

# Westborough Police Department's Alert Network Overview

## Instantaneous and proactive communication from local law enforcement to you

The **Alert Network** allows the Westborough Police Department to instantly update you about crimes, emergencies and other important information.

- **Citizen Alerts** inform all registered users of public safety concerns in your area. The Alerts contain details including complete descriptions, actions to take and when possible photographs. Alerts are delivered via e-mail to your inbox and or digital device.
- **Business Alerts** are targeted to specific business types, so your business will receive information about crimes that are pertinent to your business type. Alerts are delivered via fax, and e-mail to your inbox and or digital device.
- **Case Alerts** allows law enforcement to automatically disseminate information about open cases to all registered CitizenObserver users. Alerts are delivered via e-mail to your inbox and or digital device.
- **Watch Group Alerts** allow law enforcement to send targeted alerts to specific neighborhoods with information about crimes that are happening in their immediate area. Alerts are delivered via e-mail to your inbox and or digital device.

## Two-Way Communication between the public and local law enforcement

Possibly the biggest benefit of the Alert Network is the way it make possible two-way communication between law enforcement and the public.

- Law Enforcement can **update citizens** on situations that require their attention.
- As we the public learn about **fugitives, missing persons and unsolved cases**, we can provide tips directly to the officer/deputy assigned to the case.



## Sign Up Today

Help create a stronger community by signing up to receive Citizen, Business, and Neighborhood alerts. You'll get information directly from your local law enforcement agency that impacts your community.

It's easy!!

1. Go to [www.citizenobserver.com](http://www.citizenobserver.com)

2. Click on the link found in the left column.



3. Fill out the form and you're done ... then **spread the word** and invite your neighbors to join.