GopherWatch Monthly Safety Report: December 2020
Prepared by the Office for Off-Campus Living and neighborhood partners

*Read about our methodology and find additional information on our webpage http://ocl.umn.edu/safety/.

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Crime Highlights:

➔ A robbery occurred near the 700 block of University Avenue SE at approximately 6:45PM on Monday, December 14th in the Marcy-Holmes Neighborhood.
  ◆ The victim was attacked by three males.
  ◆ One suspect was armed with a knife.
  ◆ Unknown losses occurred as a result of this robbery.

➔ Shots fired occurred near the 2500 block of Talmage Avenue SE on two occasions. The first incident occurred at 2:30PM on Wednesday December 23rd. The second incident occurred at 7:00PM on Saturday December 26th.
  ◆ Officers located shell casings and damage to property including homes and vehicles in both incidents.
  ◆ No individuals were hurt in the incidents.
  ◆ The suspect was a male wearing a puffy jacket and using a black handgun.
  ◆ The suspect vehicle is described as an older black sedan.

Safety Notes:

➔ Crime levels are reduced month-to-month compared to November for many crime categories. It is important to remember that winter break typically results in lower crimes for a multitude of reasons.
  ◆ Continue to use awareness and take personal measures to reduce victimhood as classes resume and you return to campus.

➔ The 2nd Police Precinct of Minneapolis has issued an Advisory for Theft of Motor Vehicle (auto theft).
  ◆ Over 75% of auto thefts occurred in recent weeks were idling, unattended, with keys inside.
  ◆ Prevention Tips:
    • Do not leave your vehicle idling and unattended.
    • Do not leave your keys or a spare key inside of the vehicle.
    • Delivery drivers: shut off your vehicle, lock the vehicle, and take keys with you when picking up or dropping off items even if you think you will be gone for only a short time.

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