

G.V.R.D. TITLE: Park Patroller

POSITION DESCRIPTION

NO: 569

Date: April 11, 1991

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PURPOSE OF POSITION:

Under daily supervision of Park Operator, to perform a variety of patrol, public relations and enforcement of park regulation duties, in addition to periodic parks maintenance work. Participates actively on Area team to achieve Departmental goals.

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DUTIES: (The duties described are intended to be representative of the position and are not to be considered as all-inclusive.)

Patrols one or more Regional parks on foot, by vehicle, or by boat or other appropriate means.

Enforces park regulations and by-laws as required and ensures compliance by the public.

Maintain records and writes reports.

Checks broken, damaged or dangerous park facilities and repairs or reports thereon.

Provides information to park users.

Observes any illegal activities and takes appropriate action.

Assists injured, disoriented or lost park users.

Represents the Regional Parks Department to the general public.

Works on garbage pick-up, litter clean up, equipment operation or such maintenance parks work as assigned on a limited basis.

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REQUIREMENTS: (Minimum to fill position)

Grade 12 graduation or equivalent, plus a minimum of one year's related experience. Ability to use tact and judgement in dealing with the public. Good English language skills, both verbal and written. Valid B.C. Driver's License. Good physical condition and demonstrated ability to walk long distances. Ability to obtain a health certificate for Watershed entry. Good judgement in interpreting park regulations. Some knowledge of the operation of relevant park equipment or machinery.

Basic First Aid Certification or ability to obtain same. Bronze Cross where appropriate.