



# CRIME PREVENTION TIPS

SHERIFF CHRIS NOCCO

SEE SOMETHING?  
SAY SOMETHING!



REPORT SUSPICIOUS ACTIVITY  
TO HELP KEEP OUR COMMUNITY SAFE.

## WAYS TO REPORT A CRIME OR TIP

### EMERGENCY? CALL 911

NON-EMERGENCY LINE  
727-847-8102, OPT. 7

CRIME TIPS LINE  
1-800-706-2488

REPORT A TIP ONLINE: [PASCOSHERIFF.COM/TIPS](http://PASCOSHERIFF.COM/TIPS)

REPORT A CRIME ONLINE: [PASCOSHERIFF.COM](http://PASCOSHERIFF.COM) CLICK  
ON "CITIZEN ONLINE REPORTING"



## PREVENT PACKAGE THEFT

- REQUEST A SPECIFIC DELIVERY TIME FOR WHEN YOU'RE HOME
- HAVE PACKAGES DELIVERED TO A TRUSTED FRIEND
- PROVIDE DELIVERY INSTRUCTIONS, SO PACKAGES ARE LEFT OUT OF SIGHT FROM THE STREET OR HELD FOR IN-PERSON PICK UP



## PREVENT SCAMS

- BLOCK UNWANTED CALLS & TEXT MESSAGES
- DON'T GIVE YOUR PERSONAL OR FINANCIAL INFORMATION IN RESPONSE TO A REQUEST YOU DIDN'T EXPECT
- NEVER PAY SOMEONE WHO INSISTS YOU PAY WITH A GIFT CARD OR USE A MONEY TRANSFER SERVICE

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LOCK YOUR DOORS.  
PROTECT WHATS YOURS.

REMOVE VALUABLES AND LOCK YOUR  
DOORS EACH NIGHT FOR THE

#9PMROUTINE

## COMPLETE A HOME SAFETY EVALUATION

- ENSURE ALL EXTERIOR DOORS & WINDOWS LOCKS WORK
- NEVER LEAVE A SPARE KEY NEAR DOORS
- SECURE BELONGINGS IN A SHED OR GARAGE
- CHECK THAT GATE LATCHES & FENCES WORK & ARE CLOSED
- KEEP PLANTS TRIMMED TO ELIMINATE HIDING SPOTS



## SIGNS OF HUMAN TRAFFICKING

LOOK FOR:

- LACK OF PERSONAL POSSESSIONS & IDENTIFICATION CARDS
- PHYSICAL SIGNS OF ABUSE, SUCH AS BRUISING
- SOCIALLY DISCONNECTED, INABILITY TO SPEAK ALONE & REHEARSED ANSWERS

IF YOU SUSPECT HUMAN TRAFFICKING CALL THE NATIONAL  
HUMAN TRAFFICKING HOTLINE AT: 1-800-373-7888



## PREVENT CAR BURGLARIES

- REMOVE ALL VALUABLES FROM YOUR CAR
- NEVER LEAVE YOUR CAR UNATTENDED WHILE RUNNING
- CLOSE AND LOCK ALL CAR DOORS & WINDOWS



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# ELECTRIC MOTORCYCLES

## STATE LAW REQUIREMENTS

Type	Driver's License	Registration	Roadway	Sidewalk & Bike Path
 Motorized Scooter/Go-Ped	No	No	Yes	Yes
 Pocket Bike	Yes	Yes*	No	No
 Moped	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes, only using pedal power
 Electric Bicycle	No	No	Yes	Yes



\* Pocket bikes are classified as motor vehicles; however, they cannot be registered for use on public roads because they do not meet the federal Motor Vehicle Safety Act standards. Pocket bikes may not be operated on sidewalks unless authorized by ordinance.



> EMERGENCY: DIAL 911  
 > NON-EMERGENCY: (727) 847-8102, OPTION 7  
 > WWW.PASCOSHERIFF.COM

# ELECTRIC MOTORCYCLES

## WHAT YOU SHOULD KNOW

Electric bicycles and pocket bikes are popular amongst young riders; however, some of these "bikes" are considered motorcycles by Florida State statute. Electric motorcycles that **do not have pedals** are subject to the same rules as traditional motorcycles.

## RULES AND REGULATIONS



They are considered a motor vehicle, and therefore must be registered and have a license plate.



Driver must possess a valid Class E operator's license with Motorcycle Endorsement.



Cannot be driven on sidewalks.



Must have helmet if under 21 years of age.



Must obey all traffic control devices and applicable traffic laws.



*These vehicles can reach dangerous speeds, and when driven in an unsafe manner, can impact the safety of the rider and others.*

LEARN ADDITIONAL MOTORCYCLE SAFETY INFORMATION AT:



RideSmartFlorida.com