NEIGHBOURHOOD
WATCH
PROGRAM

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The Neighbourhood Watch Program is…

The Neighbourhood Watch Program is a crime prevention initiative based on communication between citizens and the authorities. The aim is to discourage and prevent crime in the neighbourhood by getting citizens to keep watch for each other. The Neighbourhood Watch Program brings collaboration as well as concerted action and helps us more effectively focus on fighting crime.

How does the program work?

The program is based on mutual assistance. You know your neighbours, their vehicles and, very often, their habits. In short, you are the person best placed to detect suspicious activity and individuals in the neighbourhood. And that is why you can help make your neighbourhood safer simply by getting to know your neighbours better.

Why get involved?

It couldn't be easier! You already know what is normal in your neighbourhood. By becoming an active member of the program and building relationships with your neighbours, keep an eye on what is happening in the area. If you notice a crime or suspicious activity in progress, you contact the police department. In this way, you not only help reduce crime, you also create a safer environment for your family.

To report an emergency, crime or suspicious activity in progress,
dial 9-1-1.

By getting involved in the program, you will help:

- Prevent crime in your neighbourhood
- Make your neighbourhood safer
- Improve the quality of life in your neighbourhood
- Build stronger ties with your neighbours and community spirit
- Increase your feeling of belonging, of being part of the community
- Develop closer relations with your Public Security Department

When you sign up for the program, your contact information will be given to Town of Mount Royal's Public Security Department. You will then be invited to attend Neighbourhood Watch Committee meetings, where you can speak with other members and share your concerns with the Public Security agents.

CALL
THE RIGHT NUMBER!

9-1-1
Police, firefighters, ambulance
For any emergency, crime or suspicious activity in progress.

514-280-0126
Neighbourhood police station 26 – SPVM
To report a crime not in progress or to request information.

514-734-4666
Town of Mount Royal Public Security
Enforcement of municipal by-laws, preventive patrols and home watch.

8-1-1
Info-Santé
To speak with a healthcare professional about non-urgent problems.

Advantages of the program

Program members enjoy several perks. These include:

- Stickers for your windows to discourage burglars;
- A map of your neighbourhood;
- Advice on protecting your neighbourhood and home;
- The opportunity to speak with the authorities and other members of the program.

The success of the program depends entirely on you. Take advantage of this opportunity to develop a good relationship with your neighbours and make your neighbourhood safer.

How do I join the program?

To become a member:

1. Go to www.town.mount-royal.qc.ca/public-security-services and fill out the registration form you'll find there.

2. The Town of Mount Royal Public Security will look over your file before registering you as a member.

3. You will then receive an information kit and stickers for your windows.

Are you leaving for a few days?

Contact us at 514-734-4666 and take advantage of our home watch service.

Qualified patrollers will check your home daily and pick up your mail free of charge.

Did you know:

- You can contact the Town of Mount Royal Public Security Department and arrange for a free security inspection of your property. You'll receive advice adapted to your needs, helping you to better protect your home from theft.

- Town of Mount Royal's Public Security patrollers can respond to your home alarm. For more information about the home alarm response service, call us at 514-734-4666.