

EAU CLAIRE COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE

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PHONE 715-839-4709

The Eau Claire County Sheriff's Office would like to make the public aware that the Sheriff's Office phone numbers of 715-839-4709 and 715-839-4707 have been compromised. Citizens are reporting they are receiving calls from the Jail or a Sheriff's Office employee. They are being told a loved one was either in jail or that the Sheriff's Office was looking for them or a family member. In some cases, they are requesting money to bail out the loved one.

We do provide instructions about where to go to post a bond and other helpful information but the Sheriff's Office does not request personal information, such as credit card numbers, over the phone. Please do not give out any personal information over the phone.

If you receive such a call, you are asked to dial the number back to verify that it is a Sheriff's Office line. Please note the 715-839-4709 is the Sheriff's Office main line and is answered Monday-Friday from 8 a.m. to 5 pm. On the weekends, it will roll over to a voice mail line.

Should you have questions or concerns, please contact the Sheriff's Office at 715-839-4709.