

Shipping Store in Seattle Urges Community to Recognize Signs of Money Scams

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Seattle, Wash. ? The Mailbox Seattle, a shipping center in Seattle, WA, has noticed an uptick in money scams being perpetrated in their community and wants to warn people to remain vigilant and do their research before sending money, either via mail or digitally. By being aware of the red flags and taking precautions, residents can help protect themselves from becoming a victim of fraud.

Electronic money transfer has revolutionized the way people live and conduct business. It is now possible to make payments and send money without having to worry about carrying cash or a checkbook. However, although electronic payments are increasingly convenient, they also come with the danger of being scammed. By luring victims in with a phone call, letter or even just a few clicks on the internet, scammers can easily get their hands on some quick cash.

Imposter scams take on many guises, but they all swindle victims out of money by deception. Whether it is an email or phone call telling someone that they have won a prize and just need to pay a nominal fee, telling

someone to send money via wire transfer or cash in the mail to avoid legal action from a government office,

or being asked to bail out a friend or family member in dire straits, it can all be part of an elaborate scheme.

With so many ways for these thieves to steal hard-earned cash from people, it pays (literally) to be extra

careful.

It is important to always investigate before taking any action if something feels off about a call, email or letter

asking for money to be sent. Receival of a prize notification, for example, should be researched to make sure

that the promotion is legitimate and that any fees needing to be paid are valid. It is also worth noting that a

government office will never request money to be wired or cash to be mailed to pay an overdue fee. If such a

request is made, reach out to the government office in question and determine if any overdue fees exist.

Finally, if a random text, email or call comes through requesting immediate funds to be wired or mailed to

rescue a friend or family member, contact that person directly to ensure he or she truly requires it.

As a local business and provider of package drop off services, The Mailbox Seattle strives to keep its

neighborhood informed and is hoping that by sharing the easy methods outlined above, its customers will

avoid becoming victims of money scams.

For more information about The Mailbox Seattle or the services they offer, call them today at (206) 728-1228,

visit their website at mailboxseattle.com or stop by in person at 300 Lenora St, Seattle, WA 98121 to speak

with team members who are committed to providing each customer with the highest level of satisfaction.

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