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Fire Department Fundraising Scam

Clay Fire has had area residents reporting someone calling from a number in Wisconsin; 888-218-4298 (this number answers as the "Indiana Firefighters Sponsor Office). They claim they are taking donations of \$10, \$20, or more, to benefit every fire department throughout the State of Indiana. When requested, they refuse to send out anything on paper to clarify the fundraiser. This is so that you will give them your credit card information.

Since there is no such fundraiser currently going on nor has there ever been such, please do not make any donations over the phone. You may report this information to the Office of Indiana Attorney General at 317-232-6330 – Consumer Complaints, so they may follow-up with an investigation.



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