

# V.I.P.S. VOLUNTEER APPLICATION



## KENT POLICE VOLUNTEERS IN POLICE SERVICES

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### Personal Information:

Full Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Nickname: \_\_\_\_\_  
First MI Last

Maiden/other names used: \_\_\_\_\_

Street Address: \_\_\_\_\_ City: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

E-Mail Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Number (home): \_\_\_\_\_ (cell): \_\_\_\_\_

Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_ Social Security No.: \_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_  
Month Day Year

Place of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_

Driver's License Number: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_

Emergency Contact: \_\_\_\_\_  
Name Relation Phone Number

Legal U.S. Resident: ☐ Yes ☐ No

### Criminal Record:

The Kent Police conduct a criminal history background on all applicants for volunteer positions. The following questions must be answered by all applicants.

Have you been convicted of a felony or released from prison within the last seven (7) years?

☐ No ☐ Yes Please explain: \_\_\_\_\_

Have you been convicted, of a misdemeanor within the last 3 years?

☐ No ☐ Yes Please explain: \_\_\_\_\_

### Schooling:

|               | Name | City/State | Dates Attended/Degree |
|---------------|------|------------|-----------------------|
| High School   |      |            |                       |
| College/Other |      |            |                       |

## Employment History *(Please start with present or most recent employer):*

Employer Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Employed From \_\_\_\_\_ Reason for leaving: \_\_\_\_\_

Position: \_\_\_\_\_ Supervisor: \_\_\_\_\_

Job duties: \_\_\_\_\_

Employer Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Employed From \_\_\_\_\_ Reason for leaving: \_\_\_\_\_

Position: \_\_\_\_\_ Supervisor: \_\_\_\_\_

Job duties: \_\_\_\_\_

## Personal References:

*Please list three (3) people whom we may contact for character reference. These individuals **may not** be relatives or former employers and must be people you have know for at least 3 years.*

1. Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_  
☐ Home ☐ Cell ☐ Work

Street address: \_\_\_\_\_ City: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Number of years known: \_\_\_\_\_ Relationship to applicant: \_\_\_\_\_

2. Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_  
☐ Home ☐ Cell ☐ Work

Street address: \_\_\_\_\_ City: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Number of years known: \_\_\_\_\_ Relationship to applicant: \_\_\_\_\_

3. Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_  
☐ Home ☐ Cell ☐ Work

Street address: \_\_\_\_\_ City: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Number of years known: \_\_\_\_\_ Relationship to applicant: \_\_\_\_\_

## Questions Regarding Volunteering for Kent Police VIPS

1. Why do you want to volunteer with VIPS? \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

2. Have you volunteered before? (Please give name of organization and dates): \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

3. Do you have any relatives or friends currently employed by or volunteering for the Kent Police Department?

☐ No ☐ Yes If so, name of individual(s): \_\_\_\_\_

4. Are you able to work the 10 hours a month minimum as a VIPS member? ☐ No ☐ Yes

5. Approximately how many hours would you be able to volunteer each week/month? \_\_\_\_\_

6. Do you require accommodations or special conditions to perform the volunteer tasks? \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

7. What equipment related to the volunteer position you are applying for can you operate? (radio, phone, car, etc.)  
\_\_\_\_\_

Other applicable skills or experience: \_\_\_\_\_

Are you able to lift 35 pounds? ☐ No ☐ Yes

What languages besides English are you fluent in? \_\_\_\_\_  
☐ Read ☐ Speak ☐ Write

Do you prefer to volunteer: ☐ Indoors ☐ Outdoors ☐ No Preference

What day(s) and time(s) would you prefer to volunteer?

\_\_\_\_\_  
☐ Sunday ☐ Monday ☐ Tuesday ☐ Wednesday ☐ Thursday ☐ Friday ☐ Saturday

What date would you be available to start volunteering? \_\_\_\_\_  
Date

**IMPORTANT: THE FOLLOWING MUST BE FILLED OUT IN FULL AND SIGNED.**

Can you perform the essential tasks, with reasonable accommodations, as listed in the Volunteer Opportunity Outline?      ☐ Yes   ☐ No

I swear or affirm that all statements in this application form are true and correct to the best of my knowledge. I understand that falsification of information on this application may result in my elimination from the VIPS program. I hereby authorize the Kent Police to conduct a background investigation, including criminal history check. I further understand that I have the right to request a report of the findings of any such investigation. I also verify that I have read and fully understand the volunteer opportunity description and application process form.

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Applicant's Signature

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Date

**Please attach a copy of your driver's license or state photo ID card and any other licenses or certifications, including First Aid and/or CPR card. Letters of recommendation are welcome.**



**Mail completed applications to:**

Kent Police  
VIPs Membership  
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