



### **THE OPPORTUNITY:**

Growing District of Columbia-based company with a focus on the use of creative financing tools to create best-in-class affordable housing and community-based facilities seeks an **Administrative Assistant** to serve as support to the Development & Operations Associate for our corporate office.

### **ABOUT DANTES PARTNERS:**

[Dantes Partners](#) (DP) plans, finances and builds affordable housing and livable neighborhoods by arranging necessary public and private resources and by working with community leaders to structure the organizational, civic and financial support required to make projects successful. DP also provides consulting services for both for profit and non-profit organizations involved in the creation and preservation of affordable housing as well as community and economic development. Since its founding in 2006, Dantes Partners has closed on approximately \$780M in complex financing that produced over 2,300 units of affordable/workforce housing.

### **POSITION DESCRIPTION:**

The Administrative Assistant will provide general administrative support to the team, direct support to the Chief of Staff and independently handle all assigned duties and administrative tasks. These duties will include: conference room management, compiling reports, writing memos, physical and electronic filing, phone and front office coverage. The Administrative Assistant will also support with minor property management company requests such as purchasing and event planning. This individual must be an energetic self-starter who is well-organized and detail-oriented. S/he must also be an independent thinker with the ability to work with minimal supervision while exercising good judgment. This position requires excellent communication (verbal and written) skills, interpersonal skills as well as the ability to successfully interface with management, staff, clients, vendors, partners and other key stakeholders.

### **RESPONSIBILITIES:**

The Administrative Assistant will successfully prioritize multiple tasks with competing deadlines, manage conflicting schedules and provide excellent follow-through. Additional responsibilities include:

- Provide telephone and front office coverage
- Prepare reports, memos and other documents
- Process daily mail including receiving, sorting and distributing incoming and outgoing mail; Track letters, packages and other deliveries
- Prepare/edit presentation materials
- Prepare/edit weekly meeting notes
- Manage Conference Room calendars
- Assist in coordination of Senior Staff calendars
- Prepare and mail bi-weekly check distributions
- Maintain inventory of office supplies/ and restock as necessary
- Perform general administrative tasks including faxing, scanning, copying and printing

- Supporting the Chief of Staff, and consultants in the execution of special events for the company;
- Special projects and assignments as needed
- Remote check scanning and bank deposits
- Coordinate with IT department on office needs and service
- Coordinate with IT for onboarding/offboarding user devices
- Coordinate with IT for device inventory
- Identify, coordinate and book travel accommodations for members of the collective
- Provide direct support to CEO and COO
- Assist and support with company government/compliance filings
- Support departments of the collective with special assignments/tasks
- Support in management of office related vendors and utilities
- Provide general support to visitors
- Resolve issues with the building and facilities such as needed maintenance or emergency repairs

**QUALIFICATIONS:**

- Bachelor's degree preferred
- 2-4 years of previous administrative experience
- Interest or experience in a field related to real estate development and/or construction
- Excellent communication, interpersonal, and organizational skills required
- Proficiency in Microsoft Office Suite: Excel, Word, Outlook

**SUCCESSFUL CANDIDATES WILL POSSESS THE FOLLOWING ATTRIBUTES:**

- An entrepreneurial spirit;
- Proactive and extremely responsive;
- Personable with a good sense of humor
- Energy and commitment to work in an entrepreneurial environment with the ability to prioritize responsibilities
- Strong organizational skills
- Demonstrated ability to work effectively with a wide range people and organizations
- Ability to work under pressure, in a time sensitive environment, delivering timely and accurate work

**ADA SPECIFICATIONS** (Physical demands that must be met to successfully complete the essential functions of the job)

- While largely sedentary, this position requires the ability to sit, stand, and lift up to 20 lbs., speak, and hear, sometimes for extended periods of time.
- Requires the ability to use a computer and office equipment traditionally found in office settings.
- Requires the periodic ability to travel regionally, on behalf of the company.

**CORRESPONDENCE:**

Interested parties should forward a current resume and cover letter to [hr@fariamanagement.com](mailto:hr@fariamanagement.com) with the subject line "Dantes Partners – Administrative Assistant".

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