

CATALYTIC CONVERTER THEFTS

27 REPORTED CATALYTIC CONVERTER THEFTS FROM 09/01/22 – 09/17/22



Protect your catalytic converter by following our advice:

- Report suspicious activity or any sounds of power tools used in the late and early morning hours to North Hollywood Police Dept
- Park vehicle in garage, driveway or fenced area
- Park in a well-lit area with motion detector lights or continuous lighting.
- Install high-resolution video surveillance.
- Install a catalytic converter-specific security device, or have it welded to the car frame.
- Mark or etch the converter with the license plate or VIN, this will help identify property when recovered.
- Install security system on your vehicle.



ATTENTION:

**VALLEY VILLAGE AND STUDIO CITY AREAS
TOYOTA PRIUS VEHICLES TARGETED**

What is a catalytic converter? A catalytic converter is an emission control device that sits in the exhaust of most vehicles. The converter contains metals such as platinum and palladium. The metals once extracted can be sold. When it is removed, a rumbling noise is heard once the engine is turned on.

Report crime or suspicious activity by calling 911 OR (818) 754 -8301.

