



# Good Deeds for 9/11 Day

## 11 Ideas for Government Leaders and Public Agencies

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### 1. Host a Community-Wide Service Event

Lead a volunteer effort such as a park beautification, street cleanup, or public space revitalization in partnership with local residents.

### 2. Issue a 9/11 Day Proclamation

Formally recognize the day through a proclamation encouraging community-wide participation in acts of service and remembrance.

### 3. Support a Local Donation Drive

Coordinate or promote a city-wide collection of food, clothing, school supplies, or hygiene items for local shelters or pantries.

### 4. Organize a Civic Engagement or Voter Registration Table

Promote civic involvement by setting up a voter registration booth at town hall, schools, or community centers.

### 5. Share Stories of Local Heroes

Highlight first responders, veterans, or community members making a difference—on social media, in newsletters, or at public events.

### 6. Visit or Recognize a Fire Station or Police Precinct

Deliver thank-you notes or snacks to first responders, and share your visit publicly to model appreciation and respect.

### 7. Promote Good Deeds Online

Use your office's platforms to encourage residents to pledge a good deed using the hashtag #911Day and highlight examples.

### 8. Offer Public Space for a Volunteer Event

Allow a local nonprofit or civic group to use a government building, park, or plaza for a service project or tribute activity.

### 9. Host a Moment of Silence or Unity Gathering

Organize a public moment of remembrance, unity walk, or candlelight vigil open to all residents.

### 10. Collaborate with Schools or Youth Groups

Partner with local educators to encourage student service projects or good deed pledges through in-school activities.

### 11. Lead by Example

Publicly pledge and share your own good deed—and encourage fellow officials and government employees to do the same.