



Volunteer Opportunity

The District Attorney for El Paso and Teller Counties has a volunteer opportunity for a:

JUVENILE DIVERSION GARDEN PROGRAM ASSISTANT

The Juvenile Diversion, Garden Program Assistant will be responsible for working with the Juvenile Diversion Coordinator and their staff who engage first time offender young people in positive activities. The goal of the Garden Program is to teach gardening skills and inspire community pride while planting and maintaining a large flower bed outside of the Pioneer Museum in downtown Colorado Springs. The ideal Garden Program Assistant should be able to lift 20-30lbs, be physically able to assist with soil preparation, planting, and maintaining the flower garden each week, for 1 hour, every Thursday from 3-4pm, from mid-May, to the end of October, and most important to have a heart for young people who need positive relationships and affirmation.

Benefits of this position include:

- *Advancing the mission of the District Attorney's Office, making our community a safer place to live.*
- *Working with a great team of individuals who share common goals.*
- *Providing support as young people have an opportunity to turn their lives around*

Requirements for this position include:

- *Ability to lift 20-30lbs*
- *Able to physically assist with soil preparation, planting and garden maintenance*
- *Working knowledge of gardening basics*
- *Interest in encouraging young people who are engaging in positive activities*
- *Minimum commitment of 1 hour per week, from 3-4pm, Mid-May-the end of October*
- *Must be 18 years of age and submit to and pass a criminal history background check*

For more information or to submit your resume for consideration please contact:

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