

**Lift Operator****Nature of Work**

Under close supervision of the park superintendent, with some latitude for the exercise of independent judgement. Performs skilled work as a tramway operator, chair lift operator, T-Bar or rope tow operator. Controls the passenger loading operations and is responsible for the safety of passengers. Performs related work as required.

**Examples of Work**

Makes daily inspections of lift machinery, including surrounding areas that may indicate operational hazards.  
Operates lift to transport passengers and materials to and from destination.  
Assists in rescues and evacuations.  
Renders first aid when necessary.  
Conducts and controls passengers in the lift vehicle.  
Exercises judgment in loading and unloading passengers and operating the lift involving the regulations of speed or decisions of operational safety.  
Performs maintenance on motorized equipment.  
Performs repairs; makes adjustments; cleans and lubricates all machinery.  
May supervise attendants.  
Maintains a count of passengers transported.  
Promotes and maintains the good will of park guests and the general public.

**Knowledge, Skills and Abilities**

Knowledge of electrical and gasoline operated motors and their capabilities.  
Knowledge of machinery and safe practices.  
Ability to render first aid.  
Ability to work harmoniously with associates.  
Ability to meet and deal with the general public, and to enforce regulations with tact and courtesy.  
Ability to work in high places and under conditions involving exposure to considerable noise, extreme cold and heat.  
Ability to prepare simple reports.  
Ability to understand and follow oral and written instructions.  
Ability to direct and supervise the work of others.

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**Minimum Qualifications**

TRAINING Graduation from a standard high school or the equivalent.

EXPERIENCE Two years of employment in one of the mechanical trades such as plumbing, electrical, rigging, machinist, etc.

SPECIAL REQUIREMENT Must be able to pass a physical examination prior to employment and one every twelve months thereafter.

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