



Wyoming Secretary of State

Notice: Beware of Scams Targeting Wyoming Businesses

Attention Wyoming Business Owners,

We have recently become aware of a scam involving fraudulent text messages purporting to be from our office, labeled as "WYOGOV." These messages contain information about filing requirements and include a link to a suspicious website that prompts users to pay \$199 for filing assistance.

Please be advised that these messages are not from our office. All official electronic correspondence from our office will come from a **wyo.gov** email address. The Business Division of the Wyoming Secretary of State's office routinely sends official notices related to business filings, including due date reminders, delinquency notices, and receipts, but these notices are sent by email, not text message.

If you receive any suspicious communication, please do not click on any links or provide any personal information. Instead, contact our office directly at 307-777-7311 or business@wyo.gov to verify the legitimacy of the message. You may also want to consider contacting your credit card company to dispute any fraudulent charges or institute a chargeback.

To help you identify legitimate communications from our office, please note the following:

1. **The Business Division does not send text messages** – Any communication via text message claiming to be official correspondence from the Business Division is fraudulent.
2. **Official Email Addresses** – All official email correspondence will come from a wyo.gov email address.
3. **Verification of Links** – Always verify the legitimacy of links before clicking. Our official website is sos.wyo.gov. Be cautious of websites that look suspicious or unfamiliar.
4. **We do not send invoices** – The Business Division does not send invoices to businesses, whether via text message or email. Any invoice purporting to be sent by the Business Division is a scam.

We are committed to protecting Wyoming businesses from scams and fraudulent activities. If you have any questions or need further assistance, please do not hesitate to reach out to us.

Thank you for your attention to this matter.