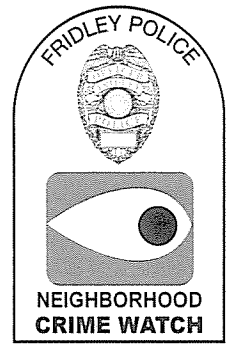




ATTENTION NEIGHBORS!

CRIME ALERT

Forced Residential Burglary



This ALERT was compiled by the Fridley Police Department for your Neighborhood Crime Prevention Program. Its purpose is to inform you of the criminal activity in your area and to encourage you to secure your home and keep an extra watch out for your neighbors.

Date: January 10/11 2012

Time: Between the hours of 1:30 p.m. & 3:00a.m.

Place: 200 Block of 61st Avenue NE

On January 11, 2012 a resident returned home and discovered the home had been burglarized. The suspect(s) appeared to have gained access to the home by breaking a basement window. The victim reported that cash along with a computer printer was taken as well as various other items. It appeared several areas of the home had been gone through. Currently no one has been arrested in this crime. The Fridley Police Department is working diligently to solve this crime. If you have information that may lead to suspect(s) involved please dial 9-1-1 and ask to speak with a Fridley Officer.

Safety Tips:

Thieves often look to commit crimes of convenience that provides quick and easy access to what they are looking for; money, transportation and electronics. Keep your home as secure as possible. Purchase locking bars for patio doors. Keep all doors and windows locked. Install alarms which will sound if windows are opened from the outside. Install motion lights high enough so someone cannot reach up and unscrew the bulb. When you place your vehicle in the garage remove the keys, lock the vehicle, set the vehicle alarm if you have one and lock the garage itself. Dogs are often good at letting you know there is something unusual going on, and it does not have to be a large dog any size will do.

If you have a situation where you suspect someone may be trying to gain access to your home, please call 9-1-1 immediately. If you return home and suspect an intruder may be in your home leave immediately – confrontation may be dangerous. Go to a neighbor and call 9-1-1, report any observations. Remember your safety is more important than property.

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This ALERT was delivered by your Block Captain