



TITLE: Assistant Head Lifeguard

STATUS OF EMPLOYMENT: Seasonal

SALARY CLASSIFICATION: Hourly - Starting at \$11.50/per hr.

BENEFITS: Participation in the Ohio Public Employees Retirement System
Eligible for \$150 Performance Stipend

GENERAL STATEMENT OF DUTIES:

To assist the Head Lifeguard in supervising the operation of a swimming facility for Summit Metro Parks in order to provide safe swimming and beach activity for park visitors.

SUPERVISION RECEIVED:

Reports to the Park Manager, Assistant Park Manager, Ranger in Charge of Aquatics, Chief of Rangers or Head Lifeguard.

SUPERVISION EXERCISED:

Supervise all lifeguards at the designated park in absence of Head Lifeguard.

DUTIES AND RESPONSIBILITIES:

- A. Perform maintenance and service functions as outlined in the lifeguard guidelines and/or assigned by the park manager.
- B. Performs all the duties of a lifeguard.
- C. Enforces Park District rules and regulations on the waterfront area.
- D. Participates in the safety and risk management program of the Park District.
- E. Assists with instruction of weekly in-service trainings.
- F. Performs related duties as assigned by the Area Manager, Assistant Area Manager and Head Lifeguard.

QUALIFICATIONS:

- 1. **Education:**
High School Graduate or GED. Associates Degree preferred.
- 2. **Experience:**
Minimum of (2) two years of experience as a lifeguard at a pool or preferably a beach.

3. Knowledge and abilities:
 - A. Ability to deal courteously with the public and staff.
 - B. Ability to make prompt response to an emergency.
 - C. Demonstrated emotional intelligence, including self-awareness and accurate self-assessment, sensitivity and empathy, openness, reliability, trust, and consistency.

4. Licenses and Certifications:
 - A. Must have successfully completed and be current in the American Red Cross Lifeguard Training Course (or equivalent), preferably the Lifeguard Training Instructor Course (LGI).
 - B. Must possess current certification in CPR/AED for the Professional Rescuer.
 - C. Must pass Red Cross Waterfront lifeguarding swim test.

5. Physical Requirements:
 - A. Physical condition adequate to perform all related duties and assignments.
 - B. While performing the duties of this job, the employee is regularly exposed to extreme outside weather conditions including temperature, humid and wet; fumes or airborne particles; and confined spaces. The employee may be exposed to the body fluids of others while performing first aid/rescue procedures.

CONDITIONS OF CONTINUED EMPLOYMENT:

Must successfully complete a one (1) month probationary period.