City of Lakeview Heights 385 Circle Drive Morehead, KY 40351

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Please do not park in the streets for an extended period of time and never block a stop sign. Leaving vehicles on the street is a safety issue for residents, emergency vehicles, school buses, garbage trucks and others.



Sheriff Matt Sparks attended the February Commission Meeting to address concerns of citizens regarding recent break-ins of vehicles in our City. He feels like the residents are already acting as a neighborhood watch group and doing a very good job.

He has the following recommendations in dealing with suspicions, attempted break-ins or actual thefts and he emphasizes that our duty is to be alert neighbors, observant and caring, and to report suspicious activity immediately to the proper authorities.

- First and foremost....CALL 911 TO REPORT ANY INCIDENT.
- NEVER be a vigilante and try to confront the perpetrator.
- Keep your individual properties well lit by turning on outside lights or even having KU install a security light on your property.
- Always lock your homes and cars.
- Do not leave items in your car....even a plain notebook can look like a tablet through a car window.
- Be on the lookout for suspicious activity, such as vehicles that appear out of place, persons on foot that are not familiar and are suspicious acting, anything out of the ordinary and call 911 to request assistance.
- Keep a watch on your neighbors' property, especially if they are not home.
- Always report suspicious activity to the Sheriff's office by calling 911 or Kentucky State Police at 606 784-4127.

There is also the possibility of a training session to support the actions of a Neighborhood Watch. If you are interested in attending such a session, please call 606 780-7613 and leave a message stating your interest with your name and phone number so that we may contact you with further information.

The City Commission has passed an amendment to Ordinance #34 concerning dumping on Lakeview Heights City property. The following is the addition to the ordinance.

Section 4. Violation of this Ordinance carries a five hundred (\$500.00) fine. Any Commissioner or the Mayor may propose this fine be levied by the Commission. If a motion to levy a fine incurred through violation of this Ordinance passes, then the Commission will notify the party or parties of said violation and the fine associated.

Section 5. All costs of cleaning up unlawful dumping are the sole responsibility of the person or parties cited by the City Commission or Mayor for violation of this Ordinance.

Section 6. Appeal of this citation must be made within 7 days of the date of notification of violation and citation. The citation shall only be overturned by a unanimous vote of the Commission to rescind the citation.

Thank you and if you have any questions, I may be reached at 606 356-2658.

Sincerely,

David Bolt, Mayor

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