

PROVIDING SECURITY FOR THE CITIZENS OF TOKYO





The Mobile Police Units play a central role in guarding government agencies and other key facilities, and providing security at large events. They are dispatched for various other purposes, such as providing security at disaster sites, ensuring traffic safety, and preventing crime, thus working to maintain public safety.

In order to respond to and prevent acts of terrorism, the Security Bureau is reinforcing its specialized units such as the Special Assault Team (SAT), the Emergency Response Team (ERT), the Interceptor Drones Team (IDT), and the Aviation Security and Counterterrorism Unit.

Imperial Protection

The TMPD provides protection services to ensure the safety of the Emperor, the Emperor Emeritus, and the Imperial Household, and to prevent accidents among the public celebrators. Measures are taken to ensure that these duties do not infringe on the relationship between the Imperial Household and the public.



VIP Protection

VIP Protection

VIP protection officers known as "SP" (Security Police) are responsible for uncovering and preventing planned illegal activity and ensuring the safety of VIPs both in Japan and from abroad.



Public-private partnership

The "Conference on Anti-terrorism Partnership in Tokyo," consisting of the TMPD, relevant administrative agencies and private businesses, works to prevent acts of terrorism and to prepare an effective, collective response to attacks.

Similarly, local police stations form community partnerships with residents and private businesses under the slogan "Building a Community with Zero Tolerance for Terrorism" and take steps against terrorism according to their needs. These measures include joint drills, workshops, and patrols.

