

Hulmeville Police Department

Home and Auto Safeguarding Tips.

- 1- Firstly, it is preferable not to leave any possessions or valuables in your vehicle, unless this is unavoidable. If you need to leave any belongings in your vehicle, then keep them out of sight as much as possible, for example in the trunk or glove compartment. Your vehicle is more likely to be targeted by thieves if they are aware that there are valuable goods within it.
- 2- If you have keyless entry before retiring for the night go to the window and push the remote and watch for the lights to blink or horn.
- 3- Do not leave the keys where they can be seen from an outside window.
- 4- Have at least one motion controlled light in the driveway side. If you can have more than one motion light around your house is better.
- 5- Make sure your garage and any outer buildings are locked.
- 6- Never leave your vehicle running and unattended.
- 7- Never leave personal items in vehicle (laptops, GPS, cell phones, purses) in view while you run into a store or gas station. Put items in glove box, trunk, or out of view and lock your vehicle.

The greatest number of theft from vehicles are UNLOCKED VEHICLES. Don't make the crooks job easy!