

# HELP YOURSELF!

**DON'T INVITE CRIME**



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# MANY CRIMES ARE PREVENTABLE

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of residential  
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was through  
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and windows

In more than  
50% of thefts  
from cars, there  
was no sign of  
forced entry

There are simple things  
you can do to help prevent  
crime and stay safe in your  
community.



*Make sure that doors  
and windows are locked*



*Don't leave your valuables  
on display in your home  
and remove them when  
leaving your car*

Police are targeting thieves  
in your area, but we also  
need you to play a part  
and *Help Yourself*.

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