



## *Community Safety Plan*

The safety of The Islands Community is a team effort and requires the relentless effort of the whole community. If you observe anything out of the ordinary, please contact the Town of Gilbert Police Department at **480-503-6500**.

1. The Board of Directors commits to hosting a semi-annual Town Hall Meeting with the Town of Gilbert Police to educate residents and answer police and crime related questions.
2. The Board of Directors commits to continuing to communicate educational information through bi-monthly emails, community website, Facebook and the quarterly newsletter.
3. Neighborhoods can establish a Town of Gilbert “Block Watch”. This program promotes citizen and police cooperation in reducing crime within a community. In Gilbert, communities who desire participation into this program are encouraged to assign a coordinator, contact a Crime Prevention Specialist by calling 480-503-6527 and host an initial activation meeting with your own community. <http://docplayer.net/34497305-Neighborhood-blockwatch-coordinator-s-manual.html>
4. If you are going to leave your home for a short period of time, please sign up for the Town of Gilbert “Vacation Watch” program. This program offers the Police Department scheduled for extra patrol to check on your property. To sign up for this program offered by the Town of Gilbert Police Department, call (480)50-6527 or go to <https://general.gilbertaz.gov/eForms/police/frmVacation.cfm>.