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If I were mayor for a day

I would improve the Police Department. I would have officers step out of their cars, or stop and walk on patrol to interact and talk with citizens. It should happen more often for one simple reason: say, a kid doesn't know what police officers are like, and is afraid of them. Well, if an officer were to interact with him, talk with him, become friends, he could trust officers! They could have a quick game at the park with some kids. This would become really, really helpful to the community. If people are making friends with officers, they another person to talk to. To encourage friendships, which makes the world a better place.