

CAMPUS CRIME ALERT

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POLICE URGE CAMPUS TO BE ALERT FOR VEHICLE AND BICYCLE THIEVES

SMU has experienced a number of vehicle and bicycle thefts over the past 10 days.

The vehicle thefts have been reported to be 2003 or 2006 Chevrolet Tahoes, located mostly in the area of the fraternity houses. There was also a 2004 Chevrolet Silverado truck stolen, but it has since been recovered by the Garland Police Department. A possible suspect vehicle has been described as a black Chevrolet SS Blazer with red trim and black rims, unknown license plate and unknown year model. Some of the vehicles have been stolen in the evening hours around 6:00 PM to 8:00 PM. The vehicles have been reported stolen from the following areas:

- Behind McElvaney Hall in the South Quad Lot
- In front of the Kappa Sigma House, 3022 SMU Blvd.
- The alley behind the Phi Gamma Delta House, 3064 SMU Blvd.
- Criminal attempt to steal a vehicle, Phi Gamma Delta House, 3064 SMU Blvd.

The bicycle thefts have been reported in the following areas:

- The bicycle rack of Mary Hay Hall
- The bicycle rack of Shuttles Hall
- The bicycle rack of Cockrell McIntosh Hall
- The bicycle rack of the Service House
- The bicycle rack of Owens Fine Art Center
- The bicycle rack of the Dedman Center for Lifetime Sports

Anyone with information regarding these crimes is asked to contact the SMU Police Department at 214-768-3333 or by email at police@smu.edu.

If you wish to remain anonymous you can call 214-SMU-2TIP or email www.smu.edu/2tip.

SAFETY TIPS:

- Report any crime or suspicious activity immediately by calling the SMU Police Department at 214-768-3333 or 911. Time is of the essence in such situations.
- Always lock your vehicle and store all valuables out of plain view.
- Secure your bicycle with a U-lock to a bicycle rack and not a railing or a light pole.