HOME SAFETY & CRIME PREVENTION



- Never leave your windows and doors open or unlocked while unattended.
- Place a stop stick or window track lock in windows and sliding glass doors when not in use.
- Never leave car doors unlocked, and always remove valuables.
- Garage doors should always remain closed when not in the line of sight.
- Never post your vacation location on social media. Wait till you return home to share your pictures.
- ✓ Tell a trusted neighbor when you will be away on vacation.
- ✓ Place a hold on mail and delivery services while on vacation.
- Eliminate concealment points or hiding places around the exterior of your home.
- ★ Keep lawns and landscapes well maintained. Ground landscape should be kept at 2ft and under and tree canopies should be trimmed to 6ft and higher.
- ✓ Use hostile/thorny vegetation when planting around windows or entries.
- ✓ Use landscape lighting to illuminate dark areas around the house.
- Exterior porch or garage lighting should be left on from dusk till dawn.
- Exchange household email and phone contact information with your neighbors.
- Leave delivery instructions for packages instructing deliveries to be left in a secure/hidden location.
- Consider a Ring-style doorbell and/or surveillance system for monitoring your home.

