

Los Angeles County Sheriff's Department

### **OUR CORE VALUES**

As a leader in the Los Angeles County Sheriff's Department,

I commit myself to honorably perform my duties with

**Respect** for the dignity of all people,

**Integrity** to do right and fight wrongs,

**Wisdom** to apply common sense and fairness in all I do and

**Courage** to stand against racism, sexism, anti-Semitism, homophobia, and bigotry in all its forms.

### **VOLUNTEER MISSION STATEMENT**

The Los Angeles County Sheriff's Department Civilian Volunteers are dedicated to providing excellent service through relationships that build trust, create a safe environment, and enhance the quality of life in our communities within a "Tradition of Service."



Station Front Lobby



Station Detective Bureau



Rowland Heights Service Center



Volunteers on Patrol

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# **Civilian Volunteers and Volunteers on Patrol**



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## What is a Civilian Volunteer?

The Los Angeles County Sheriff's Department has long recognized the vast resources of experience and skills possessed by its' county residents and the surrounding communities. The purpose of volunteers is to tap into these skills to help the Sheriff's Department achieve its' goals in an effective and cost-efficient manner. The Los Angeles County Sheriff's Department views this as a means to assist those that reside in Los Angeles County by providing a service to their community.

Because members of the Volunteer Program become representatives of the Sheriff's Department, as well as representatives of city and county administration, it is imperative that they maintain an image of professionalism at all times which parallels the professionalism of the Department. Volunteers' appearance, demeanor, and professionalism must never be compromised while serving in this Program.



## What jobs are available?

Jobs vary with each station as to what is available. Below is a partial listing of jobs available at Walnut/Diamond Bar Sheriff's Station:

- ▶ Arson Watch Program
- ▶ Business Watch Program
- ▶ Computer Data Entry
- ▶ Finger Printers
- ▶ Front Counter Assistants
- ▶ Missing Juvenile Follow-up
- ▶ Neighborhood Watch
- ▶ Role Players
- ▶ Star News Reporter
- ▶ Station Tour Guides
- ▶ Volunteer On Patrol
- ▶ Rowland Heights Service Center

Volunteers on Patrol (VOP) is a team of community-spirited citizens performing non-hazardous patrol duties including: residential vacation checks, park safety checks, conducting traffic control, issuing parking citations, and performing directed patrol assignments.

The VOP's patrol the cities of Walnut and Diamond Bar, and the unincorporated County area of Rowland Heights.

## What are the requirements?

In order to become a Volunteer, you must meet the following criteria:

- ▶ Be 18 years of age or older.
- ▶ Not been convicted of a felony crime, or certain misdemeanor crimes.
- ▶ Emotionally stable.
- ▶ Not be addicted to any legal or illegal substance, including alcohol or prescription drugs.
- ▶ Undergo a background investigation.
- ▶ Work a minimum of 16 hours per month.
- ▶ Attend scheduled or emergency meetings.
- ▶ VOP's must have a valid California Driver's License.
- ▶ Provide a completed and signed application form.

## How do I join?

If you are interested in joining, please contact Volunteer Coordinator Sergeant Mark Saldecke, 909-595-2264 x2014, or e-mail at [mcsaldec@lasd.org](mailto:mcsaldec@lasd.org).

Applications are available at Walnut/Diamond Bar Sheriff's Station.