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INFORMATIONAL BULLETIN

Utility Bill Scam

Be aware of the recent scam that seems to be targeting local businesses and residences. An individual calls the business or residence and alleges that he is from Duke Energy, and the electric bill must be paid immediately or the electric will be turned off. The caller asked for the businesses' or individual's bank information account number, routing number, etc. This is a scam attempting to get your banking information. If you should ever receive a call from any utility company making such a claim, hang up and get the phone number of your utility company from your billing statement and call them to verify any such information.