

# PREVENT BUSINESS ROBBERY

## FOLLOW THESE ROBBERY PREVENTION TIPS FROM McGRUFF:

- ✓ Control your flow of cash. Install a drop safe for large bills, post limited cash signs, use secured services to make bank deposits, and never count money when the store is open.
- ✓ Keep your back door and storerooms locked at all times, and install an alarm or video monitoring security system.
- ✓ To deter criminals, keep your business clean and orderly and use bright lights at the entrance, in the store, and in parking lots.
- ✓ Increase visibility in your business with lower shelves, mirrors to monitor all entrances, and limited external signs.
- ✓ Use fences and landscaping to limit quick access to and from your business.

- ✓ You are part of the community in which your business is located. Offer incentives to attract desired clientele especially when open in late evening and early morning hours.

- ✓ Train your employees on how to behave during a robbery and other such safety measures as greeting all customers and establishing eye contact.

To learn more about protecting your business from robbery, visit [ncpc.org](http://ncpc.org) or contact your local law enforcement agency.



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