

# Prince William County Police

## Community Awareness



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### SCAM ALERT – Free Netflix® for One Year Text

Did you receive a text claiming to be from Netflix® offering a free 1-year subscription due to Covid-19?

If so, it isn't from Netflix, this is a Phishing scam.



#### What to do if you clicked on the link...

##### Suspicious text messages (SMS)

###### iPhone, iPad, iPod Touch

1. Tap and hold the message that you want to forward.
2. Tap **More...** and then the Forward arrow ➦.
3. Enter **phishing@netflix.com**.
4. Tap Send ➤.
5. **Delete** the message.

###### Android

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3. Enter **phishing@netflix.com**.
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5. **Delete** the message.

\*Information from Netflix®

<https://help.netflix.com/en/node/65674>

#### Tips:

- Never click on a suspicious link, go directly to the company website.
- Never provide financial information through an unsolicited text or email.
- Contact your financial institution if you believe your information has been compromised.
- Do not click on any link to “opt out”.
- Delete the text message.

If you believe you have received a “Phishing” text or email, you can report it to both the company and the FTC at <https://www.ftccomplaintassistant.gov/>.

## REPORT ALL SUSPICIOUS ACTIVITY TO THE POLICE

**Emergency: 911 - Non-Emergency: 703-792-6500**