

SECURITY POLICY

Adopting a security policy will help reduce your exposure to theft and vandalism. Such a policy should include these points:

- Lock and secure all equipment every day – assign responsibility to operators and site supervisors.
- Specify new equipment with lockable doors, fluid fills and engine access covers.
- Install lock out / lock up points on existing equipment.
- Report all instances of vandalism or theft to police.
- Audit jobs for compliance with your security policy.
- Secure small tools and equipment in gang boxes, trailers or remove them from the site.
- Maintain accurate inventory records to detect and report thefts and vandalism.
- Install motion sensing floodlights on trailers and outside storage containers.

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EQUIPMENT VANDALISM PREVENTION TIPS

Vandalism costs construction firms time, money, productivity and a lot of stress. Here are some simple techniques to reduce this common problem.



SECURE YOUR EQUIPMENT

- Always remove keys from equipment and lock cab doors.
- Lock fuel supply and all engine access panels.
- Use a unique key for your equipment to frustrate vandals.
- Use the master electrical disconnect and lock the access panel.
- Replace glass with Lexan to reduce breakage or cover the glass.
- Provide company name and a 24 hour phone number on the equipment.
- Engage neighbors and others on the job to watch your equipment.
- Park in well-lighted, visible areas. Use motion sensing security lights.
- Use an interlocking parking pattern to secure equipment.
- Chain and padlock equipment to each other.
- Install fencing when possible to reduce access to your site

PRODUCTS AND SERVICES

LOJACK monitors Equipment:

<http://www.lojack.com>

Register your equipment with the NATIONAL EQUIPMENT REGISTRY:

<http://www.nerusa.com>

Many equipment manufacturers offer GPS based fleet management systems that include locators and alarm functions.

Third party GPS and alarm providers can provide equipment location and monitoring services including trailer and container alarms.

The Equipment Lock Company has specially designed locking accessories for most types of mobile equipment. Visit them on the web at:

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WORK WITH LAW ENFORCEMENT

- Provide Product Identification Numbers (PIN), photos and descriptions of the equipment to law enforcement.
- Maintain a 24 hour contact number so law enforcement or fire department can reach you in an emergency or to confirm after hours site access.
- Request additional patrols and discuss who has after hours access and authorization with local police.
- Report any theft or other criminal activity immediately to law enforcement.
- Request that any stolen equipment be entered into the National Crime Information Center (NCIC) and follow up in three days to confirm entry.