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Shine a Bright Light on Excelsior Safety Liaison Volunteer Description

The Organization

Excelsior Action Group (EAG) is a community and economic development organization working to revitalize the Excelsior's Commercial Corridor. Among other things, we facilitate programs geared towards neighborhood safety.

The Program

The Shine a Bright Light on Excelsior (SBLE) program is a grassroots safety initiative of EAG, sponsored by PG&E. The program goals are to promote safety directly on the Excelsior commercial corridor, educate merchants about Crime Prevention through Environmental Design concepts, increase the perception of safety on the corridor among those who live, work, and shop after dark and enhance the environmental sustainability of businesses on the corridor through the provision of energy efficient lighting. The program involves the distribution of energy efficient light bulbs and educational posters for display in every small business on the Excelsior's Commercial Corridor. The outreach will be conducted by trained Safety Liaisons volunteers.

The Position

This volunteer position is open to Excelsior community members living, working, going to school, or shopping within 94112 zip code. The SBLE Safety Liaison program consists of a training phase and an outreach phase. During the training phase, safety liaisons will receive training in the following four areas:

- Safe Practices in the Excelsior, *SFPD*
- Crime Prevention through Environmental Design, *SF SAFE*
- Lighting and Environmental Sustainability, *SF Environment, Energy Watch Program*
- Merchant Outreach, *EAG*

During the outreach phase, Safety Liaisons will be paired into multi-generational teams of 2 to conduct door-to-door outreach to 20 – 30 local businesses each. Safety Liaisons will relay information that they have learned in trainings, answer questions, and leave Safety Toolkits for each merchant. The Safety Liaison program puts a strong emphasis on team-building and provides networking opportunities to participants. Safety Liaisons are unpaid volunteers.

Requirements

- ♦ Demonstrated connection to the Excelsior community (living, working, attending school, or shopping within 94112)
- ♦ Youth (14 – 24) & adults (25+) are encouraged to apply – we will accept 10 youth and 10 adults
- ♦ Must be available for 8 hours of training and outreach on weekday evenings in Fall 2012, beginning the week of September 17, 2012
- ♦ Good verbal communication skills, proficiency in English
- ♦ Bilingual (Spanish, Cantonese, Mandarin, Filipino, Vietnamese) a plus!
- ♦ Willingness to learn, team, and desire to make the Excelsior a safer place

Please direct questions and completed applications to:

Corridor Manager, Nicole Agbayani (415) 585-0110 or nagbayani@eagsf.org

Volunteer Application – due 9/7/12



Shine a Bright Light on Excelsior

Contact Information

Name	
Street Address	
City / State / ZIP Code	
Phone	
E-Mail Address	

Personal Information

Age	
Language(s) Spoken	
T- Shirt Size (adult)	Small Medium Large X-Large XX-Large
Food Allergies	

Availability

We will need volunteers on weekday evenings. Please indicate the weekday evenings you **ARE AVAILABLE**:

Monday Tuesday Wednesday Thursday Friday

Agreement and Signature

By submitting this application, I affirm that the facts set forth in it are true and complete. I understand that if I am accepted as a volunteer, I will not receive financial compensation for my services.

Name (Printed): _____ Date _____

Signature: _____

Return to: Excelsior Action Group, 35 San Juan Avenue, SF CA 94112
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Thank you for applying!