

## REQUEST FOR SECURITY CHECK

ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_ NAME \_\_\_\_\_ PHONE \_\_\_\_\_

DEPARTURE DATE  RETURN DATE

#### PROBABLE ROUTE OF TRIP

TYPE OF PREMISES: RESIDENCE  BUSINESS  OTHER  (TYPE)

HAVE KEYS BEEN LEFT WITH ANYONE? IF SO, NAME \_\_\_\_\_

ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_ PHONE(S) \_\_\_\_\_

WILL ANYONE BE WORKING AT OR HAVE ACCESS TO PREMISES DURING YOUR ABSENCE? IF SO, LIST NAMES:

PLEASE LIST YOUR CONTACT INFORMATION BELOW SO YOU CAN BE NOTIFIED IN CASE OF AN EMERGENCY.

IF YES, C/O NAME \_\_\_\_\_ PHONE(S) \_\_\_\_\_

ADDRESS

**I REQUEST SECURITY CHECKS BE MADE ON MY PREMISES AND AGREE TO NOTIFY YOU OF MY RETURN.**

SIGNED \_\_\_\_\_ DATE OF REQUEST \_\_\_\_\_

## OFFICER'S SECURITY CHECK REPORT

If found unsecure or other issues are observed, note on back of this form

- IF PREMISES WERE INSECURE OR EVIDENCE OF FORCED ENTRY PRESENT, STATE IF YOU ENTERED AND CHECKED THE PREMISES. IF YOU FOUND ANY EVIDENCE OF VANDALISM OR THEFT, MAKE SEPARATE REPORT.



# KEEPING YOUR HOME SECURE



## WE RECOMMEND THE FOLLOWING STEPS TO HELP KEEP YOUR HOME SECURE.

KEEP YOUR HOUSE WELL-LIT AT NIGHT TO DISCOURAGE WOULD-BE CRIMINALS. SET INTERIOR LIGHTS TO COME ON AND GO OFF WITH TIMERS.

HAVE MOTION DETECTING FLOOD LIGHTS ON LOW-LIT AREAS AROUND YOUR HOME.

POST ALARM SIGNS ON THE EXTERIOR OF YOUR HOME. EVEN FAKE ALARM DECALS AND SIGNS CAN BE A DETERRENT.

STOP ALL MAIL, NEWSPAPERS, AND PACKAGE DELIVERY.

SECURE ALL WINDOWS AND SLIDING DOORS WITH WOODEN DOWELS, TO HELP PREVENT FORCED ENTRY.

BE AWARE OF THE TRASH YOU LEAVE ON THE CURB. BREAK DOWN BOXES FROM RECENTLY PURCHASED ITEMS LIKE TVs AND CONCEAL THEM FROM PRYING EYES. IF YOU ARE AWAY ON COLLECTION DAYS, HAVE A NEIGHBOR PUT OUT AND RETRIEVE YOUR BINS THE DAY OF COLLECTION.

NOTIFY YOUR NEIGHBORS OF YOUR DEPARTURE DATE AND YOUR RETURN DATE.

*The Ferndale Police Department- Scope Unit is served by dedicated volunteer seniors who check your home and perform a security check of doors and windows. Thank you for the opportunity to serve you.*

In order to effectively address crime we must use our eyes and ears to be a part of reporting what we see and joining the effort to keep our neighborhoods safe.

What you do today by reporting suspicious activity will make tomorrow safer.