

Clinton County Sheriff's Office
News Release

TO: Area News

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SUBJECT OF RELEASE: Fraud

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NARRATIVE:

The Clinton County Sheriff's Office is informing the residents that there is a financial scam circulating.

The nature of the scam involves receiving a phone call from an "unknown number". The person on the phone identifies themselves as a "Sergeant" from "the Sheriff's Office".

This Sergeant tells the potential victim that he/she had missed Jury Duty and if they do not make a \$500 payment on a gift card, then there would be a warrant for his/her arrest.

Law Enforcement would never make this type of phone call or request. Never provide your personal information or banking information to anyone who you do not trust/know.

If there is a concern about your presence at Jury Duty, you will receive mail from the Commissioner of Jurors with instructions.