



## City of Phoenix

### Crime Prevention Through Environmental Design (CPTED) Interior Design: Bars/Restaurants/Nightclubs

- Place the cashier, cash register, or host/hostess stand near the main entrance:
  - This allows the customers and the entrance to be monitored.
- Regulate the flow of customers:
  - Use shelving, tables, and marked aisles;
  - Make sure as much of the establishment is visible as possible by employees and customers;
  - Orient the seating design in a manner that allows the employees and managers to always see most of the business.
- Lock doors that are off-limits to customers:
  - Use doors with keypad locks or keys so that only authorized people can enter.
- Make it difficult for people to go where they are not allowed:
- Make sure all areas of the building are adequately illuminated:
  - Interior lighting should not leave any dark spots inside of the building;
  - If the lighting is dimmed, make sure it is not so dark that people are able to move around unnoticed
  - Keep restrooms and other concealed areas well illuminated.
- Place any ATMs or self-serve machines inside the building and in a well-visible area.