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Construction Site Thefts

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The Flagler County Sheriff's Office is launching a new program to help prevent thefts at construction sites. This program will enable you to share live video feeds with the Sheriff's office. Sharing your camera feed will allow officers to respond to incidents at your location faster and equips deputies with advance knowledge of the situation.

Find more information regarding the program on our website <https://www.palmcoast.gov/building> under the Documents & Information

https://copc-strapi-production.s3.amazonaws.com/Community_Connect_FA_Qs_Flagler_County_SO_807f4f3029.pdf

https://copc-strapi-production.s3.amazonaws.com/Community_Connect_Explainer_Flagler_County_SO_dea9eed4e4.pdf

in addition, there are steps you can take to not become a victim of construction site crime

- Photograph appliances and distinguishing materials.
- Keep serial numbers and information about the items.
- Ensure materials are not being purchased too far in advance.
- Place cameras in the area.
- Post legal signage – Surveillance cameras in the area.
- Possibly place GPS/Air Tags on valuable items.
- Place motion activated lights in the area.
- Ensure appliances are being purchased/received during the end of the build.

- Ensure when appliances/valuable materials are delivered you can secure the site/appliances/valuable materials.
- There are companies that provide license plate readers/cameras that can share data with the Flagler County Sheriff's Office.
- Post legal no trespass warning signage:

“THIS AREA IS A DESIGNATED CONSTRUCTION SITE, AND ANYONE WHO TRESPASSES ON THIS PROPERTY COMMITS A FELONY.” For further information see F.S.S. 810.09 Proper no trespass warning signs are available for purchase at the Flagler County Sheriff's Office Operations Center located at 61 Sheriff EW Johnston Drive, Bunnell, Florida, 32110.