



# **ALERT**



## **USPS Mailbox Fishing Attempt**

*On Friday, June 2, 2023, at approximately 12:30am, BST officers observed two males on Queens Blvd and 61<sup>st</sup> Street unlawfully using a black leather belt, with an attached “sticky” substance, placing the device into the USPS mail collection box. These perpetrators were attempting to remove deposited mail.*

*This practice seeks to extract checks, credit card payments and personal information deposited within street level mail receptacles owned by the United States Postal Service.*

*When the perpetrators observed our officers, they immediately fled on foot across Queens Blvd.*

*Please be cognizant of persons congregating within the general area of USPS mailboxes.*

**PLEASE REPORT SUSPICIOUS BEHAVIOR AND  
SUSPICIOUS INDIVIDUALS WITHIN THE BUILDINGS,  
WALKING THROUGHOUT THE PROPERTY & PARKING  
LOTS TO THE EMERGENCY LINE AT**

**[718.335.8715.](tel:718.335.8715)**

***ALL CALLS WILL BE HELD IN STRICT CONFIDENCE.***