#### Who we are

We are a full-service security company with a state license. We provide uniformed, armed, and unarmed officers for malls and shopping centres.

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# Counter Theft Program





### HALING SECURITY SERVICES

## Reducing Crime in Desert Sky Mall

Desert Sky Mall is a busy business centre that attract people due to their unique merchandise and services. Therefore, the mall places a high premium on criminal activity. The security of your business depends on your ability to defend it and take precautions. Realizing that by taking the necessary steps and implementing Haling Security Services, you may minimize the harm done to your business and its assets in the event of a break-in or theft.

#### Crime experienced at the mall

- Shoplifting
- Armed robbery
- 2 Burglary
- Automobile theft
- Assault

#### Theft Statistics in Desert Sky Mall

**Larceny/Theft** - The average number of theft-related crimes reported between 2020 and 2022 was 1150.

Burglary - Between the years 2019 and 2022, the average burglary crimes reported were 400.

**Motor vehicle theft-** Desert Sky mall have had a 6% increase of car theft in the past two years as compared to the previous years.

**Assault and shoplifting-** The two have made major headlight almost every month in the news which calls for an immediate attention (NIBRIS, 2022).



#### Why do Crimes Keep Happening?



After weighing the costs and benefits of committing the crime, offenders will do so. They will decide to commit the crime if the advantages outweigh the drawbacks (Cornish and Clarke, 2017).

## Common reasons for offenders of different age groups

Youths – Lack of awareness, get expensive items, excitement Adults-Jobless, rooted in crime through environment influence and background.

#### Where we come in



#### We provide Physical presence

If there is a greater likelihood of not being detected, criminals are more willing to commit a crime. Maintaining a physical security presence at your place of business will aid in preventing crime or other undesirable scenarios. It is more likely that you will maintain the safety of both your workforce and company. If a customer feels protected, they are more likely to visit a business. A better environment is created for

everyone—you, your team, and your clients—when you feel secure.

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### What We Offer

#### Anti-Theft

**Install CCTV Cameras** - These cameras have closed circuits. Businesses at the mall will have live and recorded video surveillance via CCTVs both during open and closed hours.

**Install Alarm System** – Installing an alarm system is one of the best ways to protect your business from theft, burglary, etc. This usually serves as a sufficient deterrent to criminals and deviants.

**Entry Point Check** - The majority of crimes are motivated by opportunities. If there is no chance for gain, open windows, unlocked doors, readily available keys, etc., can deter criminals as well. The quote style is used here. It's excellent for highlighting a few crucial points.

#### Crime Prevention Through Environmental Design

CPTED is a crime prevention approach that has a main focus of improving that design of the current built environment to help reduce the opportunities for violence and deviant acts. All while promoting a positive outlook and behavior Communities that apply CPTED design have reported to decrease violent crime, gun violence, youth homicide, and disorderly conduct (Crowe and Fennelly, 2013).

#### **Perform Background Checks**



Background checks may not appear necessary to some people. However, there are situations when the most trusted individuals are employees who steal or conduct fraud.

#### **Keep Track of Keys - (Chain of Evidence Signage)**



Keeping track of each key that is given to your current employees ensuring that each key is handed back when an employee leaves your company.



#### **Inventory Control**



Your business can reduce internal theft by using an accurate and secure inventory system. When entering the building/business, third-party vendors are required to present identification and sign in.

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