

Are you interested helping prevent crime in our province?

Applications are invited from volunteers interested in serving on a **Minister's Task Force on Safer Streets and Communities**.

The volunteer task force will gather ideas and information from Nova Scotians on community programs, legislation, government services and policing initiatives to help address crime in our communities. The information gathered will be used to help create a provincial crime prevention strategy.

The Task Force will include representation from law enforcement, education, community development, youth, health, social services, crime victims and various levels of government. Efforts will also be made to ensure the membership reflects Nova Scotia's cultural and geographic diversity as well as gender and age.

Applicants should submit a letter outlining why they are interested and what contributions they would bring, which could include experience working in your community, knowledge of a particular field, and involvement in similar projects:

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Participation will include some travel costs which will be reimbursed.

Deadline for applications is October 30, 2006.

Additional information is available on line at www.gov.ns.ca/just or by calling (902) 424-8647.