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The La Grange Police Department has received several reports of Burglary to Motor Vehicles in the early morning hours of November 27, 2017. Twenty-three reports of vehicles being unlawfully entered have been taken. Additional reports were taken in Western Springs and Countryside. The areas impacted in La Grange include the 00 Block of North Park and Dover, 00 Block of S Catherine, 100 block of S Kensington, and the 600-1000 blocks of S Ashland. In each instance, the suspects entered unlocked and parked vehicles in residential driveways.

The incidents in La Grange appear to be substantially similar to events reported in neighboring jurisdictions and the LGPD continues to work with our surrounding jurisdictions in an effort to identify and apprehend suspects.

As a reminder:

- Don't be an easy target
- Keep all vehicle doors and windows closed and locked at all times. Lock the trunk, hatchback, or tailgate to block access into your vehicle. Close all windows and the sunroof. Never leave keys inside the vehicle.
- If your vehicle has an alarm system please use it.
- Remove visible items of value (wallet, purse, electronics, etc.) from the vehicle.
- Park your vehicle in an area that is visible to the public. If possible, park your vehicle in a garage.

As always, if you see or hear any suspicious activity, please call the police immediately and in an emergency dial 9-1-1.

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