

Don't be an easy target for criminals

# Secure Your Garage



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Burglars often choose the garage door to gain entry to a home because it is usually the easiest point of entry.

## REDUCE YOUR RISK

- ★ Lock all doors leading into your garage
- ★ Keep valuables out of your garage
- ★ Register bicycles with the Irvine Police Department
- ★ Lock bicycles in your garage
- ★ Lock your vehicles – even when parked in your garage
- ★ Don't leave garage door remotes in your vehicle



- ★ Padlock the latch or door track when out of town
- ★ Look out for your neighbors
- ★ Change door locks when moving into a new house

- ★ Install a wide-angle peephole in the door between your house and garage
- ★ Report suspicious behavior immediately
- ★ Call 9-1-1 to report a crime in progress



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