



**Florence Twp. Police  
Community Policing  
Unit**



**Home Security Evaluation Application**

DATE: \_\_\_/\_\_\_/\_\_\_

NAME:           FIRST                   MIDDLE                   LAST                   \_\_\_/\_\_\_/\_\_\_  
DATE OF BIRTH

ADDRESS: NUMBER                   STREET                   DEVELOPMENT

(\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_ (\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_  
HOME PHONE                   EMAIL                   CELL

**HOME SECURITY EVALUATIONS**

Burglary and theft are crimes of opportunity. A door that is easy to open, a dark house, or an open window or garage door, are seen as opportunities by criminals. By thinking safety / security first, and taking some simple steps to secure your home, you can reduce these opportunities. In doing so, you reduce the risk they present to your family and property.

The Florence Township Police Department is committed to the safety and welfare of its residents. Therefore the Florence Township Police Community Policing Unit is offering free **Home Security Evaluations**. If residents are interested in having an evaluation performed please complete the application and forward same to the Community Policing Unit at [Jgreenberg@florence-nj.gov](mailto:Jgreenberg@florence-nj.gov) or they can be dropped off at the Florence Police Department 711 Broad St. Florence, NJ 08518.

Once an application is received, an appointment with an Officer will be scheduled. The Officer will respond to your residence and complete the following checks and make suggestions to help increase safety in and around your home.

## EVALUATION:

### Yes No

- 1. Do exterior lights illuminate all entrances to your home?
- 2. Is shrubbery kept trimmed so a burglar can't hide near windows and doors?
- 3. Are garage doors kept closed and locked at all times?
- 4. Are exterior doors made of solid core construction (including door leading from garage to house)?
- 5. Is there a peephole viewer (180°) on the front door?
- 6. Are sliding glass doors secured with auxiliary locks or pinned, and are screws in the track to prevent removal of doors?
- 7. Are exterior doors secured with a deadbolt lock (single or double cylinder) with a minimum 1 inch throw?
- 8. Are windows secured with auxiliary locks or pinned?
- 9. Do you report suspicious persons or activity in the neighborhood to the police immediately?
- 10. Are doors locked at all times?

If you are able to answer **YES** to all of the above precautions, you have greatly decreased the likelihood of your home being burglarized. Check to see who is at the front door before opening it to strangers. Require identification from all repair and delivery personnel. If in doubt, check the authenticity of the identification by calling the company before letting the person into your home. Check I.D. through the peephole viewer. A wide angle viewer is easy to install and inexpensive.

If you answered **NO** to any of the questions or would still like to have an evaluation of your home. Please complete the application and an appointment will be scheduled.

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