Report it.

If you see anything suspicious, such as a person who is doing something out of place or not quite right, REPORT IT IMMEDIATELY to law enforcement by calling the non-emergency dispatch number, **262-886-2300**. Reportable observations include a person who is

- Looking into cars and home windows; checking for locked doors
- Ringing doorbells without an apparent reason
- Roaming around and who does not appear to belong in your neighborhood
- Loitering near businesses (open or closed) or parking lots



If your video camera records suspicious activity, make a report. Call 262-886-2300.

Safeguard you and your family. Stay aware. See something? REPORT IT.

LOCK IT. HIDE IT. REPORT IT.

significantly increases the chances to **KEEP IT.**

Being proactive in crime prevention is the best way to protect you and your property. In your neighborhood, establishing a Neighborhood Block Watch is one of the most effective ways to keep your home and neighborhood safe.



Call Racine Neighborhood Watch, Inc. for more information or to arrange a presentation for your group or organization.







Lock it. Hide it. Report it.

Make safety and crime prevention a priority!

The most wonderful time of the year can change in the twinkling of an eye if you become a victim of crime. Holiday activities and festivities abound; it is easy to become distracted and preoccupied. Unfortunately, there are people who take advantage of busy times like these. Racine Neighborhood Watch, Inc. encourages you to "LOCK IT. HIDE IT. REPORT IT." to limit the possibility of you (or those around you) becoming a victim of crime.



Lock it.



It only takes a few seconds to lock a door – the same amount of time a professional thief needs to steal your holiday gifts and belongings if you forget to secure your car or home.

- Lock your vehicle EVERY TIME you leave it parked
- Lock all home, business and service doors, car doors, and garage doors
- Lock glove compartments, trunks, and car and home windows
- If you have home, business, or car alarms, activate them
- If there is an opportunity to lock something and keep it safe, lock it!



Hide it.

Place Purchases and Possessions Out of Sight

Hide and lock purchases inside the trunk, or stash them under the seat or in another container, and lock the doors. If possible, take items home right way and put them where they are not easily seen. Keep presents and packages out of sight and away from windows.

Hide Your Cash and Credit Card Information

Keep your purse close to your body, or your wallet inside a front coat or trouser pocket. Wait until the store clerk asks for payment before presenting cash, check, or a card. Shield your PIN number from anyone who is standing near you.

Hide Package Deliveries -Arrange to Keep Them Concealed

Ask a neighbor to take in your items. If the shipper permits, designate a more discreet location to leave deliveries or use a secure dropbox.

Hide Your "Away-from-Home" Plans

Don't post on social media when you will be shopping or traveling, or where you will be going for holiday events and festivities.