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Estimator (@one Alliance)

The Role:

The postholder will work within an integrated delivery team, and is accountable to the Commercial Manager for the provision to the IPL and their respective teams of robust estimates and pricing documentation of a project or programme of projects from inception through to start on site. You will have responsibility to ensure that the IPL and their respective delivery team have a full understanding of the estimates incorporating the right standard of quality and safety whilst also ensuring maximum efficiencies are taken account of and that full compliance with the Alliance and Anglian Water governance procedures has been followed.

Key Responsibilities:

Responsible for the provision of cost estimates up to appropriate delivery milestone within the programme area

Develop estimating working practices within the programme area

Ensure governance of all stakeholders is achieved within agreed timescales

Ensure stakeholder costs are broken down to an appropriate level at the respective delivery milestones

Provide high level solution costs for risk and value process evaluation

Ensure documentation for delivery milestone submissions is in place on time and quality

Compile and submit to IProcT initial requisition procurement schedule to identify forward demand

Ensure that the challenge of sustainability is recognised within the proposed solution including carbon benefits

Ensure timeliness of handover of construction estimating pack at appropriate milestone

Ensure pricing pack meets appropriate quality and standards

Liaise with third parties and stakeholders as appropriate

Responsible for the utilisation and implementation of standard products within the estimating package

Lean techniques, to increase predictability and productivity whilst reducing waste

Ensure programme and estimating package are aligned

Maintain the programme area estimating database and verify against actual cost data

Support the commercial team in cost base submission and verification

Ensure the delivery team have a clear understanding of delivery strategy

Solution cost build ups including detailed scheme breakdowns for gang structure, materials and production outputs provided at pre-start meeting

Clear understanding of financial issues of each scheme

Maintain an awareness of new developments on project processes and propose modifications to any area of the project so that the Alliance makes best use of technological developments

Maintain regular contact with the IProcT to ensure procurement needs are managed in a timely manner

Early identification of schemes where specialist capability is required and engage 'best for task' supply chain

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Key measures & targets:

You will be responsible for the successful delivery of a robust solution cost estimate of projects or programme of projects whilst achieving maximum efficiencies in full compliance with all Alliance and Anglian Water governance procedures.

Key relationships:

Delivery Manager; Estimating Manager and Estimating Team

Person Specification:

The successful candidate is likely to meet all of the following criteria:

Essential

Significant estimating experience within a civils environment
Extensive practical experience of general civils, particularly installation of pipelines, shafts, M&E fit out of pumping stations, earthworks, concrete works, roadworks
Familiarity with the way such projects are constructed, the risks and opportunities and knowledge of local supply chains and specialist subcontractors

Desirable

Use of Conquest estimating system is useful, but not essential

Benefits:

As well as offering a competitive salary, remuneration for this role includes flexible benefits, which provides a range of guaranteed benefits including but not limited to:

- Company car/car allowance
- 5% Company pension contribution
- Life Assurance at 2 x notional salary
- Single persons private medical cover
- Permanent Health Cover

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