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REWARDING VOLUNTEER EXPERIENCES AVAILABLE WITH VISIONCORPS

LANCASTER, **Penna**. **(April 8, 2024)** – April is National Volunteer Month and VisionCorps is looking for some great volunteers and wants to recognize its current volunteers.

"Since the pandemic, the number of people volunteering is declining, and we are looking for more people to help us," said Dennis Steiner, president and CEO of VisionCorps.

"Our volunteers play an important role – they often help drive people who are blind or vision impaired to different destinations and we depend on them."

Steiner said volunteers are needed to drive employees and clients with low vision to different destinations in the five counties served by VisionCorps: Lancaster, Adams, Chester, Lebanon, and York.

Volunteers can use their own vehicles or drive VisionCorps' company cars. Assignments can range from short to longer appointments and could take place in an urban or rural setting.

They are given choices for their assignments and can choose to participate when it is convenient for them.

Persons interested in volunteering or finding out more should contact Miranda, mgolden@visioncorps.net or 717-925-7271.

"We also want to thank our current and former volunteers," said Steiner. "We've been so fortunate to have had many volunteers help us in our mission of helping individuals who are blind or vision impaired achieve independence. We appreciate all their service."

About VisionCorps

VisionCorps is a nonprofit with a goal of empowering people who are blind or vision impaired to attain independence. The organization serves almost 2,000 individuals with rehabilitation services in Lancaster, Lebanon, Chester, York and Adams counties. VisionCorps' prevention services include KidSight, which screens more than 10,000 children annually for vision loss.