

W Police Department

Community Safety Bulletin

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As the new school year begins, The W Police Department would like to share some general campus safety information:

- The W Police Department can be contacted at (662) 241-7777 or by calling 911.
- Officers are available 24/7 and regularly patrol campus.
- If an incident arises that poses an imminent threat to campus, a W-ALERT will be issued.
- If you plan to have a bicycle on campus, we encourage you to register it with our department: https://www.muw.edu/police/bicycle-registration/
- The W Police Department offers the following services: vehicle jump offs, vehicle unlocks and Night Owl Program.

We all play a role in campus safety. Remember to always be aware of your surroundings, secure your vehicle, report emergencies and suspicious activity to The W Police Department immediately!

Night Owl: The Night Owl Program is available to The W and MSMS communities. A security officer will accompany individuals anywhere on campus property. To request an officer, contact The W Police Department and provide your school ID to the officer. The Night Owl Program operates Monday-Friday, from 8 p.m.-1 a.m. If the security officer is not available, a patrol officer will accompany individuals.

W-Alert Reminder: In the event that a situation arises, either on or off campus, that constitutes an ongoing or continuing threat, a campus wide "timely warning" will be issued. The warning will be issued through the University's text messaging system called W-Alert to students, faculty and staff. Take a moment to ensure you are signed up for the W-Alert at www.muw.edu/police/preparedness/walertsignup.

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