

## SHERIFF'S OFFICE AND U.S. MARSHALS SERVICE WARN CITIZENS OF JURY DUTY SCAMS

The Shelby County Sheriff's Office, along with the U.S. Marshals Service, has received a number of complaints regarding telephone scams involving jury duty, outstanding warrants, or failure to appear. **These jury duty scams pretend to be officials with General Sessions Courts, State Courts, or Federal Courts.** The Shelby County Jury Commission will never ask past or prospective jurors for financial information, credit card or social security numbers, nor will they instruct you to purchase pre-paid gift cards to have warrants removed for failure to appear for jury service. No one will dispatch a law enforcement vehicle to come pick someone up to be arraigned for contempt of court. Please DO NOT provide any information to anyone claiming to be associated with the Courts of Shelby County, the Sheriff's Office, U.S. Marshals Service, State Courts, or Federal Courts. Please DO NOT leave your home to meet these individuals at ANY location and please DO NOT send any money. Should you receive a call of this nature, notify law enforcement.

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