



TOWN OF WARRENTON POLICE DEPARTMENT



PRESS RELEASE

The Town of Warrenton Police Department is pleased to announce their partnership with Project Lifesaver International, whose primary mission is to provide a timely response to save lives and reduce potential injury for adults and children who wander due to Alzheimer's, autism, and other related conditions or disorders. The Project Lifesaver Program is now available to the Town's citizens. With a generous grant awarded by an anonymous donor and the Fauquier Health Foundation, Warrenton Police Officers have received specialized training and equipment to aid them in locating lost or missing adults and children, who participate in the program.

Qualified citizens will wear a battery powered transmitter which will emit a constant radio tracking signal every second, 24 hours a day. Should this person become lost or separated from their caregiver, Officers will use their training and equipment to locate the person. The national average of locating a person is approximately 30 minutes.

Caregivers wishing to participate in the Project Lifesaver Program are encouraged to contact Lt. George Southard at (540) 347-1107. There is no cost to participate.

All information received and maintained pursuant to this program and its participants is considered confidential in nature and will not be disclosed.

Louis Battle
Chief of Police

