TIMBERLAKE WATCH GROUP

SUSPICIOUS ACTIVITY – SEE SOMETHING SAY SOMETHING

If may not be obvious what crime a suspicious activity could be associated with. Often suspicious acts are perfectly legitimate, but sometimes they are not. It is better to be on the safe side, instead of thinking, "If only I had called when I saw/heard it."

CIRCUMSTANCE	POSSIBLE CRIME	CIRCUMSTANCE	POSSIBLE CRIME
Person knocking on front doors in residential area, especially if they go to the rear area of the house.	Someone may be casing the house to see if anyone is home. Possible burglary suspect or trespasser.	Unusual noise such as gun shots, a loud bang or pop, or breaking sounds.	Possible crime in progress such as burglary, weapons violation, assault or theft.
Person Screaming	Possible rape, assault, kidnapping or domestic violence.	Broken glass, house or car door left open.	A theft or burglary may have occurred, someone may be inside injured.
Person offering items for sale at a low price.	Someone trying to sell stolen property.	Abandoned vehicle parked on your block.	Possible stolen vehicle.
Person loitering around cars, going car to car and peering into them.	Possible car thief or car prowler.	Frequent guests to a residence that stay for a short period of time during all times of the day.	Dealing of drugs or stolen property.
Parked vehicle with person(s) sitting in it for a long period of time.	Possible lookouts for a crime in progress or someone waiting to commit a crime.	Youth wearing similar clothing, emblems, colors, tattoos, involved in criminal or suspicious activity.	Gang Activity.
Person loitering or driving through a neighborhood several times at a slow speed.	Possible burglary suspects or vandals.	Someone running in non- athletic, clothing, possibly with a piece of property.	Person who has just committed a crime or is the victim of an attempted assault.
Vehicle being loaded with valuables by someone who does not live in the residence.	Possible burglary or theft in progress.	A person exhibiting unusual mental or physical symptoms.	Person may be under the influence of drugs, injured, or in need of medical attention.

Call 911 first for all emergencies

McKinley County Sheriff – 505-722-7205, or 505-863-1410 NM State Police – Gallup – 505-863-9353

Cibola County Sheriff – 505-287-9476 NM State Police – Grants – 505-287-4377

Timberlake Volunteer Fire Dept – 783-4112 or 4252 NM Fish & Game – 505-222-4700 (M-F 8 a.m.-5 p.m.)

- 505-827-9376 (evenings)

If the Sheriff's Dept. doesn't return a phone call within the hour, call them back. The Cibola Sheriff's Office can check a license plate for you. Give this plate number to the TRLA Treasurer or to Mary Jo Wallen so we can determine if the vehicle/plate belongs to a TRLA landowner. An effort will be made during 2016 to provide TRLA vehicle stickers to those landowners who do not have them.

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