

SALARY RANGE

\$88,070.95 - \$107,050.53 Annually

Total Estimated Compensation: \$129,194 - \$148,824

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CITY OF FAIRFIELD, CALIFORNIA

PARK RANGER



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City of Fairfield, California

Fairfield, the heart of Solano County, is a diverse and growing community located halfway between San Francisco and Sacramento in the North Bay Area. With 24 parks, numerous bike trails, and two championship golf courses, Fairfield is a great family community with a population of just under 123,000 residents.

The Facts

Residents

123,000

TOTAL POPULATION

Revenues

\$392 Million

FY2027 BUDGET

Workforce

600

FULL TIME EMPLOYEES

City Council / City Manager

**Mayor & Six
Council Members**

FORM OF GOVERNMENT

City Operations

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DEPARTMENTS

It is a thriving business hub with notable international companies such as Jelly Belly, Clorox, Ball Metal, and Meyer Corporation. Fairfield offers a regional shopping center, a large auto mall, and is home to Travis Air Force Base, the County's largest employer. Bordered by farms and vineyards, the City's well-developed infrastructure and business-friendly attitude provide the foundation for strong growth and an enhanced quality of life.

In Fairfield, festivals and events occur year-round. Downtown Fairfield hosts two parades, the Certified Farmers Market, the Tomato Festival, the Blues, Brews & BBQ Festival, and the annual Holiday Tree Lighting Ceremony

A network of parks with jogging and bike paths within and around the City offer ample opportunities for hiking, picnics, and other outdoor activities.

The intimate 380-seat Downtown Theatre offers a broad range of entertainment, from comedy to concerts. The City also sponsors a variety of sports and entertainment activities for the young and young at heart at the City's Community and Adult Recreation Centers. A network of parks with jogging and bike paths within and around the City offer ample opportunities for hiking, picnics, and other outdoor activities.

Fairfield has prime commercial real estate opportunities, room for growing businesses, and a large, talented workforce.

Its central location, desirable water quality, extensive transportation networks, reasonably priced properties, and proximity to Northern California's world-famous destinations make Fairfield an attractive destination for both residents and businesses.

Our mission is to foster a sense of pride in the community, improve the lives of our residents, and deliver dependable essential services through integrity, professionalism, and fiscal responsibility.

EMPLOYEE BENEFITS HIGHLIGHTS



Retirement

CalPERS retirement benefits, plus City contributions to a 457 deferred compensation and retiree health savings.



Tuition Reimbursement

Up to \$6,000 annually.



Optional Flexible Spending Account

Accounts and health insurance opt-out incentives.



Medical

Health, dental, and vision coverage with generous City contributions.



PAID Holidays

14 paid holidays annually



Additional Pay Opportunities

May include bilingual and longevity pay for eligible employees.



Insurance

\$50,000 basic life insurance, disability coverage, and an Employee Assistance Program.



Vacation/Leave

Personal leave, vacation, and sick leave accruals.

**Visit the City of Fairfield Website for current details and eligibility requirements: [Benefits PDF](#)*



PARK RANGER: Position Overview

The Park Ranger plays a vital role in protecting and enhancing Fairfield's parks, open space, and recreational areas through public safety, resource stewardship, visitor services, and park operations. This role patrols City open space lands, Rockville Hills Regional Park, and the Dunnell property; supports visitors; assists with inspections, maintenance, and repairs; and helps coordinate volunteer and interpretive programs.



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KEY RESPONSIBILITIES



Patrol parks, trails, and open space areas to support visitor safety and enforce rules and regulations.



Protect natural, cultural, and recreational resources through stewardship, monitoring, and public education.



Inspect and help maintain trails, fences, signs, picnic areas, parking areas, and related facilities.



Respond to visitor questions, provide directions, and address concerns in a professional/welcoming manner.



Support interpretive, environmental education, and volunteer programs for the community.

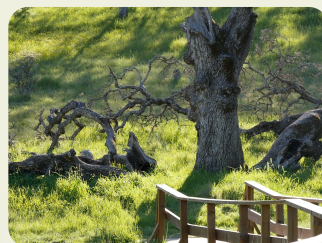


Assist with vegetation management, wildfire hazard monitoring, and habitat stewardship activities.



Provide first aid and emergency assistance when needed.

Deadline to Apply:
September 14th, 2026



Desired Experience / Qualifications

The City of Fairfield is a forward-looking organization with a long history of innovative practices. The organization prides itself on a collaborative, healthy workplace culture, and the successful candidate will embody the City's core values of **Communication, Diversity, Inclusion, Innovation, and Transparency**.



