



POLICE ADVISORY

**South Simcoe
Police Service**

DON'T GET SCAMMED WITH GIFT CARDS

If at any time you are requested or demanded to pay a bill, debt or penalty using a pre-paid credit card or gift card, hang up on the caller and **CONTACT POLICE**.

No legitimate company or organization accepts payment using pre-paid credit cards or any type of gift card.

If you have been requested or ordered to pay with gift cards or pre-paid credit cards for any of the following you are being scammed:

- Pay taxes in arrears to the Canada Revenue Agency (CRA)
- Pay to have someone unlock your computer
- Pay someone for an overpayment into your bank account
- Pay someone back because they gave you a cheque worth too much money.

DO NOT PAY ANYTHING USING GIFT CARDS

If in doubt – Ask the CLERK at the store.

Let's Work Together to stop this CRIME!!!

(705) 436-2141 “0” or (905) 775-3311 “0”