

### In Your Home

- \* All exterior doors should be of solid wood core construction.
- \* Have a free home security survey done by the Lee County Sheriff's Office Crime Prevention Unit.
- \* Re-key all exterior door locks when you move into a new home.
- \* Install a 180-degree peephole.
- \* Keep your garage door closed at all times.
- \* Install auxiliary locks on all windows and sliding glass doors.
- \* Replace all jalousie doors and windows.
- \* Install good exterior lighting.
- \* DO NOT OPEN THE DOOR FOR STRANGERS
- \* Be alert to suspicious persons and activity in your neighborhood.
- \* Do not advertise that you live alone.
- \* Keep more than 1 light on in the house.
- \* Do not hide an extra key outside.
- \* Keep your doors locked.
- \* Close your blinds at night or whenever you are undressing or sleeping.



### In your Car

- \* Park in well lighted areas.
- \* Always lock your car.
- \* When driving, keep your doors locked and windows up.

- \* If you think you are being followed, do not drive home. Drive to the nearest gas, fire or police station.
- \* If you have car troubles, raise the hood then wait inside the car with the doors locked and windows up. If a motorist stops to help, crack your window slightly and ask him to call for help. If you want to help someone make a phone call for him or her, but do not stop.
- \* Carry a cell phone.

For More Information Contact the Lee County Sheriff's Office Community Outreach Unit at 477-1400. The Lee County Sheriff's Office has Crime Prevention Specialists that are available to answer questions relating to this brochure or other safety concerns and are available to conduct a wide variety of educational programs free of charge.

*It is the policy of the Lee County Sheriff's Office to protect the Constitutional rights of all people, regardless of race, color, ethnicity, gender, sexual orientation, physical handicap, religion or other belief system or physical characteristic; and to treat each person with respect and dignity.*

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## PERSONAL SAFETY



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