

# Hamilton County Sheriff's Office

Jim Neil, Sheriff

## MEDIA RELEASE



### Impersonating Police Officer Phone Scam

**Cincinnati, August 10, 2020** – Hamilton County Sheriff Jim Neil reports that a male caller has contacted several Hamilton County residents identifying themselves as a Major with the Hamilton County Sheriff's Office. The caller advises the victims that they are wanted or have missed a court appearance and demanded that they pay their fines.

The Sheriff's Office would like to remind the public that warrants and capiases are never served over the phone, and no Sheriff Deputy would attempt to collect money in this manner. If you have any information regarding this incident, or if you have received a call similar to this please report it to the Hamilton County Sheriff's Office at (513) 825-1500.

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