Range 94
Recreation & Community Services
and Child Care Services
Exempt Salary Schedule

INSTRUCTOR/LIFEGUARD II

DEFINITION

Under general supervision, conduct swimming lessons for children and adults; assist in the supervision of the pool, pool deck and locker room areas; responsible for the safety of patrons and the facility; and perform other duties as assigned.

EXAMPLES OF DUTIES

Instruct adult and child program participants in swimming and diving classes; enforce safety and facility regulations; maintain a high level of physical and mental fitness; lifeguard and supervise the pool deck; and responsible for safety of program participants.

QUALIFICATIONS

Knowledge of

Programs offered by the Recreation and Community Services Department, Recreation Division policies and procedures; aquatic program policies and procedures; water safety instruction skills and techniques; lifesaving techniques.

Ability to

Conduct swimming classes as required; supervise the pool and pool deck; use good judgment, discretion and initiative; react appropriately in emergency situations; maintain and establish cooperative working relationships; carry out oral and written instructions; and supervise recreation program participants.

Certificates

Must maintain current Lifeguard Certificate; current First Aid and CPR cards.

Experience

Equivalent to one year lifeguarding and two years of swimming experience preferred.

Education

Completion of the eleventh grade preferred.

Physical Performance Requirements

Swimming, standing or walking much of the time with frequent bending, stooping, squatting and twisting. Ability to perform water rescues (involving swimming and assisting another individual at a distance of 50 yards) is essential. May be required to lift an adult or child out of the water onto the pool deck. The physical activities that may be performed on a daily basis include, but are not limited to, set-up and breakdown of equipment required for lessons and recreational swim.

<u>Licenses</u>

Possession of a valid California Driver's License, if required.

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