TRAC Engineer Volunteers

**Engineer Volunteer** – Volunteers are department of transportation professionals, civil engineers or from the private sector with a keen interest in transportation, engineering, and the TRAC Program. TRAC Volunteers are typically self-confident, motivated and articulate individuals excited about his or her field, with energy and enthusiasm that projects that excitement to others.

**Volunteers: Motivation and Rewards**

TRAC Volunteers face a challenging, yet highly rewarding assignment – becoming a role model to students and a trusted advisor to the teachers who are in the classroom.

TRAC Volunteers work with each teacher as an advisor, demonstrating how the TRAC PAC activities work. They also guide them on how to apply these activities to what the students are learning in that teacher’s class. As role models in the transportation and civil engineering fields, TRAC Volunteers answer students’ questions to help them understand concepts learned in the classroom and how those concepts are applied in the “real” world. Most importantly, TRAC Volunteers have an opportunity to introduce and inspire students to explore and possibly pursue a career in transportation and civil engineering.