

REX SCHROYER

- o Fireman in Cleveland Park since 1975
- o Safeway Check-Out Person from 1975-1983

I decided to work in Cleveland Park because it is a nice area and I liked the way people treated me as a person as well as a firefighter. Over the years, I have made many friends in this area.

When you work at the Safeway, you get to know all the regular faces. I feel that most of the people in this area...shopowners, as well as the personnel, are very friendly. It's like a great big family. It's a nice feeling to be here.

Everybody is very close. You know when someone is ill...take them a Get Well card or take them some flowers or something like that. That's the way I feel most of the people in Cleveland Park are.

I try to go all out to provide for the area, because the people appreciate us. There is a friendly atmosphere....sitting out in front of the firehouse in the mornings, greeting everyone, "Good morning," and in the afternoons as they come up out of the subway station, asking them how their day was. We love it. Everybody just talks to you and you know a lot of people on first-name basis.

Cleveland Park has treated the Fire Department well.