

**Clinton County Sheriff's Office
News Release**

TO: Area News

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SUBJECT OF RELEASE: FINANCIAL SCAM

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NARRATIVE: Sheriff Favro is advising all news outlets of a new recent financial scam. The parameters of the scam are this : A subject Claiming to be an Investigator or Officer advises the person they called, that they have a warrant for missing Jury Duty. The Scammer then advises the person to go to the Walgreens etc, to get Greendot Bank Money Pak gift cards to pay the "Court". The Scammer then asks for the codes from the cards that essentially gives them access to the money on the cards.

Sheriff Favro wants members of the public to know that no Commissioner of Jurors, Police Officers / Deputy Sheriff's or the Courts will ask persons for gift cards or would ever request money over the phone.

If you have concerns about the legitimacy of any agency or entity, please reach out to them directly.

Thank you.