

WANTED:

Neighborhood Watch Members

Help Prevent Crime in YOUR Area!

Orange enjoys relatively low levels of crime, but we can always do better. Neighborhood Watch is an effective crime prevention tool. It helps neighbors to develop relationships that prevent crime. The Orange Police Department invites residents to become active participants in neighborhood crime prevention.

Neighborhood Watch . . .

- ★ Is simply an organized program that involves neighbors watching out for each other and reporting suspicious activity to the police.
- ★ Encourages neighbors to get to know each other and their routines so that unusual activity can be reported.
- ★ Teaches neighbors *how* to recognize suspicious activities or crimes and how to report them.

Neighborhood Watch is very easy and the meeting is usually less than an hour. There can be as few as 4-5 neighbors on your street in attendance, but the more the better! The location can be in your front yard, home, driveway, or the end of the street. The meeting can be held at any time. The most popular days and times are Tuesday, Wednesday, or Thursday between 6:30 p.m. and 7:00 p.m. After the first meeting, the City of Orange will provide a FREE Neighborhood Watch sign in your neighborhood.

Just decide the best date and time for your initial Neighborhood Watch meeting, then contact the City of Orange Police Department Crime Prevention Bureau at 714-744-7327 (Brad Beyer) or 714-744-7464 (Michelle Micallef).



We hope you will join us in making Orange a safer City.

Let's take a BIG bite
out of crime!

