



CONSUMER ALERT

Energy Efficiency Rebate Email Scam

The County of Summit Office of Consumer Affairs would like to alert residents in Akron about an email that is being sent out. The email contains an offer supposedly from the City of Akron which says that homeowners can receive up to \$1,500.00 in rebates from the City when they replace their old inefficient HVAC units with new energy efficient ones. According to the Akron Police Department the City of Akron ***is not*** offering any type of rebate for the replacement of HWAC units.

Chris Verich, Deputy Director of the Office of Consumer Affairs says that “Consumers should first ignore this email, but if these or other SPAM emails persist they should mark them as junk or spam in their email service.”

For more information on this or other types of consumer issues, please contact the Office of Consumer Affairs at 330-643-2879 or visit our website at <https://consumeraffairs.summitoh.net>.