

VIPS OPPORTUNITIES

Opportunities include but are not limited to the following:

Citizens Mobile Patrol - Acting as additional "eyes and ears", these volunteers patrol all neighborhoods, gated communities, parks and businesses within the City. They are in direct contact with Police Communications to report suspicious activity, persons, and public safety concerns.

Explorer Post - The Palm Beach Gardens Police Explorer program is for young men and women, ages 14 through 20, who are interested in a career in law enforcement. The Explorer program emphasizes community involvement, character development and leadership.

Special Events - Volunteers are asked to help the Police Department at various emergencies and special events throughout the year. These volunteers represent the Department at events by answering questions, distributing literature and providing resources to the citizens.

Chaplain Corps - Our Chaplain assists department personnel in handling a variety of crisis situations and provides our citizens with service in time of personal crisis or tragedy. While this volunteer position has limited openings, our Chaplain can always use a helping hand.

Administrative Assistance - Volunteers assist with fingerprinting of civilians, with delivery of court paperwork, and with various other clerical duties which may include filing, typing, photo copying, stuffing envelopes, answering phones etc.

Volunteers Coordinator - Our Volunteer Coordinator schedules volunteers for details, tracks the monthly detail hours and works with the Director of Volunteer Services.

Honor Guard - Musically inclined volunteers are part of our Police Honor Guard and provide both bagpipe and drum accompaniment at celebrations and special events.

Neighborhood Watch - This volunteer coordinates the Neighborhood Watch Program within the various communities and neighborhoods. The Neighborhood Watch program empower our citizens to work together to help reduce crime as well as watch for and report unusual activity around residences and businesses.

Are you interested in learning more about being part of our VIPS program? Contact Tom Murphy at 561.799.4513 or at tfmurphy@pbgfl.com to learn more.