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If you believe you have been a victim of a fraud or scam, please contact the police immediately. You can also file a report with the FBI's Consumer Complaint Center, <https://www.ic3.gov/> and to the Federal Trade Commission, <https://reportfraud.ftc.gov/>.

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How To Stay Protected From Scams

	Check for unauthorized charges regularly on credit reports and bank statements.		If a solicitor is demanding an immediate decision, ask for more time. End the conversation if they refuse.
	Be wary of a deal that seems too good to be true.		Avoid clicking on links or attachments from unknown sources.
	Ask for more information when dealing with someone suspicious—if they refuse, stop talking to them.		Don't trust pop-up ads, even if they claim immediate tech support is required.
	Talk to family and friends and get a second opinion, even if it may lead to embarrassment.		Know that the government will not initiate contact over the phone, text or email about late payments and will never request payment via gift card.
	Never give out personal information to an untrusted source.		Never use the same passwords for multiple accounts.
	Keep security software up to date		Never access personal apps or files when using public Wi-Fi.

If you are interested in hosting a Fraud, Scams, and Identity Theft presentation for your senior group, please contact lhardy@aaapbtc.org or call 561-684-588, ext. 59237.