BURGLARY PREVENTION

1. Make sure that all windows and doors are secure.
2. If you have an alarm system, use it.
3. Utilize lights inside and outside your home. Use timers and motion sensors.
4. Keep bushes trimmed down to prevent hiding places and trees trimmed up for good visibility.
5. Install deadbolt locks with a minimum of 1 inch throw.
6. Install strong door frames.
7. Don’t leave garage doors open.
8. Keep packages out of view from open windows.
9. Don’t set boxes of electronics out at curbside for trash pick-ups. This alerts criminals what’s in your house.
10. Make sure your neighbors know when you will be gone.
11. Have neighbors or friends collect your mail, newspapers, and door hangers while you’re away.
12. Be a good neighbor; watch out for one another.
13. Record the license and description of any suspicious vehicle or persons.

If you have any questions or comments please contact the Community Interaction Officer in your neighborhood:

Central Patrol Division 816-759-6313
East Patrol Division 816-482-8506
Metro Patrol Division 816-581-0715
North Patrol Division 816-437-6230
Shoal Creek Patrol Division 816-413-3440
South Patrol Division 816-672-2828

FREE LANGUAGE ASSISTANCE AVAILABLE UPON REQUEST:
Assistencia lingüística gratuita disponible si se solicita  Spanish
Co sẵn dịch vụ thông dịch miễn phí khi bạn yêu cầu  Vietnamese

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Stealing Auto Thefts Burglary

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STEALINGS CONTINUED
OUT AND ABOUT

Don't leave your purse unattended in a shopping cart

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1. Check tracking information to see when packages are arriving so you can be at home.
2. Let trusted family members or friends know if you can't be home to retrieve packages.
3. State you will pick up package from deliverer (UPS, Fedx, DHL etc.).

AUTO THEFT PREVENTION
1. Don't leave your car unlocked.
2. Don't leave keys in your car.
3. Utilize theft prevention devices. (The Club, alarms, kill switches, etc.).
4. Park your car in well-lighted areas.
5. Never leave your car unoccupied and running, even for short periods of time.

STEALINGS FROM AUTO
1. Always lock your car with the windows up.
2. Don't leave anything of value inside your vehicle in plain sight: cell phones, GPS, briefcases, packages, etc.
3. Lock items in the trunk of your car.
4. Park your car in a well-lighted area.
5. Don't leave your garage door opener visible in your car.
6. Make sure the license plates on your car are well secured. Remove old tabs before replacing them with new ones. Use protective covers.
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