

# **Chief Financial Officer**

## *Regional Income Tax Agency (RITA)*

Brecksville, Ohio

RITA is a municipal taxation and collection agency currently serving 240 member municipalities located in 66 counties throughout the state of Ohio. RITA also administers municipal tax collection and distribution for nineteen joint economic development districts, four joint economic development zones and one enterprise zone. The total population served by RITA now exceeds 1.8 million citizens, with tax collections approaching \$1.2 billion. RITA's administrative headquarters is located in the Cleveland Metropolitan area and is represented by regional offices located in the cities of Worthington, Youngstown, Cleveland Heights, and Mentor.

The CFO directs and controls the financial operations of RITA in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles and provides analysis of the business impact of future strategies for the Agency, making decisions and submitting recommendations to the Board of Trustees. The CFO reports directly to the Board of Trustees through the Agency's Executive Director, administering an operating budget of \$22 million and directly supervising and evaluating the work of five employees; *Assistant Finance Director, Manager, Municipal Services, Building Maintenance Superintendent, and Internal Auditor*. RITA functions like a nimble, private sector entity that utilizes cohesive teams of tax, finance and IT professionals working together with state-of-the-art technologies to continually improve organizational efficiency and service to its membership.

The ideal CFO will be a Certified Public Accountant but will also be someone who brings a strong set of executive management and operational skills to the position. At least seven (7) years of management-level experience within a comparable public or private sector organization is required. Previous financial management experience in tax administration or municipal finance is a plus. A college degree in accounting, finance, business or public administration or a closely related field is also required. The salary range is **\$106,407 - \$154,290** (DOQ) with an attractive benefit package offered. Please view the comprehensive recruitment brochure below.

To be considered for this exceptional career opportunity, please submit *electronically* your cover letter, resume and salary history no later than **June 15, 2015** to: **Clark Wurzberger, The Mercer Group, Inc.**; Email: [cwurzberger@mercergroupinc.com](mailto:cwurzberger@mercergroupinc.com); Phone: (530) 637-4559 (PST) Fax: (530) 637-1048. RITA is an **Equal Opportunity Employer**.

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