

City of Ouray Job Description

Title:	Ski Tow Operator	Code:	260
Division:	Operations	Effective Date:	01/2017
Department:	City Resources	Last Revised:	

GENERAL PURPOSE

Performs a variety of operational duties of the rope tow and routine maintenance duties as needed to ensure a safe environment for patrons.

SUPERVISION RECEIVED

Works under the general supervision of the City Resource Director or Parks & Facilities Manager.

SUPERVISION EXERCISED

None.

ESSENTIAL FUNCTIONS

Performs safe operational duties of running rope tow in accordance with all safety regulations. Receives ongoing and preliminary competency training of operational procedures according to "procedures sign off" requirements.

Performs daily maintenance of the ski hill. Ensures track under the rope tow meets criteria of operation by shoveling snow into the track to enable continued use. Performs inspection of unloading and loading areas for ingress and egress of passengers per ANSI and tramway regulations. Removes debris from hillside to prevent and reduce public hazards.

Performs daily operational maintenance to the rope tow as required on check off sheets. This includes checks of the tensioning system, rope alignment, pulleys and towers, mechanical room equipment and safety equipment.

Maintains accurate daily operational logs.

Maintains hut and cage free of trash and garbage; ensures no obstruction to the operation of the rope tow mechanism.

Interacts with the public to assist in the safe and orderly enjoyment of skiing activities; Provides the ski hill user with the highest level of customer service; observes patron activities; enforces all ski tow rules consistently, tactfully and promptly; disciplines or ejects patrons for rule infractions.

Performs related duties as required.

MINIMUM QUALIFICATIONS

- 1. Education and Experience:
 - A. Sufficient education to demonstrate an aptitude to perform essential functions;

AND

- B. Sufficient experience to demonstrate maturity and ability to perform above duties;
- 2. Required Knowledge, Skills, and Abilities:

Some knowledge of standard and job-specific methods, materials and safe work practices for maintenance and operations; customer service

Ability to demonstrate physical stamina and strength to shovel snow when appropriate and be able to stand in outside winter conditions for long periods of time.

3. Special Qualifications:

Work schedule will require holidays and weekend work. May be required to be or become CPR/First Aid certified.

Work Environment:

Tasks require variety of physical activities, generally involving muscular strain, such as walking, standing, stooping, sitting, reaching and lifting. Talking, hearing and seeing essential to job performance. Common eye, hand, finger dexterity necessary in performance of essential duties. Mental application utilizes memory for details, verbal instructions and some discriminating thinking. Continuous exposure to winter weather extremes and conditions.