

## **BURGLARY PREVENTION**

- 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.
  - 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.
  - 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.
  - 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:

Asistencia lingüística gratuita disponible si se solicita Spanish Có sẵn dịch vụ thông dịch miễn phí khi bạn yêu cầu Vietnamese

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#### KANSAS CITY MISSOURI POLICE DEPARTMENT

# SAFETY TIPS



# DON'T ALLOW YOURSELF TO BECOME A CRIME VICTIM!

Stealing Auto Thefts Burglary

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### 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.
  - Make sure the license plates on your car are well secured. Remove old tabs before replacing them with new ones. Use protective covers.
  - 7. Don't leave your car unlocked.



# STEALINGS CONTINUED OUT AND ABOUT



Don't leave your purse unattended in a shopping cart

### **PACKAGES**

- 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, DHI, etc.).





## **AUTO THEFT PREVENTION**

- 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.

