



What can I do to make my home safer?

Start by emailing or calling the Tipp City Police Department's Community Resource Unit to join Neighborhood Watch! Then, try some of the following:

- Lock all windows and doors.
- Place exterior lighting at corners of your home so the perimeter is well lit.
- Keep your porch light on at night. The average cost per month of keeping a 40-watt light bulb lit from dusk until dawn is \$1.16 and 96¢ if you use a 7-watt compact fluorescent bulb.
- Do not hide a spare key on the exterior of your home.
- Use deadbolt locks on all exterior doors.

Who We Are

About Us

The men and women of the Tipp City Police Department work tirelessly to provide safety for you, your family, and your property. The Community Resource Unit establishes an informative, focused relationship between the citizens it serves and the police department.

Resources at your fingertips

Police (937) 440-9911

(for all police needs, [emergency or not](#))

Community Resource Unit

(937) 667-3112 x8326

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Records Bureau (937) 667-3112

TIPP Line (937) 667-TIPP

Website <http://www.tippcityohio.gov>

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Make our community stronger by making it safer through

Neighborhood Watch

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What is Neighborhood Watch?

Neighborhood Watch is a program designed to increase safety and improve the livability of your neighborhood through crime prevention and communication between neighbors – and between neighbors and police.

Why Neighborhood Watch?

It works. Throughout the country, dramatic decreases in burglary and theft-related crimes are reported by law enforcement in communities with active Watch programs.

“It allows us to be the police department’s eyes and ears.”

How do I start a Neighborhood Watch group?

Neighborhood Watch starts with any concerned resident — young or old, single or married, renter or homeowner. Even the busiest people can start a Neighborhood Watch. The program can also be done by a block of businesses interested in increasing the safety of their customers and employees. You can start by getting the interest of your fellow neighbors to discuss the level of interest and possible neighborhood problems and concerns.

Next, contact the Tipp City Police Department’s Community Resource Unit for a start-up packet. The packet will include a form for creating a participant list that will serve as a helpful phone tree when and if neighbors ever need to communicate with one another. Once the forms have been completed, a Community Resource Officer



will meet with you and your neighbors at scheduled Watch meetings for crime prevention training. You will learn about topics such as home and personal safety and how to identify and report suspicious activity. Additionally, any questions you may have about any aspects of law enforcement, the Community Resource Officer will answer.

What else?

Neighborhood Watch meetings are a great opportunity to meet and stay in communication with your neighbors! Also, additional events such as block parties are discussed and encouraged by Community Resource Officers at meetings.

We look forward to hearing from you!