

HOW TO SPOT A SCAM

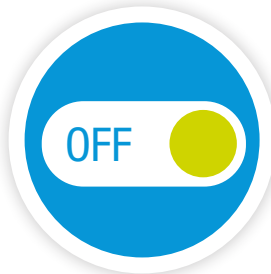
Don't become a victim.

In one of the most common scams, a caller may:



Pretend to be from your utility. (Your caller ID may even display your utility's name.)

Threaten to turn off power, water or natural gas service to your home or business within an hour.



Demand immediate payment – often by prepaid debit card.

Suspect a scammer?

Here's what to do if the call seems suspicious:

- 1 Hang up.
- 2 Call the police.
- 3 Call your utility provider at the phone number on your bill.



DO NOT pay over the phone if immediate payment is demanded to avoid a disconnection.