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**MAYOR MINER WARNS RESIDENTS OF EMAIL SCAM ABOUT  
FAKE TRAFFIC TICKETS**

*Emails Say Residents Must Pay Tickets Online or Risk Losing their License*

*Miner: Anyone Receiving These Emails Should Delete Them; They Are Not From  
the City*

SYRACUSE, N.Y. – Mayor Stephanie A. Miner today warned city residents of an email scam. Emails targeting city residents notifying them that they have been issued traffic citations after running red lights and being caught on camera. The city of Syracuse does not have red light cameras used for ticketing. The Syracuse Police Department is currently investigating this scam.

“These emails are fake and are not generated by the city of Syracuse,” said **Syracuse Mayor Stephanie A. Miner**. “Anyone who receives one of these emails should immediately delete it without selecting the link.”

Emails are being sent addressed to individuals by name stating they were caught on camera running a red light and have 14 days to pay an online fine or risk having their license revoked. The website given, gov.nys.co, is not a legitimate place to pay tickets. The city of Syracuse does not contact people for parking or traffic tickets using email.

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