Job Title: Senior/Lead FERC Accountant

Location: Houston, TX

Experience Required: Minimum of 5+ years

Education Required: Bachelor's Degree preferred but not required

Position Type: Full Time

ABOUT KINETICA PARTNERS

Kinetica Partners LLC was formed in 2009 to acquire and/or develop assets in the natural gas midstream business, with a primary focus on gas gathering, treating, processing and transmission. Kinetica has established itself as an essential midstream service provider in the Gulf of America, operating an extensive network of pipelines and key infrastructure vital to producers in the Gulf. The company has built its reputation on reliability, availability and operational excellence.

Kinetica Partners LLC was acquired by Eckard Midstream LLC in 2023 as a platform to build a billion-dollar midstream presence that is free from debt and capitalized with 100% private capital.

JOB SUMMARY

Kinetica Partners is seeking an experienced Senior FERC Accountant with extensive, hands-on experience preparing and filing Federal Energy Regulatory Commission (FERC) financial reports. The ideal candidate must have direct experience preparing, reviewing and submitting FERC Form No. 2 (Annual Report of Major Natural Gas Companies) and FERC Form No. 3-Q (Quarterly Financial Report of Major Natural Gas Companies). This individual will own the accuracy, completeness and timely submission of required FERC financial reporting while performing general accounting functions supporting the company's natural gas pipeline operations.

This role requires a strong understanding of FERC accounting and reporting requirements, regulatory reporting standards and the ability to independently manage reporting deadlines and compliance obligations.

ESSENTIAL RESPONSIBILITIES AND DUTIES

FERC Regulatory Reporting

- Prepare, review and submit quarterly FERC Form No. 3-Q reports.
- Prepare, review and submit annual FERC Form No. 2 reports.
- Maintain a thorough understanding of the FERC Uniform System of Accounts and applicable accounting and reporting requirements.
- Ensure regulatory filings are accurate, complete, and submitted within established deadlines.
- Reconcile FERC reporting schedules to the general ledger and supporting financial records.
- Research and resolve reporting discrepancies, classification issues and regulatory accounting questions.
- Maintain supporting documentation and workpapers for all regulatory filings.
- Monitor changes in FERC regulations, reporting requirements and filing instructions.
- Coordinate with internal accounting personnel, auditors & external consultants regarding regulatory reporting matters.

General Accounting Responsibilities

- Perform general accounting functions for natural gas pipeline operations.
- Oversee revenue and gas accounting activities, including monthly reconciliations and related journal entries.
- Prepare, record and review monthly journal entries and account reconciliations.
- Maintain fixed asset accounting records, including additions, disposals, depreciation and reconciliations.
- Assist with monthly and quarterly financial close processes.
- Prepare and maintain supporting schedules for financial reporting.
- Assist with intercompany reconciliations and consolidated financial reporting.
- Support annual financial audits and tax requests by compiling schedules, workpapers and supporting documentation.
- Identify and resolve accounting discrepancies and recommend process improvements.
- Perform other accounting and reporting duties as assigned.

QUALIFICATIONS / REQUIREMENTS

Bachelor's degree in accounting preferred.
Minimum of 5 years of progressive accounting experience.
REQUIRED: Direct, hands-on experience preparing and filing both FERC Form No. 2 and FERC Form No. 3-Q reports.
Strong working knowledge of FERC accounting regulations and the Uniform System of Accounts.
Experience with natural gas pipelines, midstream operations or other regulated energy companies strongly preferred.
Demonstrated ability to independently manage regulatory reporting requirements and filing deadlines.
Experience with general ledger accounting, revenue accounting and fixed assets.
Experience with Microsoft Dynamics GP, Microsoft Business Central or other ERP/accounting systems preferred.

Candidates without direct FERC Form 2 and Form 3-Q reporting experience will not meet the minimum qualifications for this position.

KNOWLEDGE / SKILLS / ABILITIES

Advanced knowledge of FERC accounting and regulatory reporting requirements.
Strong understanding of general accounting principles and practices.
Advanced Microsoft Excel skills and proficiency with accounting software.
Exceptional analytical, problem-solving and reconciliation skills.
Strong attention to detail and commitment to accuracy.
Ability to interpret regulatory reporting instructions and apply them to financial data.
Excellent written and verbal communication skills.
Ability to work independently, prioritize competing deadlines and manage multiple responsibilities.
Strong organizational skills and ability to work in a fast-paced environment.

BENEFITS

Company-paid premiums for employee health, dental and vision insurance.
401(k) match of 100% up to 6% of annual base salary.
Company-paid life insurance.
Company-paid short-term and long-term disability insurance.
Paid vacation, sick and holiday time.

CONTACT INFORMATION

Please submit your resume and cover letter to: careers@kineticallc.com

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