



Thurston County Sheriff's Office

"Creating a Safer Community Together."

Sheriff Dan Kimball

Community Alert

Date: January 28, 2009

Neighborhood/ Area: Southwest Thurston County

Nature of alert: Recent Burglary and Vehicle Prowls

Details: In the last week, Thurston County Sheriff's deputies responded to two thefts, two vehicle prowls, and one burglary all within close proximity to each other.

The incidents occurred in the 17,000 block of Pendelton St. SW, 10,000 block of 185th Ave. SW., 17,000 block of Hound Dog Ln. SW, and one at the 18,000 block of Albany St. SW.

At this time we have no suspect information on these crimes.

Photo (if necessary/ available): None

Contact info: Report all suspicious activity by calling 911 or the non-emergency dispatch number (360) 704-2740

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Crime Prevention Tips:

Leave blinds/curtains open

Make your residence appear as if someone is home: leave a light or television on.

(You can also use timers)

Make sure your residence is secured.

Inform a neighbor if you are going to be away for the night or longer.

If you have a monitored alarm system, make sure that the alarm company knows how to contact you. If your alarm is not monitored and is audible outside make sure your neighbors know how to contact you.

Note: Most all burglaries occur in the late morning to early afternoon hours (While we are at work)

Make sure your vehicle is secure all doors and windows closed.

Remember, to ensure that all valuables are hidden and not easily visible.

Do not leave purses, wallets, electronic devices, and valuable information in your vehicle.

Keep a record all serial and model numbers of electronic devices left in the vehicle.

Often times sheriff's deputies locate items that they suspect may be stolen. however, are not able to confirm that because many people do not record serial and model numbers.

Park your vehicle in a well lit area.