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**POSSIBLE SCAM INVOLVES MAN CLAIMING TO REPRESENT
SHELBY COUNTY REQUESTING PROPERTY DEED DOCUMENTS**

The Shelby County Trustee has been made aware of a scam by someone claiming to represent the Shelby County Trustee's Office and requesting paperwork and deeds related to their property being sold at tax sale.

This individual does not work for Shelby County or the Shelby County Trustee's Office. Shelby County notifies property owners of any tax sale action through the U.S. Postal Service. Shelby County does not request any legal documents in person.

The caller to the Trustee's Office described the man with a dark complexion driving a black pick-up. The man provided the resident a yellow card with a name and post office box and phone number.

The Trustee's Office has made the Memphis Police Department aware of this incident and anyone being solicited by an individual claiming to work for Shelby County or the Shelby County Trustee's Office is advised to contact the MPD at 901-545-2677 or Sheriff's Department at 901-222-5600, immediately.

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