HIRING A ROOFING CONTRACTOR?

To report fraud, call us at 1.800.TEL.NICB or go to our website nicb.org.

TIPS TO AVOID ROOFING FRAUD

GET MORE THAN ONE ESTIMATE.
Never let a contractor pressure you into hiring them.

Work with only known LICENSED AND INSURED CONTRACTORS.

DEMAND REFERENCES and check them all out.

Ask to SEE THE SALESPERSON’S DRIVER’S LICENSE. Write down the license number and their vehicle’s license plate number.

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GETTING THE WORK DONE

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