

# As the Holidays Approach

As the holidays approach, so do some dishonest folks looking for a way to finance their gift-giving.

There are some that may try to stage an accident or exaggerate a legitimate claim in an effort to obtain a quick settlement.

It is important to stay vigilant when it comes to claims fraud.

## **FOLLOW THESE SIMPLE STEPS TO HELP MINIMIZE FRAUDULENT CLAIMS:**

- Keep all interior flooring surfaces clean, dry and free of defects.
- Make sure the parking lot is free of potholes and other blemishes.
- Keep “Caution Wet Floor” signs easily accessible for posting.
- Keep restrooms cleaned and maintained.
- Photograph all accident scenes.
- Obtain all witnesses’ addresses and phone numbers.
- Inspect all your cameras to make sure they are working properly.
- Make sure you copy all video to a tape or CD.

Following these basic tips will help cut down on fraud and assist in keeping your insurance premiums as low as possible.

Should you have any questions or need further assistance, please visit our website, send an email or call us.

