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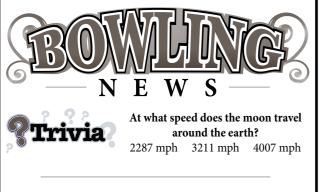
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## System Analyst Location: Fergus Falls, MN

## Description

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- Optimize the systems by determining root causes and troubleshooting problems
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We're seeking detailed, analytical candidates with a wide range of skills who are passionate about getting projects completed on-time, at an exceptional standard. Some examples of what we're looking for include:

- There's a lot of innovation in our industry and we want positive, can-do people who are resilient through the challenges that sometimes come with change.
- · We have a lot to accomplish so top candidates will be able to independently direct and manage their time and responsibilities.
- A thorough knowledge and understanding of computer principles and techniques necessary to manage software applications and systems.
- To hit the ground running; foundational knowledge via a 4-year degree in a computer science or related field or equivalent work experience is preferred.
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## **Project and Grant Administration Accountant** Location: Fergus Falls, MN

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## **Key Responsibilities**

- · Collaborate with relevant stakeholders to gather necessary data to ensure budget,
- This role will organize and lead aspects of the individual projects such as, material inventory, and financial reconciliations while performing other necessary support tasks including producing project reports and managing action items.
- · Learn the details of different projects to provide guidance and support to project and grant teams on financial matters.
- · Monitor grant funds and expenditures to ensure they are used in accordance with grant agreements and budgets.
- Collaborate with grant managers and other teams track project progress
- Communicate with employees throughout the company and with vendors daily.
- · Ensure timely and accurate submission of financial reports to internal management and external funding agencies
- Assist with regular reviews and audits to ensure adherence to grant requirements and financial policies.

## Qualifications

- · Bachelor's degree with emphasis in accounting or associates degree with equivalent work experience.
- · Knowledge of accounting principles, procedures and practices, and advanced skills using Excel, Word and experience with Financial Information Systems is a must.
- · Must understand budgets, forecasts, cash flows, cash commitments, project accounting, billing processes, and administration of construction funds
- Strong understanding of grant accounting regulations, financial reporting standards, and
- compliance requirements is a plus. · Excellent verbal and written communication skills as well as high quality customer
- relation skills with internal and external parties is needed. · Attention to detail and accuracy, along with excellent time management skills are essential

Don't meet every single requirement? Studies have shown that some candidates are less likely to apply to jobs unless they meet every single qualification. At OTP, we are dedicated to building a workplace that fosters diverse perspectives and skillsets, so if you're excited about this role but your past experience doesn't align perfectly with every qualification, we encourage you to apply anyways. You may be just the right candidate for this or other roles.

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## Do you know 12 people who want to adopt a dog or a cat? Neither do we.

By Kristi Lausch, for the Humane Society of Otter Tail County

When people are in crisis, so are their pets. This statement truly reflects the number of shelter residents on any given day during this past year. In 2024, the Humane Society of Otter Tail County has taken in record numbers of cats, dogs and other "pocket pets" such as rabbits and gerbils. The HSOTC budget is stretched and workers are tired and we hope you will answer the call to help in any number of ways. 1) Please educate those around you about the need to spay/neuter and leash the pets in their care. 2) Donate money or products such as food, treats, litter, paper towels or cleaning supplies. 3) Volunteer to walk and socialize dogs or cuddle cats. 4) Follow the HSOTC Facebook page and share a post. 5) Advocate for adoption. 6) Talk to city leaders and business owners about ways they can help support the critical services provided by the HSOTC. As a totally independent, non-profit, 501c3 organization, the HSOTC is funded by donor support. Ask yourself, what would happen if there were no animal shelter?





With 86 cats/kittens in the care of the HSOTC (either on site, or with a foster family), potential adopters will find diversity in adoption choices! From brown, black, white, striped, skinny, plump, male, female, naughty and nice cats, there is a personality suited to every lifestyle! And of course, all adoption fees include spay/neuter, current vaccines and a micro-chip and the staff will confidently brag they are some of the healthiest felines around! The HSOTC also has a tremendous selection of dogs, many of whom have been shelter residents for months and they too come fully vetted and ready for their forever homes. One thing is certain, an investment in a shelter dog or cat, will reward you with unconditional love. Please take a peek at a few of the featured dogs and cats at www. humanesocietyotc.org.

Lastly, please mark your calendars and make plans to attend the HSOTC 2nd annual PANCAKES FOR PAWS to be held on Saturday, November 16th, from 9 am -12 noon at the Fergus Falls Area Eagles Club, located at 120 South Peck Street. A friendly

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