

## PARK RANGER (PUBLIC SAFETY SERVICES)

DISTINGUISHING FEATURES OF THE CLASS: When assigned to Public Safety Services, Park Rangers are under the supervision of a higher level Public Safety employee. Park Rangers perform routine patrol, traffic direction and crowd control functions. They do not patrol the parkways, issue citations or carry a gun. They do carry an expandable baton and defensive OC chemical spray. These are temporary, seasonal positions. Does related work as required.

### EXAMPLES OF WORK: (Illustrative Only)

Patrols parks and reservations to protect the County and the general public from vandalism, disorderly conduct and violations of the law, to help provide a safe recreational environment at County facilities;

Directs and gives information to the public concerning facilities involved and participates in crowd control;

Prepares and submits periodic and other reports as required;

Assists in administration of first aid;

Directs traffic, enforcing applicable ordinances and laws;

May assist with orientation and on-boarding for new Park Rangers (Public Safety Services);

May perform other incidental tasks, as needed;

May use computer applications or other automated systems such as spreadsheets, word processing, calendar, e-mail and database software in performing work assignments.

FULL PERFORMANCE KNOWLEDGE, SKILLS, ABILITIES AND ATTRIBUTES: Good knowledge of principles and practices of first aid; good knowledge of basic law enforcement methods and techniques; working knowledge of crowd control techniques; ability to communicate effectively both orally and in writing; ability to qualify in handling firearms; ability to use computer applications such as spreadsheets, word processing, e-mail and database software; ability to read, write, speak, understand, and communicate in English sufficiently to perform the essential duties of the position; reliable; observant; physical condition commensurate with the demands of the position.

MINIMUM ACCEPTABLE TRAINING AND EXPERIENCE: A high school or equivalency diploma.

SPECIAL REQUIREMENT: Possession of a valid New York State Drivers license.

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Job Group: Flat Rate