

WINTER SAFETY TIPS

COMMUNITY
2nd
District
OUTREACH

2nd District Community Outreach *Police & Community Working Together*

- Leave your **PORCH LIGHTS** on. Consider adding **MOTION LIGHTS** to the front and rear of your house/property because crime flourishes in the dark.
- Keep valuables out of sight or in the trunk of your vehicle and **LOCK YOUR CAR DOOR**
- Park in areas with good lighting
- **NEVER** leave your car running or keys in the ignition. Keep all key fobs with you and not in the vehicle
- If your vehicle has an alarm or other anti-theft device, use it . . .
If not, consider using a car club that locks to the steering wheel column
- Alarms and glass break sensors are a great deterrent for burglars
- Consider a doorbell camera and cameras in the rear of your home (popular point of entry). **The St. Louis Metropolitan Police Department has partnered with Ring** on the use of the **Neighbors App**. Cameras can help improve and aid criminal investigations by producing digital evidence used to identify and track down suspects, and ultimately help solve crimes.
- Don't hesitate to report suspicious activity using the **NON-EMERGENCY PHONE NUMBER (314) 231-1212**.



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