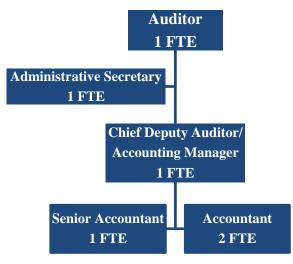
# **COUNTY AUDITOR** Fund 080-020



Auditor positions: 6 FTE

The duties of the auditor are statutorily defined in the Illinois Counties Code (55 ILCS 5/3-1005).

#### **MISSION STATEMENT**

To fulfill the statutory duties of the Office of County Auditor including providing a continuous internal audit of Champaign County's financial transactions. As the County's accountant, to maintain the centralized accounting system generating weekly, monthly, and comprehensive accounting reports for all County funds. To maintain a record of all contracts entered into by the County Board, and to administer the payment of County bills and the fixed assets records.

#### **BUDGET HIGHLIGHTS**

- The largest expenditure for the office is salary and wages, constituting 97% of the total budget. •
- The largest non-personnel expense is for conferences & training. The County Auditor is required by • state statute to receive 20 hours of Continuing Professional Education (CPE) annually, and the Chief Deputy Auditor is required to receive 40 hours of CPE training annually to maintain a CPA title.
- The Auditor's Office produces revenue for the general corporate fund by billing other County funds • (RPC, Highway, MHB etc.) for accounting services. Additionally, the County Auditor has contracted with a local bank to start electronic payment of some bills, resulting in a significant rebate to the County treasury.
- The Auditor's Office continues to consolidate printed stock and minimize the number of paper • checks issued through use of electronic bill payment.

#### **FINANCIAL**

|               | Fund 080Dept 020          |    | 2015<br>Actual | 2016<br>Original | 2016<br>Projected | 2017<br>Budget |
|---------------|---------------------------|----|----------------|------------------|-------------------|----------------|
| 335 71        | STATE REV-SALARY STIPENDS |    | \$6,500        | \$6,500          | \$6,500           | \$6,500        |
| FY2017 Budget |                           | 70 |                |                  | Conoral Eur       | Auditor        |

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General Fund 080-020

|     |    | Fund 080Dept 020                      | 2015<br>Actual | 2016<br>Original      | 2016<br>Projected    | 2017<br>Budget        |
|-----|----|---------------------------------------|----------------|-----------------------|----------------------|-----------------------|
|     |    | FEDERAL, STATE & LOCAL SHARED REVENUE | \$6,500        | \$6,500               | \$6,500              | \$6,500               |
| 341 | 31 | ACCOUNTING FEES                       | \$45,714       | \$120,000             | \$130,000            | \$130,000             |
|     |    | FEES AND FINES                        | \$45,714       | \$120,000             | \$130,000            | \$130,000             |
| 369 | 13 | ELECTRONIC PYTS REBATE                | \$6,494        | \$44,000              | \$25,000             | \$25,000              |
| 369 | 90 | OTHER MISC. REVENUE                   | \$10           | \$0                   | \$0                  | \$0                   |
|     |    | MISCELLANEOUS                         | \$6,504        | \$44,000              | \$25,000             | \$25,000              |
|     |    | <b>REVENUE TOTALS</b>                 | \$58,718       | \$170,500             | \$161,500            | \$161,500             |
| 511 | 1  | ELECTED OFFICIAL SALARY               | \$86,328       | ¢06 270               | \$86,328             | \$89,954              |
| 511 | 3  | REG. FULL-TIME EMPLOYEES              | \$263,332      | \$86,328<br>\$266,807 | \$267,492            | \$89,934<br>\$270,875 |
| 511 | 5  | TEMP. SALARIES & WAGES                | \$205,552      | \$200,807<br>\$4,500  | \$207,492<br>\$4,500 | \$270,873<br>\$4,500  |
| 511 | 40 | STATE-PAID SALARY STIPEND             | \$6,500        | \$4,500<br>\$6,500    | \$6,500              | \$4,500<br>\$6,500    |
| 511 | 40 | PERSONNEL                             | \$356,160      | \$364,135             | \$364,820            | \$371,829             |
|     |    | FERSONNEL                             | \$550,100      | \$304,135             | \$304,820            | \$371,829             |
| 522 | 1  | STATIONERY & PRINTING                 | \$2,471        | \$2,000               | \$1,900              | \$1,880               |
| 522 | 2  | OFFICE SUPPLIES                       | \$672          | \$900                 | \$900                | \$900                 |
| 522 | 3  | BOOKS, PERIODICALS & MAN.             | \$340          | \$500                 | \$500                | \$500                 |
| 522 | 44 | EQUIPMENT LESS THAN \$5000            | \$1,138        | \$375                 | \$375                | \$375                 |
|     |    | COMMODITIES                           | \$4,621        | \$3,775               | \$3,675              | \$3,655               |
| 533 | 1  | AUDIT & ACCOUNTING SERVCS             | \$805          | \$805                 | \$805                | \$805                 |
| 533 | 7  | PROFESSIONAL SERVICES                 | \$3,200        | \$1,600               | \$1,500              | \$1,500               |
| 533 | 33 | TELEPHONE SERVICE                     | \$11           | \$25                  | \$25                 | \$25                  |
| 533 | 93 | DUES AND LICENSES                     | \$1,256        | \$1,300               | \$1,320              | \$1,320               |
| 533 | 95 | CONFERENCES & TRAINING                | \$3,008        | \$4,000               | \$2,500              | \$3,600               |
| 534 | 37 | FINANCE CHARGES, BANK FEES            | \$0            | \$0                   | \$400                | \$600                 |
|     |    | SERVICES                              | \$8,280        | \$7,730               | \$6,550              | \$7,850               |
|     |    | EXPENDITURE TOTALS                    | \$369,061      | \$375,640             | \$375,045            | \$383,334             |

