecard system. Experience with Building Engines preferred.
- Experience successfully managing commercial construction / tenant improvement projects.
- Ability to meet deadlines, prioritize projects and manage broad facility responsibilities.
- Basic knowledge of financial terms and principles with basic analytical skills.
- Ability to comprehend instructions and correspondence and ask clarifying questions to ensure understanding.
- Ability to make decisions with general understanding of procedures to achieve set results and deadlines.
- Valid Washington state driver's license and acceptable Driver's Abstract.
- Works indoors and outdoors, in all-weather, as necessary. Able to self-direct and work alone or as part of a team.

Experience

- Minimum of 7 years of prior commercial facilities maintenance experience.
- Minimum of 3 years of prior management and leadership of a commercial facilities team.
- Advanced knowledge of and skills around building systems such as, but not limited to, HVAC / mechanical systems, electrical systems, septic systems, access controls systems, etc.
- Advanced skills with mobile applications and Microsoft Office.

Additional Skills/Attributes

- Team-oriented – willing to help others to achieve overall company goals.
- Detail- oriented – ability to stay organized while engaging in multiple tasks and delivering accurate work product on deadlines.
- Positive attitude – strives to create a collaborative and unified environment.
- Strong time management skills – self-motivated in completing tasks efficiently.
- Strong communication skills – ability to effectively communicate written and orally with customers, vendors, and team members.

Physical Requirements

- Physical requirements include stooping, standing, walking, climbing stairs / ladders and ability to lift / carry heavy loads of 50 lbs or more.

For more information about The Rush Companies or the application process, please visit:

<http://www.therushcompanies.com/about-rush/employment>.

How to Apply:

Please send cover letter and resume to jobs@therushcompanies.com or send via U.S. mail to:

The Rush Companies
c/o Human Resources
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Gig Harbor, WA 98335

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