

BEWARE OF STIMULUS CHECK SCAMS

Wááshindoon déé' Béeso Ła' Ch'í deet'á Ha'ní nééh Áájì 'Ih na'adlo'ígíí Baa'áko
nínízin

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Congress has passed a federal stimulus package that will provide most Americans with a check to offset lost income due to the Covid-19 state of emergency. Check will be sent in a few weeks. This means that you will receive a direct deposit check to your bank account (if your previously filed income tax return included that information) or a paper check that will be mailed to you.

Kináhálgai Wááshindoon déé' Naat'áanii yah anájahígíí Béeso ła' ch'ih dei deezá díí Ts'ííh niidóóh Náhat'éits'áadah Bee honeeztł'ahígíí biniinaa. Naanish ni' kódaalyahígi chi dei doo'ít' t'áá' shíí díkwíí damóó nihaa yíl yeed doo. Ła' naazí shíí Che' bich'í' áda doolnííł Béeso' á' áán naaz nil jí' dóóda go éi t'áá' naaltsos béeso da bikáá' go ni haa niná hi doo jaah.

Scammers are already trying to take advantage of this situation.

Ih na'alo' t'áá' ídąą' kwé'é yee' ih ni' doo lohígíí yaa héesh jée'.

How to Spot a COVID-19 Federal stimulus scam: Ts'ííhnii dóóh Náhat'éi ts'áadah bee ho neeztł'ahgi béeso Wááshindoon déé' ch'ih dee t'ánigíí kót'áo béé hózin:

- **Government agencies will not contact you** through social media, phone, text or email.

Wááshindoon bił Honí'áan déé' éi doo haa da yit'éego béesh lichí'ii bee da hane'ígíí dóó béesh bee hane'é da doo yee nich'í' ho dool nih da

- **Government agencies will not ask you to verify your personal information or provide banking details.** It is not “necessary” to provide this information in order to receive your stimulus check.

www.cabq.gov/scams or Call 311 for help

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Wááshindoon Bił Honí'áan déé' éí doo bee' éé dahózínii dóó Béeso Hasht'é' síníł nilígíí 'íishjáán ánílééh doo ni di doo nił da. Díí bee' ééda hózinii' éí doo wósh déé' níida Wááshindoon Bił Nahazáa déé' kwé'é béeso nihich'í' ál nééhgi.

- **Government agencies will not ask for your social security number.**

Wááshindoon Bił Honí'áan déé' dó' doo Naaltsos dootl'izhí bik'ehgo ni da'anishí doo yókeed da.

- **Government agencies will not contact you to get your funds “immediately” or “faster”.**

Wááshindoon Bił Honí'áan déé' dó' doo kót'áo t'áádoó hodina'í béeso nídi díí nił níida.

- **Government agencies will not ask you to pay a “processing fee”.**

Wááshindoon Bił Honí'áan déé' dó' doo kwé'é náá'ásdláago' hasht'e dool níł ní da.

If a scammer calls or contacts you, don't engage – hang up – delete the email – do not click on a link.

Díí nił íish jání 'ályaa hígíí binají' Bi na' adlo'íhígíí ła' nich'í' hoolne'go béesh bee hane'é t'ó da ní díí' ál, dóó béesh łichí'ii da yee nich'í' hool ne' go t'ó nah góó kó díil íł, dóó kwé'é yił taşh go --click níł níigo dó' dooda.

WATCH OUT FOR:

Díí Dó' Baa' ákó Nínízin:

- **Government imposters** – confirm websites from look-a-like website. Make sure it is a legitimate government website before believing any information provided to you.

Wááshindoon Bił Honí'áan déé' dó' yéé da' adle' ts'ídá t'áá' aani nahalin go hada dé t'éego Béesh Łichí'ii bii jį' díí website wolyéhígíí da hóló. Hazhó'ó na níkkah go' chii níłį.

- **When in doubt**, assume it is a scam.

T'óó yó bił néi yí ní líigo 'I'di dleeh shíí' at'é.

Government websites: Wááshindoon bi website: Bini' t'áá Bilagáanaa k'ehjí Bikáá' go bée hózin.

IRS: www.irs.gov/coronavirus.

US Treasury: <https://home.treasury.gov/>

REPORT SCAMS TO: Kojį' ih nida'alo'ígíí baa hodíłnih:

Federal Trade Commission: <https://www.ftc.gov/>