# Report Suspicious Activity & Crime

## NEIGHBORHOOD WATCH PROGRAM

Protecting Today. Securing Tomorrow.



## Always stay alert and be aware of your surroundings.

## Know who belongs in your neighborhood.

If you get to know your neighbors, their family members, and the vehicles they drive, it's easier to tell when a stranger is in your neighborhood. Determine your actions based on the ACTIONS AND BEHAVIORS of the suspicious person(s) - not by how they look or by how they're dressed. Trust your gut instinct. If you think something might be wrong, it probably is. If you see suspicious persons or activities, please call the non-emergency number **619-691-5151**.

### For life threatening emergencies or a crime IN PROGRESS, call 9-1-1.

Law Enforcement counts on the extra sets of eyes and ears which citizens provide. When you help law enforcement, you're helping yourself and your community.

#### Suspicious behavior or activity can be:

- Strangers carrying property from residences or closed businesses
- Someone entering a neighor's home in an unusual manner like through a window, or by force, or going to the side or backyard of a home
- Children being approached by strangers
- Abandoned vehicles
- Burglar alarms going off
- · Excessive traffic to or from a residence
- Someone running from a car or home
- Someone screaming (not children at play)

- Persons wandering or loitering in the neighborhood with no apparent reason
- Any unexplained or unusual noises like prolonged pounding or banging, glass breaking, dogs barking excessively, or gunfire
- Someone who appears to be conducting business from a car
- Persons forcing their way into a locked vehicle

#### If you see something, say something.

It helps to write the information down right away. When you call dispatch, be prepared to tell them:

- · What happened
- When
- Where
- Description of the person(s) involved
- If someone is injured
- Vehicle license plate number
- · Make or color of vehicle
- · Direction of flight