

# Community Alerts

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## ***"Home Invasion"***

(area of Briarcliff Rd. & Henderson Mill Rd.)

On Tuesday, July 27<sup>th</sup>, an incident of a Home Invasion was reported against an elderly male in the Briarcliff Road – Henderson Mill Road area at approximately 1:15 p.m. This incident appears to be a crime of opportunity. The perpetrator may be known to frequent this area, possibly on foot.

### Description of perpetrator:

Black male, height: 6'2", weight: 270 lbs., age: 35-40

Clothing: brown felt Fedora type hat, white shirt, brown pants, white shoes

### Victim's vehicle was taken from the location:

1979 Lincoln Continental, gold in color, (similar to picture)

GA tag #AEN4112



If you are familiar with the aforementioned perpetrator and/or have seen him in the area, please do not hesitate to report it to the DeKalb County Police Major Felony Unit at (770) 724-7850 or 7890.

### Ways to possibly avoid becoming a victim:

- Before answering your door, always attempt to identify the person calling
- Be aware of your surroundings at all times
- Stay in contact with elderly neighbors and offer to assist with tasks around their home
- Avoid giving personal information to unknown persons/strangers
- Call **911** if a suspicious person/vehicle are witnessed in the area

\*\*\* Remember if you don't inform the Police, the Police don't know what's happening in your neighborhood. \*\*\*



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