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**PART TIME JOB OPPORTUNITY**

**LIFEGUARD II**

**DATE POSTED: March 9, 2022**  
**LOCATION: Parks & Recreation**  
**SALARY: \$18.00 / hr**

**Open 7 days a week**  
**Schedule flexibility**

**Visit: <https://watertown-portal.mycivilservice.com/jobopps> to apply to  
current openings.**

**A complete job description is attached.**

*Amie McIntyre*  

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**Executive Secretary**

## **LIFEGUARD II** **(SEASONAL)\***

**GENERAL STATEMENT OF DUTIES:** Looks after the safety and welfare of bathers at a public swimming pool or beach; does related work as required.

**DISTINGUISHING FEATURES OF THE CLASS:** This work consists primarily of patrol of the swimming area at a public pool or beach. An employee must be capable of exercising sound judgment in emergencies. The employee is given added supervising responsibilities over Lifeguard I employees.

**EXAMPLES OF WORK:** (Illustrative only)

- Stands watch or patrols pool or beach keeping bathers within bounds and going to their aid when they are in difficulty;
- Applies resuscitation techniques and otherwise renders first aid;
- Instructs intermediate and advance swimmers;
- Keeps the pool free of glass and other debris;
- Keeps order among swimmers;
- Enforces pool or beach rules.

**FULL PERFORMANCE KNOWLEDGES, SKILLS, ABILITIES AND PERSONAL CHARACTERISTICS:**

- Good knowledge of first aid, life saving and rescue work as applies to accidents in the water;
- Ability to swim well;
- Ability to deal with the public and to secure cooperation without unnecessary antagonism;
- Ability to make simple reports;
- Good observation;
- Mental alertness; good moral character; excellent physical condition.

**ACCEPTABLE EXPERIENCE AND TRAINING:** Completion of two years of high school or an equivalent combination of experience and training; and two (2) years experience in life-guarding.

**SPECIAL QUALIFICATIONS REQUIRED FOR ACCEPTANCE OF APPLICATION:**

American Red Cross CPR; Basic Life Support or acceptable equivalent under the NYS Department of Public Health; American Red Cross Lifeguard Training per NYS Department of Health, Sanitary Code, Public Health Law Section 226 – Subpart 6-1-(k).

**DRIVER'S LICENSE REQUIREMENT-** No license requirement.

\*Memorial Day to Labor Day – ST. CSS 4-30-96

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