

## **LIFEGUARD LIEUTENANT**

Code No: 3-15-040

NON-COMPETITIVE for Part-time positions for  
Monroe County Departments and Town of Perinton  
Only

**DISTINGUISHING FEATURES OF THE CLASS:** This senior-level lifeguard position is responsible for supervising a shift of lifeguards in patrolling a public beach or swimming pool. Employees are also responsible for patrolling the assigned bathing area and ensuring bathers' safety and welfare. This position may require employees to work rotating shifts and weekends. The work is performed on a seasonal or full-time basis under the direct supervision of a Lifeguard Captain or other appropriate staff member. Direct supervision is exercised over Lifeguards. Does related work as required.

**TYPICAL WORK ACTIVITIES:** (All need not be performed in a given position. Other related activities may be performed although not listed.)

Stands watch and patrols a public beach or swimming pool, keeping bathers within safe swimming boundaries;

Maintains order on the bathing premises and enforces compliance with all applicable rules and regulations;

Supervises lifeguards on work details, such as moving border lines and cleaning beach, etc.;

Supervises and administers first aid to pool or beach users;

Applies resuscitation and other lifesaving techniques;

Rescues swimmers in danger of drowning;

Ensures availability and proper working conditions of lifesaving equipment;

Supervises and completes accident reports.

**FULL PERFORMANCE KNOWLEDGES, SKILLS, ABILITIES AND PERSONAL CHARACTERISTICS:** Good knowledge of lifesaving techniques and first aid; good knowledge of resuscitation techniques, including cardiopulmonary resuscitation; good knowledge of the use and care of lifesaving equipment; ability to swim well and make surface dives; ability to pass water safety tests; ability to maintain order on the bathing premises; ability to follow oral and written directions; ability to supervise the work of others; ability to effect a rescue; courtesy, maturity, integrity; ability to deal effectively with people; physical condition commensurate with the demands of the position.

**MINIMUM QUALIFICATIONS:** One (1) season of experience as a lifeguard.

**SPECIAL REQUIREMENTS:** Current possession of a Lifeguard Training Certificate AND a CPR (cardiopulmonary resuscitation) for the Professional Rescuer Certificate, OR equivalent certifications by a recognized certifying agency acceptable to the New York State Department of Health at the time of appointment (such as the YMCA and Boy Scouts).

**WHEN ASSIGNED TO THE MONROE COUNTY PARKS DEPARTMENT** candidates must possess:

- Lifeguarding/Waterfront Lifeguarding/First Aid Certificate issued by the American Red Cross\* AND
- CPR/AED (cardiopulmonary resuscitation/automated external defibrillator) for the Professional Rescuer Certificate; OR,
- Equivalent certifications by a recognized certifying agency acceptable to the New York State Department of Health (such as the YMCA and Boy Scouts).

**\*Older certificates will require all of the following:**

- Waterfront Lifeguarding American Red Cross Certificate which may have n/a for the expiration date. All Waterfront Lifeguarding Certificates with n/a in the expiration date field will expire on June 30, 2010.
- Lifeguarding with First Aid.
- CPR for the Professional Rescuer.

If you are appointed, you will be required to have a valid license to operate a motor vehicle in New York State or otherwise demonstrate your capacity to meet the transportation needs of the job.

**ADOPTED:** October 11, 1984

**REVISED:** April 3, 2008

Approved Non-Competitive for Town of Perinton on April 7, 2009 by State Civil Service Commission action

**ADDITIONAL INFORMATION:**

Depending on the position duties, candidates for employment with the Monroe County Government will be required to pass a pre-employment drug test.