



# NEWS

## *Treasurer and Tax Collector Keith Knox*

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### **COUNTY OFFICIALS WARN AGAINST PROPERTY TAX SCAM**

#### **"Distraint Warrant" Scam**

**LOS ANGELES, CA** - Los Angeles County Treasurer and Tax Collector, Keith Knox, is alerting the public to an alleged property tax scam, whereby taxpayers are notified of Distraint Warrants as a means to collect unpaid taxes.

The Los Angeles County Treasurer and Tax Collector does not issue Distraint Warrants. If you receive a letter like this one: [click here](#) and it appears to be sent from the Los Angeles County Treasurer and Tax Collector, **it is a scam! Do not fall victim to it.**

Constituents who receive this type of notification should report it to their local law enforcement agency.

If you have questions about your property taxes, please contact our office.

#### **HOW TO CONTACT OUR OFFICE**

Website: [propertytax.lacounty.gov](http://propertytax.lacounty.gov)  
Inquiries: <https://ttc.lacounty.gov/public-inquiries>  
Write us: Treasurer and Tax Collector, P.O. Box 512102, Los Angeles, CA 90012  
Visit us: 225 North Hill Street, First Floor Lobby, Los Angeles, CA 90012  
Call us: 1(888) 807-2111 or 1(213) 974-2111, our property tax line, where automated information is available 24 hours a day, seven days a week. Anyone who is hearing impaired and has TDD equipment may leave a message at 1(213) 974-2196, or use California Relay Services at 1(800) 735-2929.  
Fax us: 1(213) 620-7948