

PROTECT YOUR PERSONAL PROPERTY

FOLLOW THESE THEFT PREVENTION TIPS FROM McGRUFF:

- ✓ When traveling, lock your vehicle at all times, especially when you stop at a gas station, rest area, or other public place.
- ✓ Keep your personal electronics — laptop, GPS system, MP3 player, camera, cell phone — out of sight or locked in the trunk of your vehicle.
- ✓ Keep a record of the serial numbers of all your valuable items.
- ✓ Don't carry large amounts of cash or flash expensive items.
- ✓ Carry only the personal information, cash, and credit cards you need, and keep them secure in your wallet or purse.
- ✓ If you discover that something has been stolen, report it to local law enforcement.

To learn more ways to prevent property theft, visit ncpc.org or contact your local law enforcement agency.



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