

## **2010 Current Trends in Stash Houses**

**Houses tend to be rental properties with enclosed garages.**

**Occupants do not work and are there during the day.**

**Occupants come in and out during work hours**

**You don't see them move in or move furniture in [home is suddenly occupied]**

**maybe just a bed or mattress is inside**

**Originally suppose to be male/female renting the house, but only see males coming and going.**

**You see no movement for days or even weeks then see a flurry of movement.**

**Occupants only come and go through the garage.**

**They shut garage door before exiting vehicles**

**Typically the garage light won't work so people can't see in**

**They are usually there during the day**

**There are extra coverings on windows especially the front and back arcadia door.**

**Cardboard**

**Blankets**

**Porch lights always on.**

**You will see occupants moving their vehicles out of the garage to let other vehicles in garage**

**Most people do not move their own cars out of the garage for visitors.**

**Out of state plates [destination states: Michigan, Ohio, Georgia]**

**American made vehicles**

**Mexico Plates**

**Paper tag/temp**

**Don't get mail/just third class junk**

**No trash cans usually put out on trash days**

**Trash is piled up in the back yard**

**They put trash in vehicles and dump it somewhere else**

**Occupants are not friendly, don't socialize with other neighbors and keep to themselves.**

**They don't do what normal people i.e. water the yard, check mail, or go to work.**

**If you see any suspicious activity at a vacant home in your neighborhood, day or night, please contact the Glendale Police Department's non emergency number 623-930-3000. If the situation is an emergency or in progress please call 9-1-1.**

**The sooner the problem can be identified, the sooner it can be appropriately addressed. Early identification of a potential problem is the key to resolving it quickly and with as little impact to the home owner and neighborhood as possible.**