

HARLINGEN POLICE DEPARTMENT

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HOLIDAY CRIME PREVENTION TIPS

“How to prevent Theft or Vandalism of Holiday Lawn Ornaments”



During the Holiday Season many people decorate their homes & lawns with lights, inflatable figures, and other decorations. Thieves & vandals often target these types of lawn decorations / ornaments. The Harlingen Police Department would like to offer the following tips in an effort to prevent these types of crimes:

- Anchor the decorations in the ground
- Chain decorations to a nearby tree or other solid structure
- Install motion sensor lights
- Install a camera system
- Remove the decorations each evening and secure them inside



Report any suspicious activity to the Harlingen Police Department at (956)216-5490 / (956)216-5401 or call the Harlingen Area Crime Stoppers at (956)425-TIPS (8477).

Have a MERRY CHRISTMAS & A HAPPY NEW YEAR



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