

## **DON'T GET SCAMMED**

Customers can avoid being scammed by taking a few precautions:

- Never provide your social security number or personal information to anyone initiating contact with you claiming to be a company representative or requesting you to send money to another person or entity other than Atlantic City Electric.
- Always ask to see a company photo ID before allowing any Atlantic City Electric worker into your home or business.
- Never make a payment for services to anyone coming to your door.

With New Jersey and the world experiencing the impact of the COVID-19 pandemic, Atlantic City Electric is reminding customers to always be on alert for potential scams targeting energy customers. Scams occur throughout the year, but the company has seen an increase in scam attempts with scammers using this health crisis to take advantage of energy customers throughout the United States. We have received reports that scammers are threatening to shut service off, discount energy bills, and also are offering cash or credit incentives in order to obtain a customer's personal or financial information.

## **PROTECT YOURSELF**

- Atlantic City Electric representatives will never ask or require a customer with a past due balance to purchase a prepaid debit card to avoid disconnection.
- Customers can make payments online, by phone, automatic bank withdrawal or by mail.
- Customers with a past due balance will receive multiple shut off notifications never a single notification one hour before disconnection.\*

IF YOU HAVE ANY DOUBT ABOUT THE VALIDITY OF A PERSON'S CLAIM TO REPRESENT ATLANTIC CITY ELECTRIC, PLEASE CALL US IMMEDIATELY AT 800-642-3780.

\*We have temporarily suspended service disconnections until at least May 1, 2020. Any calls regarding disconnections during this time are likely scams.

