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What is identity theft? Identity theft is when a cyber criminal steals your personal and financial information. This can be your birthdate, social security number, email address and/or phone number. Identity theft is all too common. The FTC estimates as many as 9 million americans have their identity stolen each year.

Why bother with identity protection? Dealing with the aftermath of financial identity theft is time consuming and very costly. You could spend untold hours on phone calls to credit card companies, cancelling unauthorized accounts and reporting fraud to credit bureaus. Chances are you or someone you know has been a victim of indentity theft. There has been reported 650,572 indentity thefts cases in the year 2023. Fraud is on the rise. There is a battle underway for your identity and criminals don't fight fair.

Here at SWMCFCU, always stay prepared with Kasasa Protect. This one step strategy helps protect you against identity theft, credit card fraud and data breaches. Kasasa protect operates around the clock monitoring your sensitive information, providing reports and intervening as needed.

Here are the benefits you will get with signing up with kasasa protect include around the clock monitoring and immediately alerts you to any suspicious activity, annual credit reports, monthly credit score and tracker, dark web monitoring and lost wallet protection. So, if this is something you are interested in, please, come into the Credit Union and sign up for Kasasa protect today and start getting your identity protected.