



## **Crime Prevention Tips**

#### Home security:

- · Lock your doors and windows.
- Check on your storage lockers and empty your mailbox regularly.
- Wait for the gate and don't hold building doors open for strangers.

#### **Auto security:**

- Protect your garage door opener as well as your insurance and registration documents. Take them with you when parked.
- Park so it is difficult to gain access under your car. When possible park against a wall or closer to lower vehicles.
- Park in well-lit/well-populated areas where "natural surveillance" can serve as a deterrent.
- Don't leave any bags or valuables unattended in your vehicle. Not even for a moment. Not even locked in your trunk or glove box. Thieves know to check the trunk and glove box if they don't see anything out in the open.

#### **Business security:**

- Install a security system and learn how to use it.
- Train employees to recognize suspicious and criminal activity, how to respond safely and report to police.
- Don't let your windows get covered up with ads and posters. The inside of your business should be visible from the street.
- Invest in quality exterior doors and locks. Exterior doors should be solid-core and secured by at least one deadbolt with a minimum 1" throw (throw is the part that extends into the door frame when locked).

## **Community Police Offices**

# Coquitlam Community Police Offices

Ridgeway
 1059 Ridgeway Avenue
 Phone: 604-933-6888

Burquitlam

557 Emerson Street Phone: 604-949-5000

# Port Coquitlam Community Police Offices

Downtown

2581 Mary Hill Road Phone: 604-927-2383

Northside

3312 Coast Meridian Road Phone: 604-927-5172

## If you see something...say something

Non-Emergencies: Call **604-945-1550** or visit **report.rcmp.ca**Emergencies: Call **9-1-1**