

District Financial Information

Total valuation	\$200,078,750
Mills	
Inside	6
Outside (assessed)	27
Bond	9.5
Permanent improvement	0.5
School income tax (earned)	1%
Appropriations	
General fund	\$12,573,324
Total — all funds	\$37,822,266
Expenditures per pupil	\$8,871.55
Enrollment	1,320
Number of employees	
Certificated	83
Non-certificated	48
Administrators	11
Bond rating	
Moody's	A1
Average teacher salary	
Bachelor's degree	58%
Master's degree	42%
Average years experience	14

Terms of Employment and Compensation

The successful candidate will be offered a multi-year contract. The salary will be competitive and commensurate with experience and qualifications. A comprehensive benefits package is included.

Board of Education

Victoria Kimmel, board president	4 years
Bret Bowers, vice president	5 years
Pam Freshour	5 years
Gary Sims	17 years
Annette Holler	5 years

Tentative Search Timetable

Application deadline	April 4
Interviews begin	April 19
Second round interviews	May 4
Action to employ	May
Employment begins	July 1



Application Process

Visit OSBA's secure, online application system at <https://osba.myrevelus.com> to apply. First-time applicants must create a new account to complete and maintain an online profile. If you already have a profile established, sign-in or reset your password and choose from the open positions.

The following items should be included when completing your profile: the necessary certifications and licenses; credentials and transcripts; an up-to-date résumé; and at least five OSBA reference forms. Additional materials you would like to include can be uploaded as well. **Please note:** Completion of your profile is required but does not constitute an application. You must choose from the open positions and follow the application instructions.

Your profile information may be altered, updated and submitted at any time for any advertised OSBA opening.

Application materials are subject to Ohio's public records laws.

Note: Applicants should not make personal contact with board of education members. For information about the search, contact the OSBA search consultant.

Questions about the online application process may be directed to Gwen Samet, OSBA administrative assistant of board and management services, at (614) 540-4000 or gsamet@ohioschoolboards.org.



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Pleasant Local School District

is seeking highly qualified applicants for the position of

Treasurer/CFO

www.pleasantlocalschools.org

Application deadline
April 25, 2021

The Search

The Pleasant Local Board of Education is seeking highly qualified applicants for the position of treasurer/chief financial officer (CFO). The successful candidate will replace the current treasurer, Jolene Carter, at the end of the 2020-21 school year. Carter has served the district since 2014. Steve Horton, senior board and management services consultant at OSBA, is assisting the board with its search.

As the district's financial leader, it is the CFO's responsibility to advise board members on all financial and budgetary matters and to support the board in its goals for district growth and improvement. The CFO's ability to provide deep levels of financial data to the board, as well as to help them understand assumptions and implications, is critical. The board looks forward to establishing a collaborative, mutually beneficial relationship with the new CFO.



The District

The Pleasant Local School District encompasses 36 square miles on the southern edge of the City of Marion in Marion County. The single 100-acre campus has a K-5 elementary, a middle school that serves grades 6-8 and a high school. Pleasant Local has traditionally been a high-achieving district that serves more than 1,300 students.

The district is committed to its three core values: act with a positive mindset, serve and empower others, and driven by purpose and vision. The work of the students and staff supports the five district goals: future ready learners, globally literate citizens, innovative and creative thinkers, financial responsibility and communication.

Financially, Pleasant Local has enjoyed the support of its community. Voters approved a 1% earned income tax in 2019, which has helped the district move forward with its initiatives. In addition, thanks to voters, work is underway on a new K-12 campus that will provide a much-needed modern learning space for students and teachers.

Academically, Pleasant Local continues to build on the success the district has traditionally enjoyed. Technology plays a major role as students engage in an expanded one-to-one curriculum using iPads. A countywide grant is enabling teachers to become certified College Credit Plus instructors. This is providing expanded course offerings for students as well as saving tax-payer dollars. Pleasant maintains a 100% five-year graduation rate and all students are earning at least one year's worth of growth in all subject areas. For the third consecutive year, the elementary school has been awarded the state Momentum Award for academic achievement.

The Community

The Pleasant Local School District is located in the heart of Marion County. The County was officially organized in 1824 and was named after Revolutionary War general Francis Marion. Marion was home to President Warren G. Harding, and each year people visit his home and memorial gravesite. Other popular sites are the Heritage Theater and the Heritage Hall Museum.

The Pleasant Local community is representative of a quiet, small-town Midwestern lifestyle. Farming, quarrying and small businesses are all prevalent, but the county also is home to manufacturing facilities for Whirlpool, International Paper and Andersen Windows. In addition, Pleasant Local benefits from affiliations with the Ohio State University at Marion and Marion Technical College.



Qualifications

The successful candidate will be a strong district and community leader and the financial face for the district. In addition, the new treasurer must possess the following attributes:

- a strong financial leader who demonstrates ethical behavior and fiscal accountability to ensure financial stability of the school district;
- an effective communicator who strives to keep the board of education and community well informed about the financial health of the district;
- has a growth mindset, both personally and toward others, and seeks to continuously improve leadership, technical abilities and work processes;
- a strong knowledge of new building projects;
- the ability to develop organizational processes and policies and maintain accountability;
- a demonstrative ability to handle in-depth financial analysis and communicate effectively with the leadership team;
- a strong advocate of the district and its students, both in the community and at the state level.

