

NEWS RELEASE



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NATURE OF STORY: PUBLIC AWARENESS WARNING

DETAILS:

The Lane County Sheriff's Office recently received information from a concerned citizen about a situation which we believe may be a telephone scam.

The citizen received a phone call from a person representing themselves as calling on behalf of the Lane County Sheriff's Office and was soliciting for money. The Sheriff's Office does not make calls of this type and does not solicit for donations.

At this time we have received only one report of this type of phone call.

We are asking citizens to be aware of these types of calls; and, if they receive similar phone calls to contact the Sheriffs Office at 682-4150.

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