Fire Rescue: 9-1-1

## Police Emergency: 9-1-1

Business:(248)975-9200

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Michele Economou Ureste West Bloomfield, MI 48325 Township Supervisor

Dear

Homeowners Association Representative,

The Township of West Bloomfield has experienced an increase in copper thefts within the past couple of months. The perpetrators have not yet been discovered and we are asking your help in preventing further acts of theft from occurring. We believe the thieves have committed their crimes during the daylight hours when most people are away from home. The targeted houses are usually vacant due to foreclosure, but on at least one occasion the house was for sale.

The West Bloomfield Police Department is working diligently to solve these crimes and catch these criminals. We are also patrolling the neighborhoods in an attempt to prevent further thefts from occurring, but we cannot be everywhere and we need your help. Please advise the residents in your association of these recent events and ask them to be our 'eyes and ears' by being aware of any suspicious activity occurring their neighborhood. The greatest foe of the criminal is a neighborhood where people look out for each other and where the public and the police work together for the good of all. Should your members see something unusual have them call the West Bloomfield Police Department at 248-975-9200 or they may also call 9-1-1.

Thank you for your assistance in disseminating this information and helping keep our community safe.

Sincerely

Officer Rick Trabulsy Crime Prevention Unit West Bloomfield Police Department