



CHICO POLICE DEPARTMENT

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The Chico Police Department encourages the public to record important serial numbers and photograph property in case of loss or theft.

NARRATIVE:

The Chico Police Department has a free mobile app available for Apple and Android phones. The app contains a *property module* that allows the user to photograph, record the serial number, and describe the details of their property. This information is stored in the phone. In the event that an item is lost or stolen, the user can email the information directly to the Chico Police to be included in the case file when making the report. The serial number will then be placed into the state-wide Automated Property System by the department.

Without the serial number, photographs, and/or details, finding the owner or getting property back to the owner is a near impossible task. Using the app to photograph important items takes only a few minutes, and greatly increases the likelihood of getting lost or stolen property returned to the rightful owner

The mobile app can be found in the iTunes and Google Play stores by searching "Chico Police Department", and is free to download and use.

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Item Name
Samsung Note 5

Serial Number:
356865dgh456

Description
Purchased 7/12/15. \$500
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