



COUNTRYSIDE POLICE

CRIME ALERT

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The Countryside Police Department has been alerted to the following criminal activity in our area:

Over the past several months there has been an increasing number of high-end motor vehicle thefts from car dealerships in northern Illinois during the overnight hours. In these cases, multiple offenders make entry into the dealerships, generally through the service entrance, locate vehicle keys, and take multiple vehicles from the service area.

While conducting day-to-day business, please be aware of persons who appear to be casing your business or asking strange questions. You should also make every attempt to secure the keys to vehicles in the service area, on the sales floor, and in your lot.

The Countryside Police Department makes every attempt to patrol and monitor your business on a regular basis in the overnight hours.

Remember, any suspicious activity should be reported to the Countryside Police Department by dialing 9-1-1.

This information is being provided to make you aware of suspicious or criminal activity in the Countryside area. Please review this alert and take appropriate action.

Any questions can be directed to Deputy Chief Scott Novak at (708)352-2171.