

Help Us to Help You Protect Your Property

For more information, contact the Schulenburg Police Department 979-743-2677.

When a person(s) breaks into a house or business they can be in and out in as little as three minutes, carrying your property with them.

Alarm systems help but tend to hurry the criminals, not prevent them from executing the crime.

An alarm is designed to summon an Officer, but generally, Officers are not in a position to catch the burglar at the scene of the crime.

The opportunity for intervention at the front of each criminal act is gone within minutes. But the stolen property carries with it the ability to lead our Officers back to the scene of the crime even back to the perpetrators. Unique serial numbers and your comprehensive property inventory list can help our Officers solve property crimes.

With the advances in technology, televisions, digital cameras, and computers have all become smaller and lighter, making it easier for the criminals to handle. It is very important that homeowners and business owners record their property information.

Record Existing Serial Numbers

Televisions, DVD Players, Blu-Ray Players, digital cameras, computers, and gaming systems all have manufacturer applied serial numbers.

If you will record your serial numbers and description of your items, that will greatly aid the Officers in returning your property if it is stolen.

It would also be beneficial to take a photo of the listed item for your records.

EXAMPLE

Sony 32" Flat Screen LCD Television - Serial # 123456789

Marking Your Property

The marking of your property with your Texas Driver's License Number will assist greatly. To mark your property, the best tool is an engraver.

Mark your property in a location that is not readily visible and that cannot be easily removed.

EXAMPLE

TX12345678DL

Place a box around the letters and numbers so no one can add any digits.

INVENTORY GUIDE

Use this inventory guide to record your property information. Place this written information into a safe or secure location.

Property Description:	Property Description:
Make:	Make:
Model:	Model:
Serial #:	Serial #:
Marked with DL?: Yes No	
Photos taken?: Yes No	Photos taken?: Yes No
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Upon Completion, store your inventory in a secure location so that you may reference it if necessary. In the event that your property is lost or stolen, please provide a copy of your inventory to the Officer investigating your case.