

DALLAS POLICE DEPARTMENT

CRIME ALERT!



Burglars are working **YOUR** neighborhood and are breaking into houses, vehicles, and storage sheds.

Residential Burglary Prevention Tips

- Consider installing a complete home security system.
- Secure all doors, windows, garage doors, and lock your sheds.
- Report suspicious vehicles, persons, and illegal solicitors in your neighborhood.
- Secure jewelry and other valuables in a safe.
- Make sure to activate your home security system before leaving home.
- Mark your property using Invisible Ink available at the Northwest Division.
- Report all burglary offenses to the police department.

Burglary of Motor Vehicle Prevention Tips

- Use anti-theft devices. The use of devices such as steering wheel locks, electronic alarms, ignition kill-switch, locking gas caps, window VIN etching, or vehicle tracking devices protect your vehicle and deter vehicle theft.
- Always park in well lighted areas and be familiar with your surroundings. Most vehicles are stolen at night
- Don't leave valuables in plain view for this will make your vehicle a desirable target.
- If you have a garage, use it.

If you need additional information or have any questions please call the Dallas Police Department, Northwest Division at (214) 670-6178, or visit our website at www.dallaspolice.net. Non emergency police Tip Line (214) 671-0567, or call 911 for emergency.

Don't Be the Next Victim!

OPERATION IDENTIFICATION

**PROTECT
YOUR STUFF!**



Invisible Ink Security Marking

Operation Identification is nationally recognized by law enforcement as theft prevention for use in home or business.

With the use of Operation ID, it allows law enforcement personnel to detect and return stolen or lost property to its rightful owner.

Mark your valuable with an identifying marks. *Example: Tx-B1234567*

To Purchase an UV Pens go to www.blacklight.com

Instructions

1. Use on clean surface free of dust and oil.
2. Turn on UV flashlight in other hand by depressing switch.
3. Mark property with pen while following with UV light source for visibility. Test area with pen prior to marking. Allow time to dry.
4. If a mistake is made, start over in new location. Do not cross out.
5. After each use, turn off UV flashlight and re-cap pen.
6. Keep kit in cool, dry, and save place out of reach of children.

UV Pens are available to use at the Dallas Police Department Northwest Substation

9801 Harry Hines Blvd. Dallas Texas 75220
(214) 670-6206 or (214) 670-6178

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