Education

Education equivalent to graduation with a two- or four-year college degree in Environmental Management, Range Management, Botany, or Park Management, Forestry, Natural Resources or closely related field is required.



Experience

- Three years of experience in regional park and open space management, operations, and maintenance, at least one year of which must be in a full-time paid Park Ranger position, or in a comparable position with similar responsibilities.
- This experience must include comprehensive training in park operations, such as training in visitor services, public safety, resource protection, facility and trail maintenance, emergency response, or park regulations and enforcement, etc.
- Experience or training in wildland firefighting and law enforcement, resource management, or related fields is desirable.



Licensing & Certifications

- Possession of a valid Class C California driver's license is required and must be maintained throughout employment.
- Possession of a valid equivalent is acceptable during the application process.
- Possession of, or the ability to obtain within twelve (12) months of appointment, a Qualified Applicator Certificate (QAC) issued by the California Department of Pesticide Regulation is desirable when assigned duties involving vegetation management and pesticide application.
- Must possess, or obtain within 6 months of being hired, a standard CPR card and a Standard First Aid card. However it is recommended the individual be a certified Emergency Medical Technician (EMT).

Rockville Hills Regional Park encompasses 633 acres of beautiful grasslands and oak woodlands, with a dense mixed broadleaf forest. Its biologically rich and diverse habitats provide shelter to a variety of wildlife that make the park their home.

The Park has a long history.

It was originally inhabited by the Native Patwin people for hunting and gathering. The area's name comes from a quarry town founded in the 1850s, famous for its volcanic stone. Later, in the late 1800s, it was used as a cattle ranch, and basalt rock mining operations continued into the 20th century.

Amenities include:

- **Extensive Trail Network**
Over sixteen miles of multi-use trails.
- **Two Scenic Lakes**
Fishing and wildlife viewing areas.
- **Disc Golf Course**
An 18-hole course with varied terrain.
- **Picnic Areas**
Shaded spaces with tables and vistas.
- **Volcanic Rock Formations**
Ideal for exploring.

History & Management

Under the City of Fairfield's management, the park has transformed into a cherished local natural lands resource and community amenity. The park's natural beauty, including its grasslands, oak woodlands, and volcanic rock formations, attracts visitors for outdoor activities such as hiking, mountain biking, and wildlife viewing.

Open to the public, the varied terrain provides habitat for a wide range of wildlife, making it one of the area's richest natural landscapes. During spring, colorful wildflowers blanket the grasslands, transforming the hillsides with vibrant seasonal color.

The park's management and maintenance are carried out under the watchful eye of the City of Fairfield's Public Works Department and park personnel. Funding is supported by fees collected from visitors and the ongoing commitment of dedicated community volunteers, ensuring its upkeep and preservation.

For More
Information:
[Visit Rockville
Hills Regional
Park Webpage](#)



ABOUT ROCKVILLE HILLS PARK

Notably, the park features more than 16 miles of interconnected trails winding through oak woodlands and grasslands. The primary loop measures 2.5 miles and includes approximately 400 feet of elevation gain. Along the way, visitors are treated to scenic views of the City of Fairfield and Solano County.

Trails System

The extensive trail network accommodates a variety of outdoor activities and skill levels. Whether you're looking for a leisurely hike or an exciting mountain biking adventure, the park offers routes ranging from gentle, beginner-friendly paths to more technical trails favored by experienced riders and hikers. The interconnected trail system allows visitors to customize their route and explore the park's diverse landscape at their own pace.

For those willing to make the climb, the park's higher elevations reward visitors with sweeping panoramic views of the surrounding landscape. On clear days, vistas extend to Mount Diablo, Elkhorn Peak, the Twin Sisters, the Carquinez Strait, Green Valley, and portions of the Sacramento–San Joaquin Delta. These scenic overlooks are among the park's most memorable highlights and provide excellent opportunities for photography, wildlife observation, and simply taking in the beauty of Solano County.



Download the complete trail map and guide:
[Rockville Hills Regional Park Trail Map \(PDF\)](#)



How to Apply

Sequence Staffing has been exclusively retained by the City of Fairfield to conduct this Park Ranger recruitment in partnership with the City's Human Resources Department. Interested candidates should apply directly through the City of Fairfield's Careers Page (fairfield.ca.gov/jobs).

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