

# DEARBORN HEIGHTS CRIME ALERT



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## Golfview Manor Civic Association

Hello Golfview Manor Civic Association! Here is some information and a few tips to help out with the Neighborhood Crime Alerts in your area:

- ✓ Fall is here!! Be cautious of anyone going door to door or walking the neighborhoods in attempt to sell those final fall clean-ups to your yard or home. They are a SCAM unless you have hired a reputable company to come to your home that has proper identification, and are registered with the city, please DO NOT sign paperwork or give them personal information or money!!! DO NOT let them in your home and remember you DO NOT have to answer the door for anyone you do not know!
- ✓ Now that the colder weather is approaching, DO NOT leave your vehicles running with the keys in the ignition!!! Not only is it against city ordinance, but you will risk your vehicle being stolen by a car thief. So please DO NOT leave your vehicle unlocked while running or not! **LOCK ALL YOUR DOORS TO YOUR VEHICLES AND WINDOWS/DOORS TO YOUR HOMES!!!**- There has been a rash of break-ins to vehicles and homes throughout the Dearborn Heights area. Remove all valuables from your vehicles to avoid temptations from suspects looking into vehicles! These suspects have been checking vehicle doors to see if they are unlocked and rummaging through the vehicle to steal items of any value. Also double check your windows and on your home to make sure they are locked due to daytime break-ins by suspects pushing up windows to have easy access into your home. So **PLEASE LOCK ALL DOORS AND WINDOWS!!!**
- ✓ Keep your porch, house or garage lights ON!!... Just a simple thing such as turning lights on outside of your home may help deter criminals from coming onto your property or checking your vehicle door handles or even the doors to your home!
- ✓ The SCAM calls from the IRS and fake Doctors offices are still on the rise, trying to get you to give them your credit card or banking information. DO NOT GIVE ANY INFORMATION OVER THE PHONE!!!! It is a SCAM. As long as you don't provide them with any information there is no need to report the incident
- ✓ Visit the Dearborn Heights Police Department Facebook page for further information posted for citizens in regards to police matters or upcoming events in the city!
- ✓ For additional crime information go to [www.crimemapping.com](http://www.crimemapping.com) and enter your address. You can review crimes happening in your neighborhood and surrounding cities.



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