## EXPENSE PER CAPITA (IN ACTUAL DOLLARS)

| FY2013 | FY2014 | FY2015 | FY2016 | FY2017 |
|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|
| \$1.71 | \$1.75 | \$1.87 | \$1.85 | \$1.91 |

### FULL TIME EMPLOYEE HISTORY

| FY2013 | FY2014 | FY2015 | FY2016 | FY2017 |
|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|
| 5.5    | 6      | 6      | 6      | 6      |

# ALIGNMENT to STRATEGIC PLAN

*County Board Goal 1 – Champaign County is committed to being a high performing, open and transparent local government organization* 

- Design and maintain an accounting system consistent with generally accepted accounting principles
- Audit all claims against the county and pay all valid claims via accounts payable
- Audit the receipts of all county offices and departments presented for deposit with the County Treasurer
- Recommend to the County Board the payment or rejection of all claims
- Maintain a continuous internal audit of the revenues, expenditures, and financial records of all county offices
- Maintain a file of all contracts entered into by the County Board and all authorized county officers
- Improve public access to public information through continuing development and utilization of technology including an online checkbook introduced during FY2016
- Maintain high quality standards with increasing workloads and demands through continuing development of technology

## **DESCRIPTION**

The Auditor's Office is responsible for designing and maintaining the county's accounting system and doing a continuous internal audit of county spending. The office is also responsible for accounts payable and putting together monthly reports and a comprehensive annual financial report.

## **OBJECTIVES**

- Design and maintain an accounting system in keeping with generally accepted accounting principles
- Audit all claims against the county and paying all valid claims via accounts payable and payroll
- Audit the receipts of all county offices and departments presented for deposit with the County Treasurer
- Recommend to the County Board the payment or rejection of all claims
- Maintain a continuous internal audit of the revenues, expenditures, and financial records of all county offices
- Improve public access to public information through continuing development of technology
- Maintain a file of all contracts entered into by the County Board and all authorized county officers
- Audit for compliance with state and federal laws and county policies
- Audit the inventory of all real and personal property owned by the County
- Maintain high quality standards with increasing workloads and demands through continuing development of technology
- Receive Government Finance Officers Association recognition for financial reporting

## PERFORMANCE INDICATORS

|   | FY2015 | FY2016    | FY2017   |
|---|--------|-----------|----------|
| Indicator   | Actual | Projected | Budgeted |
| Receive a clean audit report from the County's external auditor | Yes    | Yes       | Yes      |
| Receive GFOA Certificate of Achievement – CAFR                  | Yes    | Yes       | Yes      |
| Receive GFOA Award for Outstanding Achievement - PAFR           | Yes    | Yes       | Yes      |

| Number of accounting transactions          | 96,525 | 96,000 | 96,000 |
|--|--------|--------|--------|
| Number of Accounts Payable Checks remitted | 18,496 | 18,000 | 17,750 |