



Internal/External Position Vacancy

Position:	Ranger Captain
Salary/Classification:	Management and Administrative Employees - Grade 27 Starting Salary Range \$71,020-\$88,802
Benefits:	Management Benefit Package
Profile:	Under the direction of the Chief of Rangers and serving as a commissioned Peace Officer: Plan, organize, and direct work of Lieutenants, Sergeants, and Park Rangers to ensure public safety, protect natural resources and enforce park rules and regulations, and state laws.
Qualifications:	<p>Thorough understanding of criminal justice system and principles, typically acquired through a bachelor's degree. Bachelor's degree preferred. Five to ten years of law enforcement and supervision experience; fifteen years of patrol experience in law enforcement. Physical agility and stamina to perform required functions. Must pass OPOTA fitness standards. Demonstrated emotional intelligence. Supervisory, customer service, and in-depth interpersonal skills; conflict resolution, decision making, problem solving, presentation and training skills. Familiarity with natural resource field resources.</p> <p><u>Essential Physical Demands and Working Environment:</u> Employee is regularly required to stand, walk (often on uneven terrain), talk and hear; required to use hands to finger, handle or feel and to reach with hands and arms; sit, climb, balance, stoop, kneel, or crawl; taste or smell. Employee must regularly lift/move up to 25 pounds and may occasionally lift/move up to 50 pounds. Specific vision abilities required include: close, distance, color, peripheral, depth perception and focus adjustment. Employee is regularly exposed to extreme outside weather conditions including temperature, humid and wet; fumes or airborne particles, and confined spaces. Employee may be exposed to body fluids of others while performing first aid/rescues.</p>
Certifications:	Current certification as a Commissioned Peace Officer of the State of Ohio. Valid Ohio driver's license with clear driving record. Standard first aid and CPR training as a Professional Rescuer.
Hours:	Full-time position. Variable hours, including evenings and weekends.
Conditions of continued employment:	Successful completion of probationary period; achievement of drug-free workplace compliant screening results, including THC and alcohol.
Contact:	Submit a letter of inquiry and resume in PDF or WORD format to: employment@summitmetroparks.org .
Posting Date:	July 22, 2025
Closing Date:	August 12, 2025