

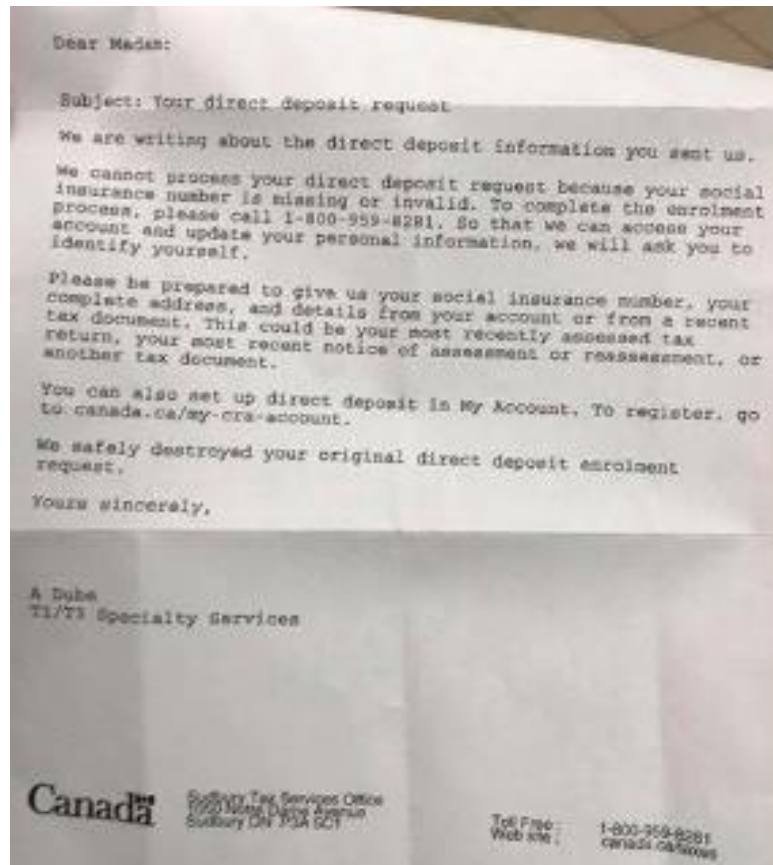
CRA Scam – Thanks to Ponoka Rural Crime Watch

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The recipient of this letter called the CRA and they confirmed it is a scam. The CRA number in the letter is the correct telephone number. Usually these scammers are hoping people will not take the time to call as you are usually put on hold and will go to the website instead thinking it will be faster.

The site is not a CRA site and this where they get your information. Remember to always call if you are not expecting this kind of communication or if something just does not feel right. It is also best to not call the numbers given, although this one did have the correct CRA telephone number.

Look up the number just to be safe.



Income tax time and more and more scams coming through.

Anyone can call the Canadian Anti Fraud Centre at 1-888-495-8501 and report scams they have encountered.

If you have information about this, or any other crime(s), and you want to remain anonymous, you can contact Crime Stoppers by phone at 1-800-222-8477 (TIPS), by internet at www.tipsubmit.com/, or by SMS (check your local Crime Stoppers [www.crimestoppers.ab.ca/] for instructions on how to do it.) You do not have to reveal your identity to Crime Stoppers, and if you provide information to Crime Stoppers that leads to an arrest(s), the recovery of stolen property, and/or a seizure of illicit drugs, you may be eligible for a cash reward.