

Rossford Exempted Village School District is seeking qualified applicants for the position of Treasurer



Application deadline: Nov. 28, 2025

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The search

The **Rossford Exempted Village** Board of Education is presently searching for a district treasurer to become its new chief financial officer. It is anticipated that the new treasurer will begin their duties in January 2026. The school board hopes to have a candidate selected in mid-December with appointment coming at a following meeting. The application deadline for the search is Friday, Nov. 28.

The position of treasurer is crucial to the district's leadership team. In collaboration with the superintendent, **Dan Creps**, the treasurer's role is to achieve the school district's fiscal goals, maintain

financial policy and educate and inform both the board of education and community with the current and future challenges of school funding with sound fiscal and personnel management practices to provide accuracy and accountability along with preserving stability.

The district

Serving a student population of approximately 1,600 students, the Rossford Exempted Village Schools offer educational opportunities for students aged PK-12. The school district serves those living not only in the City of Rossford, but portions of Perrysburg Township, Lake Township and the city of Northwood.



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For the 2024-25 academic year, the school district earned 3 ½ stars on the state report card with 4 stars in graduation rate and literacy. The community passed a bond issue in 2016 that permitted a new elementary school to be constructed and opened in 2019 along with renovations made to the high school building in 2020. A multipurpose use building, known as “The R,” was opened in 2023 and the school district broke ground on a new middle school for grades 4-6 this fall adjoining “The R” on the same property with a planned opening date of the 2027-28 school year. The district is home to its associated career technical center, Penta Career Center, which is a few minutes from the district’s high school.

Mission: We are learning and growing together to succeed in an ever-changing world by being Respectful, Responsible and Ready.

Vision: Prepare, inspire and empower all students to achieve success.

The community

Sitting on the precipice of Lake Erie at the “Crossroads of America” (Interstates 75, 80 and 90), the City of Rossford features a historic downtown of mom-and-pop shops and eateries near the high school’s campus. Founded in 1898, Edward Ford purchased an allotment of land to construct and operate his own business, the Edward Ford Plate Glass Company. The corporation merged with the Libbey-Owens Sheet Glass Company, making it the Libbey-Owens-Ford Company in 1930. Rossford was an apex of the region known as the “Glass Capital of the World” being located just south of Toledo, the hub of glass manufacturing.

The City of Rossford is known to being the home of four parks: Beech Street/John Folcik Park, Edward Ford Memorial Park, Island View Park and Veterans Memorial Park. Each has its own amenities ranging from baseball diamonds and pickleball courts to a walking trail. The school district is home to Northwest Ohio’s Medical Mutual branch office and three Amazon fulfillment warehouses in which the district benefits from enterprise zone agreements with annual payments.

The city holds an annual hot air balloon and fireworks festival in July and the business association hosts an annual Riverfest in Veterans Memorial Park at the Rossford Marina with food trucks and music in August.



Board of Education	
Member	Years on the board
Jackie Huffman, President	12
Emily Klocko, Vice President	3
Dawn Burks	18
Tiffany Densic	10
Teresa McKnight	2



Rossford is on the cusp of economic boom with the planned opening of the Gordie Howe International Bridge connecting Detroit, Michigan and Windsor, Ontario, Canada being located an hour away from the former. There is easy access to three institutions of higher learning: Owens Community College within the school district, the University of Toledo being 15 minutes away and Bowling Green State University and Lourdes University are less than a half hour of drive time from the city.

Qualifications

The Rossford Exempted Village Board of Education welcomes qualified applicants who possess knowledge of school finance, the ability to work well and form a strong partnership with the superintendent, willingness to successfully utilize public meetings and other opportunities to advance the financial messaging of the school district and the ability to guide, supervise, develop and evaluate staff and delegate responsibility as necessary.

Furthermore, the new treasurer should be one who anticipates obtaining or presently holds a current license that is in good standing and has the ability to provide efficiency and continuity for the district's finances.

The new treasurer should be able to demonstrate or show evidence of accomplishment in the following areas:

- excellent analytical, listening, verbal and written communication skills; someone who can frankly and diplomatically convey pertinent information to the board, superintendent, staff, community and news media
- sophisticated business management skills in the areas of long-range planning, fiscal forecasting, personnel management, collective bargaining and insurance management
- strong understanding of Ohio school law and public-school financing
- a positive personality with a high degree of integrity, enthusiasm, energy and dedication
- has knowledge of federal title programs, enterprise zone agreements and bond management
- ability to maintain fiscal credibility and to serve as the board's spokesperson to communicate financial and management information to the management team and community

Students and staff at a glance

Enrollment	1,661
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Number of employees	
Certificated	141
Non-certificated	95
Administrators/Central Office	17

Bachelor's Degree	26%
Master's Degree	74%
Average years of experience	16 years

Bond rating	
S&P	A+



Terms of employment and compensation

The Rossford Exempted Village Board of Education will provide a competitive compensation package, including a multi-year contract with provisions for annual review and evaluation. Salary and fringe benefits will be commensurate with the education and experience of the candidate.

Application process

Visit OSBA’s secure, online application system at <https://osba.myrevelus.com> to apply. 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.

Tentative search timetable	
Application deadline	Nov. 28, 2025
First round interviews	Dec. 5, 2025
Second round interviews	Dec. 10, 2025
Employment begins	Jan. 1, 2026

Questions
For questions about the search, contact:
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District financial information

Mills	
Inside	5.5
Outside (voted)	50.7
Outside (effective)	21.6
Bond (voted)	4.0
Permanent improvement (voted)	7.0
School income tax	NA

Appropriations	
General fund	\$35,243,000
Total — all funds	\$37,335,486

Expenditures per pupil	\$18,516
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Receipts	General fund
Local taxes	22,050,000
Local other	222,000
State	7,086,960

Receipts	All funds
Local taxes	4,380,000
State	133,973
Federal	1,491,703

