

## **NCUA/CUNA/Identity Theft Fraudulent Email**

If you or someone you know has received the following email, please do not respond to this email, and delete it from your inbox. This email has been reported to authorities for further investigation.

Remember that Wings Financial will never ask you to provide personal information by email.

-----Original Message-----

From: Credit Union [mailto:ashda@sdf.org]

Sent: Friday, November 02, 2007 5:31 PM

Subject: \*\*\*\*SPAM\*\*\*\* Identity Theft Protection Program

Dear Credit Union customer,

We regret to inform you that we have received numerous fraudulent emails which ask for personal account information. The emails contained links to fraudulent pages that looked legit. Please remember that we will never ask for personal account information via email or web pages.

Because of this we are launching a new security system to make Credit Union accounts more secure and safe. To take advantage of our new consumer Identity Theft Protection Program we had to deactivate access to your card account.

To activate it please call us immediately at (425) 998-1201

Activation is free of charge and will take place as soon as you finish the activation process.

If you think your identity has been stolen, here's what to do now:

- 1) Contact the fraud departments of any one of the three major credit bureaus to place a fraud alert on your credit file. The fraud alert requests creditors to contact you before opening any new accounts or making any changes to your existing accounts. As soon as the credit bureau confirms your fraud alert, the other two credit bureaus will be automatically notified, and all three credit reports will be sent to you free of charge.
- 2) Close accounts that you know or believe have been tampered with or opened fraudulently. Use the ID Theft Affidavit (PDF) when disputing new unauthorized accounts.
- 3) File a police report. Get a copy of the report to submit to your creditors and others that may require proof of the crime.
- 4) File your complaint with the Federal Trade Commission (FTC). The FTC maintains a database of identity theft cases used by law enforcement agencies for investigations. Filing a complaint also helps the FTC gather more information about identity theft and the problems victims are having.

For more information, go to: <http://www.consumer.gov/idtheft>.

Please do not reply to this message. For any inquiries, contact Customer Service.  
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