

## MEADOWS PLACE POLICE DEPARTMENT

### Home Security Tips:

Make sure all doors and windows are locked – lock your house even if you plan on being gone for only a few minutes.

Lock gates to prevent entry into back yard.

If you have a security system, be sure it is always activated - even when you're at home.

If you have neighbors who are home during the daytime, ask them to keep an eye on your home and report any suspicious activity to the Meadows Place Police Department.

Call the Meadows Place Police Department to report ANY suspicious vehicles or persons in the area.

Keep garage doors closed.

Keep vehicles locked and don't leave valuable items inside (especially in plain view).

If you arrive home and something looks questionable – an open door, a window screen off or slit, a broken window, noise from inside your home – don't go in. Leave and call the police from your cell phone or a neighbor's house.

Don't leave messages on your answering machine indicating you're away from home.

Call the Meadows Place Police Department for a free *HOME SECURITY SURVEY*, or email our Crime Prevention Officer at: [cp@cityofmeadowsplace.org](mailto:cp@cityofmeadowsplace.org)

For more helpful information, go to The National Crime Prevention Council's website at:

[www.ncpc.org/publications/brochures](http://www.ncpc.org/publications/brochures)

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