



# EAST RUTHERFORD POLICE DEPARTMENT

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Chief of Police

The East Rutherford Police Department and our “Eyes on East Rutherford” Neighborhood Watch invites you to become a member. The time involved is minimal but it gives you an opportunity to learn how to prevent crime while being updated on any crime trends within our town. Listed below is a short synopsis of what our members do:

- Hold regular meetings to help residents get to know each other and to decide upon program strategies and activities.
- Sponsor a crime and drug prevention fair at a church hall, temple, shopping mall, or community center. Currently we do our “East Rutherford Night Out Against Crime”
- Physical conditions like abandoned cars or overgrown vacant lots contribute to crime. Sponsor cleanups, encourage residents to beautify the area, and ask them to turn on outdoor lights at night. Even if it’s 1 neighbor you reach it will make a difference.
- Watch groups are not vigilantes and should not assume the role of the police. Their duty is to ask neighbors to be alert, observant, and caring—and to report suspicious activity or crimes immediately to the police.

The next meeting will take place on Tuesday October 11<sup>th</sup> at 7:00 pm at Police Headquarters. If you are interested in joining please fill out the information below and return it to Police Headquarters, attention record room or just bring it with you on the 13<sup>th</sup>.

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Cell: \_\_\_\_\_

Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_