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## Beard It Up & Color for the Cure fundraising campaign

**COPPERAS COVE, TEXAS** – Copperas Cove Police Department is pleased to announce, that we are participating in the Beard It Up & Color for the Cure fundraising campaign for the 3rd consecutive year.

Chief Eddie Wilson has approved a conditional exception to the Dress Code policy whereas, members of the department may participate in the Beard It Up & Color for the Cure fundraising campaign. We will be joining other law enforcement agencies in helping donate and bring awareness to DIPG (Diffuse Intrinsic Pontine Glioma) research.

To participate in the campaign, officers will be required to make a minimum donation for the campaign. To grow a goatee, an officer will have to donate a minimum of \$30 for the month of November. To grow a beard, an officer will be required to donate a minimum \$50 for the month of November.

For a female officer to participate in the campaign, they will be required to donate a minimum donation of \$30, to wear nail color which represents the form of cancer awareness of their choice, during the month of November.

In an effort to raise additional donations for the campaign, Chief Wilson has decided; if an officer chooses to double any of these minimum donations, they will be allowed to wear their goatee, beard, or nail color through the month of December.

We encourage the community to participate in this campaign as well. The link for the CCPD team is:

<https://thecurestartsnow.salsalabs.org/beard-it-up/p/copperascovetxpolicepage/index.html>

