BE WISE ABOUT SCAMS

FOLLOW McGRUFF’S PREVENTION TIPS FOR THE YOUNG AT HEART:

☑ Be wary of strangers in your neighborhood offering services or asking for money.

☑ Be skeptical of bargain home repair offers – if it sounds too good to be true, it probably is.

☑ Don’t let yourself get pressured into signing a contract or giving a verbal agreement.

☑ Don’t give personal information to people you don’t know unless you initiated the contact.

☑ Get estimates, ask for references, and never pay for products or services in advance.

☑ If you suspect fraud from a door-to-door salesperson, get the driver’s license plate number and call law enforcement immediately.

To learn more ways you can protect yourself, visit ncpc.org or contact your local law enforcement agency.