



HAMILTON COUNTY COALITION to **STOP** FRAUD, SCAMS & ABUSE



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Commissioner Hartmann and Council on Aging to present to Lincoln Recreation Center on elderly fraud and scams

WHEN: TODAY, May 31
11:00am

WHERE: Lincoln Recreation Center
1027 Linn Street
Cincinnati, Ohio 45203

WHAT: To help educate our elderly residents on the dangers of financial exploitation, the Hamilton County Coalition to Stop Fraud, Scams & Abuse will present to Lincoln Recreation Center as part of a month-long 'Senior Fraud' tour of several senior centers and living communities in May.

Hamilton County Commissioner Greg Hartmann and Polly Doran from the Council on Aging of Southwest Ohio will share possible signs of fraud, how seniors can protect themselves, and where victims should report these crimes. Senior fraud can include telemarketing scams, home improvement scams, identity theft and many other crimes.

About the Hamilton County Coalition to Stop Fraud, Scams & Abuse

The Hamilton County Coalition to Stop Fraud, Scams & Abuse is a partnership of social service agencies, business leaders, nonprofits and local law enforcement united to pro-actively educate Hamilton County residents on the dangers of consumer fraud, identity theft and scams in our community. The Coalition developed a *Comprehensive Community Plan* to help consumers, created a website www.hamilton-co.org/fraud and conducts monthly community outreach events to educate citizens in our community to detect, prevent and report fraud and scams.

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