

District Court of Kansas 29th Judicial District

Chambers of
Hon. Robert P. Burns
Chief Judge
Division One



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The Wyandotte County, Kansas District Court is warning people about a phone scam being perpetrated by an individual impersonating a Wyandotte County Sheriff's Deputy. The caller alleges that you have missed jury duty or other court appearance or owe money to the court and that a warrant has been issued for your arrest. The suspect demands money in order to avoid arrest.

According to Chief Judge Robert P. Burns, "The Wyandotte County District Court does not issue arrest warrants for missing jury duty and neither the court nor the Sheriff's Department would initiate phone calls to discuss any information about warrants or monies owed. If you receive such a phone call, please hang up and do not engage with the caller."

If you have suffered financial loss as a result of this scam, please call the Wyandotte County Sheriff's Office at (913) 573-2861, or your local law enforcement agency.