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## **COMMUNITY SAFETY IN REGIONAL AND RURAL COMMUNITIES**

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The town I live in is beset with break ins , car thefts, burglaries all by a select few . The police arrest them the courts let them run free. The least they could do is ti impose a curfew enforceable by arrest & detention because the police know who they are , where they live and so do many townspeople. They sit inside their welfare funded houses and wait till night to venture out to do their worst. Give the police some help in this situation , a curfew. Its not as if they have jobs to go to .