**Position Summary**

Under supervision, carries out all deck work normally performed by deckhand aboard District passenger vessels, including watch, and related duties as required.

**Essential Responsibilities**

- Supervises deckhands and ensures that they perform the routine duties on the vessel.
- Responsible for vessel preparation, seamanship and emergency drills and/or procedures.
- Knows and follows the safety and health rules and safe working practices applicable to his or her job.
- Establishes and maintains effective working relationships with District employees, customers, vendors and all others contacted during the course of work using principles of excellent customer service.
- Performs additional related duties as assigned.
- Regular and reliable attendance and performance are required.

**Required Knowledge, Skills and Abilities**

**Knowledge of:**

- District Policies and Labor Agreements (MOUs).
- Occupational health and safety rules and working practices applicable to this position.

**Skill in or Ability to:**

- Communicate effectively with the general public.
- Understand and carry out oral and written instructions.
- Work cooperatively with other District employees and the public.
- Assimilate and carry out emergency instructions and procedures as directed by vessel operator.
- Understand and carry out safe work practices.
Minimum Qualifications

Education and/or Experience: Marine experience/background is desirable.

Required License: Must possess and maintain a current, valid California driver’s license and satisfactory driving record. No more than two (2) moving violations within the last 3 years. No DUIs or reckless driving infractions within the last 7 years. Operates District vehicles on a regular basis.

Physical Requirement: Work outside in all weather conditions. Stand, walk, or brisk walk for long periods of time. Ability to run. Keep or regain the body’s balance. Lifting and carrying up to 50 pounds; climbing rung ladders; frequent climbing of stairs; twisting and reaching over-head; bending; pushing and pulling heavy loads; stooping and gripping. Work around chemicals, fumes, odors, and dust in an occasionally high noise level environment with appropriate personal protective equipment. Must be able to respond to emergency situations while aboard vessel including firefighting (dragging a fire hose 150’). Assisting in the rescue of a passenger overboard and assisting passengers, and other vessels in general rescue operations.