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CONSIDERING AN ALARM SYSTEM UPGRADE?

There are many new features that a new alarm system may have that your current system does not. Cellular transmission and Total Connect Service are examples of new technology that you may want to take advantage of. Cellular transmission allows the alarm to transmit signals without using telephone lines. This is a great feature if you are thinking of disconnecting your telephone lines or going with VOIP. Total Connect allows you to manipulate your alarm system with your smart phone. Consider an upgrade or adding these two features to your existing system. Call us anytime for a free estimate (530) 243-2521.

EMAIL BILLING or ACH

Consider going paperless for your monthly billing. Your invoices can be emailed to you or your monthly payment can be automatically deducted from your checking or savings account.

To sign up for email billing, just write your email address on your next statement stub and request that we set you up for email billing.

If you are interested in an ACH draft from your checking or saving account, please see the reverse side of this newsletter. It has the form you will need to fill out and return to us along with a voided check. ACH drafts are simple and easy and saves you from having to write out a check each month. After we draft your account, we will email you a paid invoice. Call Serina if you have any questions, she will be happy to help you (530) 243-2521.

REFERRAL CREDIT

\$25.00

Give us a referral. If we install the alarm, you get a \$25.00 credit on your next invoice.

Tel: 530-243-2521
Expiration Date: 12/31/17

HOME SECURITY/FIRE SAFETY TIPS

1. **CLOSE THE GARAGE DOOR.** Open garage doors are an invitation to burglars. Even when you are home don't leave the garage door open. It provides easy access to everything in your garage and, if you have a garage to house door, access to your home.
2. Inspect smoke and carbon monoxide detectors for dust and lint build up that can hinder sensors.
3. Never leave notes on the door for service people or visitors to your home. It is a sign to burglars announcing that you are not at home.
4. Take advantage of our security stickers and signs. They are an effective deterrent. Please let us know if you need new stickers or signs. They are available for pick up at our office.
5. If you are going to post pictures of your vacation, wait until you are home. Don't announce on social media that you are out of town.
6. Install security cameras that work in conjunction with your security system. For more information regarding security cameras contact Stuart at (530) 243-2521.
7. Every time you leave your home, arm the security system. It doesn't do any good if it isn't turned on.
8. Consider installing smoke and heat detectors that tie to your alarm system. They are monitored just like the security system, and the fire department will be dispatched if there is an activation. You may also get a discount on your insurance.
9. Regularly clear and dispose of dry or dead vegetation around your home. Keeping a defensible space around your home is essential to improve your home's chance of surviving a wild-fire. Create a buffer between every building on your property and the grass, trees, shrubs, or any surrounding wild land area.
10. Remove branches that overhang your roof and remove all leaves and pine needles from the roof and rain gutters.
11. Make a fire escape plan for your family. Find two exits out of every room. Make sure all doors and windows leading outside open easily. Pick a meeting place outside that is a safe distance from the home where everyone should meet. Teach children how to escape on their own in case you can't help them. Practice your home fire drill at least twice a year.