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The Waterfront Director works under the direction of the Director and Assistant Director of Parks & Recreation, to ensure the general safety of guests and staff at the waterfront, to supervise the waterfront team and to oversee Fairfield's Aquatic Programs.

Department: Parks & Recreation **Pay Grade**: \$20 - \$25 Hourly (40 hours per week, seasonal)

General Duties and Responsibilities

- 1. Oversee the Waterfront Staff
 - Recruit, interview and hire all assistant directors, lifeguard captains, lifeguards and swimming instructors
 - Create schedules and process bi-weekly payroll for waterfront team
 - Plan and provide orientation for staff and conduct trainings as necessary
 - Maintain all physicals, certifications and training records
- 2. Ensure the safety of guests and staff at waterfront
 - Implements procedures to maintain the safety of beach patrons and staff.
 - Inspect waterfront facilities daily; report any defects to Assistant Director
 - Inspects waterfront equipment daily; restock, repair and/or make recommendations to replace as needed
- 3. Provide leadership in case of waterfront emergency
 - Orchestrate all aspects of Emergency Action Plan (EAP)
 - Complete appropriate follow up documentation for any waterfront emergency or rescue
- 4. Oversee Aquatic Programs
 - Schedule, staff and supervise swimming instruction courses
 - Liaise with Recreation Coordinator to facilitate waterfront games and activities
- 5. Maintain highest level of customer service
 - Maintain visible presence on waterfront; regularly interact with & engage guests
 - Expedite response to patron feedback
- 6. Administrative Function
 - Orders all supplies, equipment and uniforms for waterfront within budget allocations
 - Prepares required reports and maintains records for Town departments.
 - Perform staff evaluations
 - Attends meetings and performs other related duties as required.
 - Produce an annual report compiling relevant statistics and recommendations for improvement to be reviewed by the Recreation Director

Qualifications

- 1. Must hold current/valid Red Cross certificates in Waterfront Lifeguarding, Water Safety Instruction, CPR/AED for the Professional rescuer and First Aid.
- 2. Must hold valid Red Cross Instructorship to teach Waterfront Lifeguarding, Water Safety Instruction, CPR/AED for the Professional rescuer and First Aid and all swimming classes in the Red Cross Learn to Swim program.
- 3. Must have experience in Lifeguarding and Aquatics Management
- 4. Must possess a valid driver's license.