Other Unusual Situations

Continuous repair work at an unusual location

- A person detaching parts or accessories from vehicles
- Broken windows of a business or residence
- Offers of merchandise or services at extremely low prices (If it sounds too good to be true, it probably is.)
- Heavy foot traffic to and from a residence

Situations Involving Property

- Large amounts of property in private homes or garages may indicate stolen property
- Property not normally found in vehicles such as TVs, tablets, loose auto parts, etc.
- Property carried by someone is not suspicious in general, unless it is at an odd hour or in an unusual place.

Your Help Is Needed

- While some suspicious situations could have innocent explanations, the Irvine Police Department would rather investigate than be called after it is too late.
- If you witness or are a victim of a crime, report it as soon as possible. Even a five-minute delay in reporting can significantly reduce the chance of catching the suspect.
- As soon as possible, write down anything and everything you can remember. Do not rely on your memory.

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Suspicious Vehicles

- Vehicles being loaded with valuables, especially repair or moving vans, may be involved in a theft or burglary, especially at an unusual hour or location.
- Vehicles making aimless or repetitive movements, particularly near schools, parks or playgrounds.
- Business transactions conducted from a vehicle, especially involving youth around schools or parks.
- Abandoned vehicles.
- Persons being forced into vehicles.
- A stranger in a car stopping or slowing to talk to a child.

Suspicious Vehicles Checklist

- Make
- Model
- Color
- License plate number and state
- Number of doors
- Number of occupants
- Male or female driver
- Unusual characteristics
- Last seen location
- Last seen direction of travel

Suspicious People

- Peering into parked cars, or attempting to open car doors.
- Loitering in front of, casing, or entering or leaving businesses after hours.
- When you know your neighbors are not home, anyone entering their house.
- Door-to-door solicitors refusing to show a business license, seen peering into windows or entering side or rear yards.
- Anyone forcing entry into a residence, business, or vehicle.
- Claims to be with a government agency or utility company without proper uniform or identification.
- A person exhibiting unusual behavior.
- A child resisting the actions of an adult.

Suspicious People Checklist

- Gender
- Race
- Age (approx.)
- Height
- Weight
- Build
- Hair
- Eyes
- Weapons
- Clothing
- Make note of tattoos or scars
- Last seen location
- Last seen direction of travel