



The Value of Your Vehicle

Recently one of our clients had a vehicle stolen, along with over \$40,000 of specialist equipment and fit-out.

Having a vehicle stolen creates huge administrative and operational costs for a company. The knock-on effects of the physical and monetary losses, staff downtime and job delay or incompleteness all negatively impact the smooth operation of a business for some time. Staff are put under pressure filing Police Reports, dealing with insurance companies and managing the asset and equipment replacement process. Additionally there is the intangible impact of lost data, files or research which can only be measured against the time required for staff to replace their work.

The Value of EyeFleet

Fortunately, in this instance the vehicle in question was fitted with FleetSmart EyeFleet Asset Tracking. The client was able to quickly log on to cardlinkonline.co.nz, punch in the vehicle's registration and pinpoint its real-time location. Police were called in, and the offenders were arrested when they came to a stop at a park in Otahuhu.

EyeFleet tracked the vehicle from the time it was uplifted, showing the route the thieves travelled and noting each time the engine was turned off or started.

Because of information provided by EyeFleet, the vehicle was able to be located and retrieved before any of the fit-out or equipment was removed. The client explained the invaluable role EyeFleet played in the return of the asset, saying "The vehicle (a 2009 Toyota Hiace) on it's own is worth \$40,000, but the equipment is worth between \$40,000 and \$50,000, and whilst we could have organised a replacement the cost and time involved would have been lengthy".

The Client is also quick to point out that the uncomplicated and user-friendly EyeFleet system provides exactly what they need to receive day-to-day benefits from a GPS system.

"We have had EyeFleet in our vehicles for about six months, and have found that it has increased productivity. It tells us where vehicles are at any given time so we are able to track who is closest to the next job. It's easy to use and does a good job."



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The value of EyeFleet is immeasurable - outside of regular logistical and utilisation efficiencies, the savings possible in circumstances such as this are impressive, as shown below:

Cost of having EyeFleet

\$318.00
per annum

\$1590.00
for the life of
the vehicle

Cost of Stolen Vehicle

Cost of Vehicle (second hand)	\$ 36,000.00
Cost of Stock	\$ 40,000.00
Total Cost of Stolen Vehicle	\$ 76,000.00

Introducing Warren Kendall

As the Service Delivery Manager for FleetSmart I am responsible for the development and management of our enhanced services such as the EyeFleet GPS system and the PoolBook vehicle booking system.

With our team of industry specialists we are able to analyse your needs and design a service and technology package that optimises the efficiency of your fleet. Whether you are after recommendations or value added services, we can help.



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