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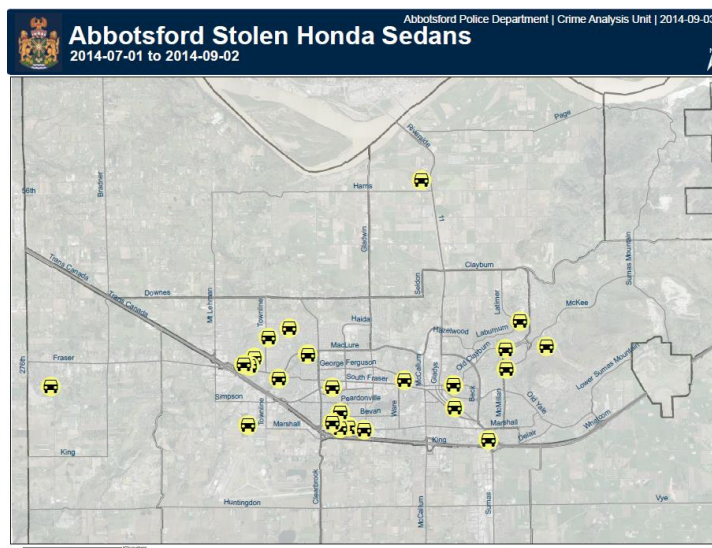
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Incident: Spike in Stolen Hondas in Abbotsford

Abbotsford – September 3, 2014

Since July 1, 2014 there has been a significant increase in stolen Honda passenger vehicles in Abbotsford. Of the 102 passenger vehicles stolen in the last two months (July 1 to September 2), 24 have been Honda products. This represents almost 24% of all stolen passenger vehicles. These are unprecedented numbers and percentages. In the previous 64 day period there were just 2 Honda passenger vehicles stolen. There were 37 Hondas stolen in all of 2013 but year to date in 2014 there have already been 41 stolen. These numbers represent a 32% increase in stolen Hondas in Abbotsford 2014 compared to 2013.

The Abbotsford Police Department continues to offer free anti-theft steering wheel lock devices to Abbotsford Registered Owners of Hondas in the pre-2004 model years. To obtain your complimentary anti-theft device simply attend our Community Policing Office at 105 – 34194 Marshall Road with your registration documents.



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Anyone with information about auto theft should contact the APD at 604-859-5225, text us at 222973 (abbypd), or call Crime Stoppers at 1-800-222-8477.

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