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Homeowner Safety Tips

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Get to Know Your Neighbors



- ▶ Exchange phone numbers
- ▶ Learn each other's routines
- ▶ Regularly check on elderly neighbors
- ▶ Volunteer to pick up your neighbor's newspapers when they are gone

Don't Become a Target



- ▶ Don't leave windows and doors open if you are not home
- ▶ Turn on exterior lighting at night
- ▶ Keep your car doors locked and valuables out of sight
- ▶ Secure gates and fences
- ▶ Be wary of solicitors at your door

Keep Our Neighborhood Neat and Clean



- ▶ Pick up trash, even if it's not yours or in front of your home
- ▶ Keep yards maintained and looking good
- ▶ Create open spaces in your landscaping and keep bushes trimmed so burglars have fewer places to hide

Report Suspicious Activity



- ▶ Call 911 to report an emergency or a crime that is in progress
- ▶ For non-emergencies, phone (812) 349-2780
- ▶ Animal Control: (812) 349-2585
- ▶ Incident Reporting is available online at the following website: monroecountysheriffsoffice.us/ir