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CRIME PREVENTION BULLETIN

Secure your valuables, vehicles, and homes

OAK BROOK, IL The Village of Oak Brook and surrounding communities have experienced an increase in Residential Burglaries. Help make our community safer by following these crime prevention tips:

- Always secure the doors and windows to your home.
- Turn your interior lights on in the evening or when leaving your home.
- Activate your alarm and cameras systems. Alarm systems are only helpful when you remember to activate them.
- Have adequate exterior lighting. A motion-sensitive light is recommended for backyards.
- Trim trees and shrubs as they are hiding places for intruders.
- Report suspicious vehicles in the neighborhood:
 - Parked in an otherwise unusual location in the area.
 - Sitting occupied for no apparent reason.
 - 'Circling' the neighborhood.
- Report suspicious persons in the neighborhood:
 - Standing/walking/running for no apparent reason in an area where you believe they do not belong.
 - Looking into windows of vehicles/homes.
 - Pulling on door handles of vehicles/homes.
- Don't share your vacation plans on social media
- Be a good neighbor. If you notice anything suspicious in your neighborhood, call 9-1-1 immediately.

Stolen vehicles are used to commit further crimes of violence. Help us break this cycle!

Call 911 immediately to report suspicious or criminal activity.