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ROCKPORT RESIDENTS URGED TO CONTACT POLICE DEPARTMENT REGARDING SUSPICIOUS PHONE CALLS

ROCKPORT, TX – Over the weekend, several Rockport citizens received calls from individuals claiming to be associated with the City. Because of the nature and timing of the calls, the residents contacted the Rockport Police Department.

“We are unsure if these are limited incidences or if there is a bigger ‘phishing’ scam going on to determine if residences are vacant,” noted Criminal Investigation Division Commander Jerry Lawing. “Regardless, we are asking citizens to contact us if they do receive suspicious calls related to City activities.”

In addition to investigating these calls, the Rockport Police Department is reaching out to other law enforcement agencies in the Coastal Bend to determine if these are isolated incidents or a targeted effort.

If you do receive an unusual call, please contact Commander Lawing at 361-790-1105.