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## PRESS RELEASE



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The Guilford Police Department is investigating several thefts from unlocked motor vehicles that occurred during the over night hours January 16th 2017 into January 17th 2017. In seemingly all cases, the victim vehicles entered were all unlocked. The thefts took place in the Sachem Head, Indian Cove and Water Street areas. In these incidents, the interior of the vehicles were gone through and credit cards, wallets, purses, electronics, money etc. were taken.

Over the past few weeks, other rashes of thefts from motor vehicles occurred in town within condo complex parking areas. Again, these victim vehicles were determined to have been left unlocked.

The Police Department would like to remind the public that locking your vehicle and removing items of value from plain view inside the car is the simplest and most effective way to prevent becoming a victim of theft. Officers are actively investigating these thefts and are following up on multiple leads.

If you have any information about these, or any other crimes in Guilford, please contact the Police Department, via the routine call number at (203) 453 8061. Anonymous tips can be left on the Guilford Police Tip Line, (203) 453 8240.