

## Neighborhood Watch Quarterly Block Captain Training

## **Topic: CPTED (Crime Prevention Through Environmental Design)**

Presenter: CPS B. Plano & K. Sawyer

Date: Tuesday, May 28th 2013

Time: 6:00-7:30pm

Where: Laguna Niguel City Hall Community Room

## 30111 Crown Valley Parkway, Laguna Niguel

What kind of message does it send when a property has bars over the windows, graffiti, 6-foot fencing with barbed wire on top? It says, "This place is not safe! Stay away! Although these things may make the building safer it does not make the area any safer. Crime Prevention Through Environmental Design (CPTED) provides a common sense, pro-active way to improve the safety of your community. CPTED works by eliminating opportunities for criminals in and around your property. The goal of CPTED is to make the criminal uncomfortable and to increase the number of people looking at the property.

Join us this evening to learn more about CPTED principles and better ways you can make your home more secure while striving for a "crime-free" community.

**Crime Prevention Unit** 

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