

Market Range Detail - Parks Manager

Effective Date

November 28, 2011

Market Range Title Description

Positions in this market range title are responsible for leading the overall operations, maintenance, field management, natural resource interpretation, and planning for all parks within the Maricopa County Parks Department. Primary responsibilities include: managing the operations of all County regional park sites through subordinate staff; coordinating with and providing oversight to staff, architects, engineers, planners, consultants, contractors and others involved in the construction of parks and recreation facilities; developing and performing complex or specialized planning analysis, research, field investigations, proposals and recommendations; conducting special studies relating to operational trends and performing needs assessments to analyze program delivery; establishing goals, strategies and priorities for activities provided by the Department; managing assigned staff including monitoring and evaluating performance, training, coaching and counseling staff.

The Parks Manager is differentiated from the Parks Superintendent by a greater scope of responsibility for managing the operations of all Maricopa County Parks under the direction of the Director – Parks & Recreation whereas the Parks Superintendent is responsible for managing the operations of multiple parks under the direction of the Parks Manager.

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Minimum Hourly Rate	Midpoint / Hiring Maximum	Maximum Hourly Rate
\$31.60	\$40.34	\$49.08

Likely Minimum Qualifications

- Bachelor's degree in Parks & Recreation Management, Natural Resources Management, Cultural Resource Management or a related field.
- Five years professional experience in a Park or recreation related department including 3 years in a supervisory/managerial capacity.
- Equivalent combinations of education and experience may be substituted for educational requirement.

Working Titles

- Parks Operation Manager

Glossary:

Market Range Title: Broad grouping of related positions with like job responsibilities and qualifications. Market Range Titles typically include positions ranging from entry level to senior/lead level unless indicated otherwise.

Effective date: The date the salary range was implemented for use.

Market Range Title Description: Broad description of sample job duties and responsibilities of positions included in the Market Range Title. Each position included in a Market Range Title also has a job description that is specific to the department. Departments are responsible for writing and maintaining job descriptions for positions in their department. Employee Compensation is responsible for writing and maintaining Market Range Title Descriptions.

Likely Minimum Qualifications: Typical minimum qualifications for positions assigned to the Market Range Title. Because a broad group of jobs in different departments are included in a Market Range Title, minimum and preferred qualifications may vary slightly depending on the area of assignment.

Market Range: The minimum, midpoint, and maximum salary points for all positions included in the Market Range Title.

Hiring Range: The hiring range for all positions is ordinarily the minimum of the market range to the midpoint. The use of a different hiring range must be approved by Employee Compensation. Departments should use a hiring range that is within their funding capabilities and are required to comply with the County's Funded Position Policy ensuring that applicants are extended a rate that is supported by the department's budget.

Working Title: The specific title used by a department to identify a position within their organizational structure. Use of working titles is flexible and aimed to assist departments in identifying the unique functions and responsibilities of each position and is representative of the assigned Market Range Title. Ordinarily, supervisory and/or managerial titles should not be used for positions not assigned to a supervisory and/or manager Market Range Title.