

## *"Community Watch Invite"* This is an invitation to an upcoming Neighborhood Watch meeting.

Community Watch is a crime prevention program that enlist the participation of local residents in cooperation with the Cleveland County Sheriff's Department to reduce crime, improve the quality of life, and establish a sense of well-being by watching out for one another in your local neighborhood.

The Community Watch program is a highly successful effort that has been in existence for more than forty years in cities and towns across America. The program will provide crime prevention education and awareness, personal property identification, and home security tactics.

The program will include a power point presentation and discussion on our crime rate and an open forum with members of the Town Board and the Sheriff's Department. We encourage you to attend this important meeting and be prepared to ask questions about the crime in our area, how we as a community can do more to keep our neighborhoods safe and learn how our efforts will pay off. We really want your input on how we can make Waco safer so please make plans to attend.

In an effort to manage attendance, will be hosting two meetings. One loosely based on the specific issues on the South Main St. side of town and one to look at issues for the North Main St. side of town. Citizens are welcome to attend either meeting, or both if you want, so please pick one that best suits your schedule.

Dates:Thursday March 10th (South Main St.)<br/>Wednesday March 16th (North Main St.)Times:6:30 pmLocation:Waco Community CenterContacts:Sgt. Chris Canipe 704-484-4831<br/>John Barrett 704-718-8475<br/>Tracy Chichester 607-267-1679Christopher.Canipe@clevelandcountync.gov<br/>townofwaco@gmail.com<br/>prefcycl@gmail.com

"Light refreshments will be provided"