

# be **AWARE** be **PREPARED**

## Robbery Prevention & Awareness Guide

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- Do not count out large quantities of cash in public.
- Carry only what you need in your pockets. Keep cash in small amounts in different pockets or use a money belt.
- There is safety in numbers; don't go out alone.
- Prostitution is illegal and can often lead to robbery
- Carry a cell phone. Even if you don't have service provider you can call **911** if the phone is charged.
- Be alert and aware of your surroundings.
- Do not take shortcuts.



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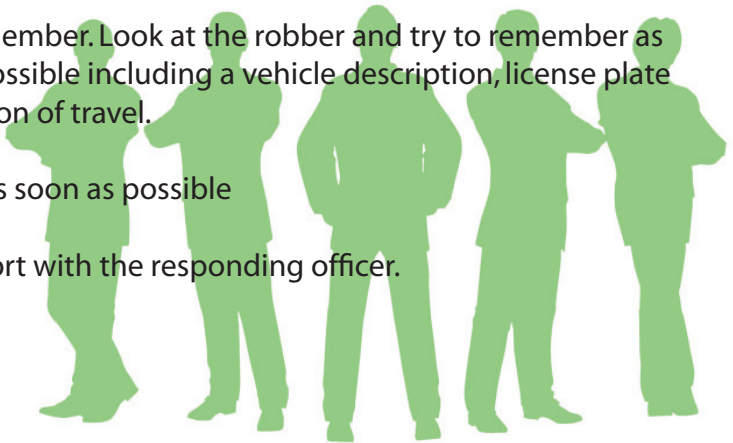


- If you think you are being followed go to a well populated or well lit area.
- Think ahead and avoid situations that put you in danger.
- If you drink alcohol, do so in moderation. Your judgment is altered when you are intoxicated.
- Call CCSO if you see anything that doesn't seem right. See it, Say it, make the call.

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If you are robbed, remember these tips:

- Stay calm. You will remember more about the suspect.
- Do not resist. Cooperate but do not volunteer to do more than what is asked of you.
- Try to remember. Look at the robber and try to remember as much as possible including a vehicle description, license plate and direction of travel.
- Call **911** as soon as possible
- File a report with the responding officer.



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