



**Finding Leaders is assisting the Maple Heights City Schools Board of Education search for a new CFO/Treasurer.**

### **ABOUT THE COMMUNITY**

The City of Maple Heights is ideally situated just 9 miles from both Downtown Cleveland, Ohio and University Circle employment hubs, with optimal access to Interstate Highways I-480, I-271, I-77 each in very close proximity. Maple Heights is also home to our region's Norfolk Southern Intermodal rail yard, which serves as a direct pipeline for freight traffic to and from the Port of Cleveland – connecting both commercial trucking and interstate rail commodities with the Great Lakes Seaway and further international markets.

Nearly 25,000 residents call Maple Heights home and frequent the City's commercial districts – which host a diverse range of locally owned shops, eateries and national chains. The Cleveland-Akron-Canton Combined Statistical Area is home to over 3.6 million people, over 1.2 million of which reside in Cuyahoga County.

### **DISTRICT INFORMATION**

- 5 buildings
- 3 elementary building on one campus
- 1 Middle School,
- 1 High School
- Brand new Student Wellness and Homework center located on the High School Campus set to open January 2025.
- Total Enrollment: 2,862
- Appropriations:
- General - \$51,194,176
- Total - \$82,762,927
- City of Maple Heights total assessed value - \$346,151,910
- Certificated Employees – 221
- Non- Certificated – 180
- Admin – 50
- Average Teachers' Salaries – \$69,003
- Operating Millage – 40.10
- Cost/Student - \$17,803

## **TIMELINE**

- Announce Vacancy- **December 23, 2024**
- Deadline for applications- **February 10, 2024, 2024**
- Initial Finding Leaders interviews – **Thru February 17, 2025**
- Board Interviews- **March 3- 10 2025**
- Approve Contract At conclusion of interviews - **By April 1, 2025**
- Treasurer Begins - **August 1, 2025 or earlier**

## **APPLICATION**

- Interested individuals are invited to submit an application including the following:
  - a letter emphasizing qualifications and reason for your interest in the position,
  - a current resume,
  - a copy of current Ohio Treasurer License,
  - 3 letters of reference
  - **Send the application to Ed Vittardi at [edvittardi2@gmail.com](mailto:edvittardi2@gmail.com)**
- Please direct questions to:
- Edward Vittardi: [edvittardi2@gmail.com](mailto:edvittardi2@gmail.com) (216-701-0500)
- Steve Farnsworth: [stevefarnsworth30@gmail.com](mailto:stevefarnsworth30@gmail.com) (216- 225-2787)

## **COMPENSATION**

The board will provide a competitive compensation package. A multiyear contract with provisions for annual review and evaluations will be offered. The actual salary and fringe benefits will be commensurate with the education and experience of the candidate

## **MAPLE HEIGHTS CITY SCHOOLS BOARD OF EDUCATION**

- President: Alonzo Blackwell
- Vice President: Rosalind Moore
- Member: Rachel Cheeks
- Member: Sherria Granger
- Member: HerBrina Shepard

## **QUALIFICATIONS**

The Maple Heights Board of Education identified the following qualifications as being of particular importance for the position of treasurer. The Board seeks a candidate with

- Possess excellent leadership abilities and commitment to the highest personal, professional and financial standards
- Honor and embrace the vision and mission of Maple Heights City Schools
- Foster collaborative partnerships with staff, parents, guardians, community leaders, local businesses, and other important stakeholders
- Possess excellent administrative financial skills
- Demonstrate integrity with high standards of honesty, ethics, transparency, and personal conduct
- Provide leadership in the development and of the district's financial forecasting
- Be an innovative and forward-thinking leader

*Employment opportunities are offered without regard to age, race, color, religion, ancestry, national origin, citizenship status, gender, or handicap.*

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