# Penny Mathews

Construction Accountant, Project Accountant, Project Controller, Senior Project Accountant, Construction Accounting Manager West Palm Beach, FL 33401 pennymathews1@gmail.com 317-946-2008

• 15+ years of Construction and Project Accounting

Provide project job cost reports and analysis to Project Managers and Upper-Management Process and code/phase accounts payable invoices, subcontractor pay apps, track and update vendor/ subcontractor COI and job-specific requirements Coordinate with PM's in preparing monthly AIA G702/G703 Owner Draws Track owner/subcontractor project change orders during approval process prior to billing Execute subcontractor agreements packets to include verification of current COI, Conditional and Unconditional Lien Waiver requirements, and any other project-specific requirements Participate in Project Manager meetings updating job cost, budget, cost estimates, potential change

orders, subcontractor CO's, RFI's and any other project-related items

Accounting Software:

Sage 300 CRE, Sage 100, Timberline, MasterBuilder, MRI, QuickBooks, Spectrum, Computer Ease, Microsoft Outlook, Word, and Excel

Willing to relocate: Anywhere Authorized to work in the US for any employer

# Work Experience

#### **Construction Accounting Manager**

Jesse Tremain Tile & Marble, Inc & Tremain Ceramic Tile & Marble Flooring, Inc. - Indianapolis, IN Present

Perform project coordination, accounting, and reporting Reconcile bank statements monthly Process accounts payable and manage/update vendor information Coordinate with PM's to prepare AIA G702/G703 Pay Applications Process and code monthly subcontractor pay applications Track subcontractor change orders to ensure approval prior to billing Execute subcontractor agreements, verify COI, lien waiver requirements, certified payroll reports as specified in subcontract agreement Process weekly payroll Prepare certified payroll reports per contract requirements Partner with PM's to update review WIP schedule and cost to complete Collaborate with PM's in acquiring supplier bids and prepare bid documents Calculate and process monthly sales & use tax

# **Accounting Manager**

Picasso Lawn & Landscape, LLC - Indianapolis, IN August 2010 to February 2015

Set up contracts for HOA's, commercial and residential clients

Processed payroll and managed human resources for over 100+ employees

Oversee monthly invoicing for over 1,300 clients (Commercial and Residential)

Reconciled monthly bank statements, posted daily cash and credit card receipts, adjusted customer accounts

Resolved customer issues arising from billing disputes

Managed collections program and reported weekly, integrated APR collections software

Created and maintained work orders and established billing processes within our accounting software Created/assisted company website, employee email, and software programs

### **Construction Accounting Manager**

Bronger Masonry, Inc January 2007 to August 2010

Processed accounts payables and paid subcontractors upon owner's payment

Coordinated with Project Managers to update cost to complete and WIP Schedule

Managed \$1M corporate LOC: Reduced initial \$800,000 balance to \$230,000 within 6 months

Assisted with monthly general contractor draws to owners in PMI software, entered invoices into QuickBooks

Posted daily payments, made collection calls, and reconciled any discrepancies accordingly

Tracked subcontractor change orders, lien waivers, affidavits, submittals, COI's, vendor W-9's, and 1099's

Created and maintained all job-closeout documents, O&M manuals, as-built drawings

Collaborated with PM's in retrieving subcontractor bids and prepared bid documents throughout entire process

Assisted with certified payroll

#### **Construction Accountant**

Metro Construction Corporation April 2004 to April 2006

Reconciled bank statements, posted JE'S, and recurring entries

Scheduled monthly meetings to update WIP schedule, verified contract amount and cost to complete Prepared draws to lender/owner or affiliates

Code accounts payable, sub/vendor payments and track lien waivers before releasing payments Reconciled trial balance monthly to sub-ledgers and posted inter-company transactions Recorded company credit card expenses and allocated to overhead account or to appropriate project Executed and maintained subcontracts, vendor PO's, change orders, COI, W-9's and 1099 issuance

#### **Project Accountant**

Duke Realty Corporation November 1997 to April 2004

Tenant Finish Division - Project Accountant to Indianapolis & Chicago Offices Assisted over 's between the two offices Project setup and maintenance Processed and coded job-specific monthly subcontract pay apps verifying change orders Assisted PM's with monthly construction draws Reviewed job cost reports with direction from Project Managers Tracked owner/subcontract change orders, lien waivers, and job closeout documents Assisted in developing Project Accountant Job Cost Procedures Manual

#### **Construction Accountant**

Tank Construction & Service Company, Inc November 1989 to November 1997

Reviewed and analyzed job cost reports, estimated cost to complete to update WIP schedule Processed overhead and supplier invoices and allocated credit card expenses accordingly Prepared AIA billings, reviewed and collected outstanding receivables Collected backup document support invoices and labor for time and material billings Managed all aspects of job cost discrepancies with my discretion and direction of the Owner Prepared all bid documents for government contracts, ensured COI as required by scope of work Arranged all travel for President, office personnel, and crew leaders Assisted with payroll and certified payroll reports Handled all outgoing courier packages, UPS/FedEx/USPS

# Education

#### **Bachelor of Science in Business/Accounting**

University of Indianapolis - Indianapolis, IN 1986 to 1990

#### Skills

- Timberline (10+ years)
- Accounting Software (10+ years)
- Payroll (10+ years)
- Accounts Receivable (10+ years)
- Accounts Payable (10+ years)
- Project Accounting (10+ years)
- QuickBooks (10+ years)
- Bookkeeping (10+ years)
- Project Coordination (10+ years)
- Microsoft Excel (10+ years)
- Accounting (10+ years)
- Construction Experience (10+ years)
- Microsoft Word (10+ years)
- GAAP (10+ years)
- Sage 300 (10+ years)
- General Ledger Accounting (10+ years)
- Construction (10+ years)
- Bank Reconciliation (10+ years)

- Financial Statement Preparation (10+ years)
- Office Management
- Balance Sheet Reconciliation
- Account Reconciliation
- Journal Entries
- Cost accounting (10+ years)
- Contracts (10+ years)
- Supervising experience (5 years)
- Analysis skills
- ADP
- Profit & loss (10+ years)
- WIP (10+ years)
- MasterBuilder (4 years)
- Job Cost (10+ years)
- Account analysis
- Project Accounting (10+ years)
- Cost Estimate (10+ years)
- ERP systems (10+ years)
- Pricing
- Microsoft Outlook (10+ years)
- Microsoft Office
- Customer service
- Financial Report Writing
- Contracts
- Management
- Management
- Management
- Oil & gas
- Financial accounting
- Tax Experience
- Masonry
- Irrigation
- Microsoft Dynamics GP
- Pivot tables
- Forecasting
- Property management
- Leadership
- Cost control
- Windows
- SAP

- Budgeting
- Sage

Languages

• English - Expert

Certifications and Licenses

# Notary Public October 2015 to December 2021

# Additional Information

I'm planning to relocate within the month.