

**Position Title:** Sports Economy Coordinator  
**Employed By:** Alliance for Pioneer Square  
**Reports To:** Business Strategy Manager  
**Number of Hours:** Full-time (40 hours), Temporary (April 2025 - July 2026)

Alliance for Pioneer Square is seeking an experienced community engagement professional with the skills, experience, and insight to support businesses and the greater community of Pioneer Square as we prepare for FIFA World Cup™ in June 2026.

Pioneer Square is uniquely located between the central business district, the Chinatown International District, Central Waterfront, and the stadiums. It is home to close to 600 businesses and 3,400 residents. This position will be tasked with working with the Local Organizing Committee (LOC), adjoining neighborhoods, and residents to ensure a welcoming World Cup experience and beyond for locals and international visitors. FIFA World Cup™ will be the largest event held locally since the 1962 World's Fair, is anticipated to garner over 4 billion viewers worldwide, and attract up to 1.6 million visitors to our region.

This position will require in-person meetings and office hours.

#### **DUTIES AND RESPONSIBILITIES**

- Champion short and long-term strategies specific to Pioneer Square and World Cup 2026, focusing on collaboration and information sharing
- Lead strategies on business and residential communications for planning events, information sessions, and newsletters
- Build relationships and partnerships with World Cup agencies and businesses to advocate for Pioneer Square
- Become familiar with local sports planning and economic development leaders and initiatives to proactively strategize a positive experience for Pioneer Square
- Stay informed on current local, state, national, and international World Cup trends
- Build the sports economy within Pioneer Square to create a lasting impact post World Cup 2026

#### **QUALIFICATIONS AND SKILLS**

- Connector who is passionate about bringing people and ideas together
- Strong communicator, both verbally and written, who can build positive working relationships with external partners, business owners, City leaders, sports organizations, and neighborhood support staffs
- Solid background in innovative connectivity approaches
- Demonstrated experience in working with media on business-supportive messaging
- Creativity and problem-solving attitude with sensitivity to multiple partners and points of view

- Goal-oriented thinker and doer who can set clear priorities among multiple tasks and stay focused on benchmarks and deadlines
- Collaborative mindset to overcome barriers to success

## **COMPENSATION**

- Pay: \$75,000 - \$80,000 annually
- Benefits:
  - 100% Employer Paid Health Insurance
  - Transit Benefit
  - Cell Phone Reimbursement
  - Retirement Plan
  - Vacation and Holiday Time
  - Paid Sick and Safe Time

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To apply please submit your resume and cover letter to: [jobs@pioneersquare.org](mailto:jobs@pioneersquare.org). No phone calls please. Applications will be reviewed on an ongoing basis until the position is filled.