



Could you spot the signs of a scam? Learn these **RED FLAGS to prevent fraud from impacting you.**

- **FEAR:** If someone is claiming to be an authority figure and wants you to act fast to prevent something drastic from happening, it's most likely a scam.
- **FREEBIES:** No one gives away money for free. If something sounds too good to be true, it probably is.
- **UNUSUAL PAYMENT METHODS:** Any time anyone suggests payment in the form of a pre-paid gift card or asks you to wire money or send by courier, don't do it!
- **SECRETS:** If you are asked to do something out of the ordinary and keep it a secret, it is absolutely worth confiding in someone you trust before you take any action.

Members 1st CU will not call you for your:

- Online banking information
- Passwords
- Social Security numbers
- Mother's maiden name
- Address
- Phone Number
- Other private personal information
- **Never** open attachments or click on texts or emails claiming to be from Members 1st Credit Union.
- **Always** use caution when making transactions to individuals you haven't met in person.
- **Never** share personal information, including financial accounts, with anyone!

If you get a suspicious phone call, hang up and call 1.802.257.5131. Do not hit redial. Your friends at Members 1st CU can help!