



## **VACANT & UNDER CONSTRUCTION HOME BURGLARY PREVENTION TIPS**



**THERE HAS BEEN AN INCREASE IN BREAK-INS TO  
VACANT AND/OR HOMES UNDER CONSTRUCTION.**

**SUBJECTS MAY CASE OUT POTENTIAL  
TARGETS DURING THE DAY AND RETURN AT NIGHT.**

- Lock gates, windows and doors.
- Ask a trusted neighbor to bring up trashcans and newspapers.
- Consider installing a security surveillance system. Display the stickers on doors and windows.
- Keep an indoor and outdoor light on.
- Notify neighbors when construction or real estate companies will be at your residence.
- Install deadbolts to prevent doors from being pried open.

**IF A BURGLARY DOES OCCUR, CALL 911 IMMEDIATELY.**

**DO NOT** try to enter the premises – the burglar may still be inside. **DO NOT** disturb any evidence.

***Be Alert! If you see something, say something!***

**Call 911 for emergencies or crimes in progress**

**Crime Stoppers 1-800-244-TIPS**