



Job Title: Superintendent of Parks & Natural Resources

Agency: Freeport Park District

Closing Date: August 9, 2019

Starting Annual Salary: \$68,000 – 72,000

Objective: Freeport Park District is seeking an experienced manager to oversee the District's Parks department and natural resources management.

Qualifications: Must have Bachelor's degree (BA/BS) in Parks Management, Landscape Architecture, Horticulture, Urban Forestry or closely related field with a minimum of 5 years of experience including 3 years supervisory experience. Working knowledge of principles and practices forestry, horticulture, natural resource management including restoration planning and implementation is required. Candidates with the following training and certificates preferred; Certified Park and Recreation Professional (CPRP); Certified Pool Operator (CPO) or equivalent; playground inspection (CPSI); pesticide spray application; certifications with an associated horticulture or arboriculture association and prescribed burns. Must possess a valid driver's license and a satisfactory motor vehicle record.

Duties: Responsible for the professional work planning, organization and management of Parks department operations and natural resources. Oversees and manages day to day park department operations; park landscape planning; horticultural and arboriculture evaluation and maintenance; preventative building maintenance; custodial duties; maintenance of recreation facilities including aquatics center; local and regional trail planning and maintenance; vehicle and equipment fleet management; capital project oversight; and other duties as listed in job description.

To Apply: Send resume and a cover letter to:

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