



# Montana Crime Prevention Association

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**The Montana Crime Prevention Association (MCPA) is a professional organization encompassing community representation at all levels dedicated to providing collaborative partnerships and education that addresses, encourages, and supports crime prevention efforts across Montana. We exist to promote comprehensive awareness about the role that effective crime prevention plays in improving the quality of life for all.**

## Current Officers

**President:** Robert Putzke,  
MSU Chief of Police

**Vice President:** Robert Scheben,  
Missoula PD Crime Prevention  
Officer

**Secretary:** Don McGiboney,  
Cascade County Retired and  
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## Collaborative Leadership

MCPA develops and maintains successful collaborative leadership with law enforcement, community groups, Native American governments, elected officials, and the general public. The Association has the ability to provide support, referrals, and technical assistance that addresses real issues.

## Education/Training

The Association is knowledgeable about the needs and activities regarding crime prevention across the state. MCPA co-hosts the Annual Montana Crime Prevention Conference with the Montana Board of Crime Control, offers specialized trainings, offers informational flyers in membership packets, and responds to individual community needs.

## Information

MCPA offers countless informative crime prevention resources on its website. These resources include general crime prevention safety tips, links to other public safety organizations and coalitions across Montana and the United States, updates regarding upcoming crime prevention trainings and events, and quarterly newsletters. The website may be accessed at [www.mtcrimeprevention.org](http://www.mtcrimeprevention.org).



**“Take a Bite out of Crime!”**



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Be sure to check out our website ([www.mtcrimeprevention.org](http://www.mtcrimeprevention.org)) for invaluable resources, including safety tips and crime prevention programs for the following topics:

**Business Watch**

**Carjacking Protection**

**Child Safety**

**Crime Prevention Through Environmental Design**

**Current Common Scams**

**Cyberbullying**

**Domestic Violence**

**Drug Take-Back Program**

**Home Burglary Prevention**

**Identity Theft**

**Neighborhood Watch**

**Online Shopping Safety**

### **Donate**

You may donate to MCPA, a nonprofit organization, either on our website or by check. If you would like to donate by check, please mail it to:

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**Thank you for your support!**

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### **Annual Montana Crime Prevention Conference**

“Crime Prevention: Connecting People, Connecting Communities” is the theme for the annual Montana crime prevention conferences, which is hosted in conjunction by the Montana Board of Crime Control and the Montana Crime Prevention Association. The conference brings together law enforcement, educators, and leaders from the public and private sectors, including all levels of city, county and state government, to discuss real problems and share the solutions that are working across the state. Participants bring home to their communities new ideas that can be implemented immediately.

### **Building Regional/Community Capacity**

The Association is the driving force in the development of sustainable regional, local and Tribal Reservation crime prevention structures within the State. MCPA uses a grassroots approach in assessing community crime prevention issues/needs and developing programs to respond to those needs, thus enhancing public safety.

### **Join MCPA**

Upon becoming a member of MCPA, you will receive a packet in the mail containing crime prevention information and resources. As a member you will also be sent an electronic copy of the quarterly newsletter, receive special updates on upcoming trainings, conferences, and events, and be provided with access to the MCPA message board. You may apply for an MCPA membership by visiting our website at [www.mtcrimeprevention.org](http://www.mtcrimeprevention.org).



**“Crime Prevention Is Everyone’s Business”**