

ROBBERY PREVENTION

BE SAFE

BE ALERT

Prevention Tips:

- Be Observant, Be Alert. Pay attention to your surroundings and persons around you.
- Do not allow cell phone conversations to distract you.
- Plan safe, well-traveled routes. Avoid dark, desolate, or poor lighted areas.
- Avoid walking or traveling alone if possible.
- Avoid displaying expensive items (jewelry, cell phones, audio players, etc...).
- Trust your instincts. If you sense trouble, get away as soon as possible.

If you are a victim:

- Make personal safety your number one concern. Property and money can be replaced.
- Remain calm.
- Do not resist.
- Carefully observe physical characteristics of the offender. Note as much detail as possible (clothing, shoes, age, race, height, hair, speech, odor, etc...).
- When it is safe, notify police immediately.

14th Police District Crime Prevention

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IF SOMETHING LOOKS SUSPICIOUS, DIAL 9-1-1

