



Itasca Bank & Trust Co. understands the concern for your personal information due to the Equifax breach.

As of 9/7/17, Equifax issued a national press release in order to notify U.S. consumers of this incident and has established a website where U.S. consumers can receive further information. Equifax has stated that there is “No evidence of unauthorized access to core consumer or commercial credit reporting databases”. Regardless, it may be in your best interest to understand or review the information Equifax has issued in response. We’re sure you have questions. To determine if your personal information may have been impacted and for steps to protect your information, please visit www.equifax.com or call 1-866-447-7559. The call center is open every day (including weekends) from 7:00 a.m. – 1:00 a.m. Eastern Time.

In addition to the Equifax Potential Impact website, Equifax will send direct mail notices to consumers whose credit card numbers (estimated at 209,000 U.S. consumers) or dispute documents (estimated at 182,000 U.S. consumers) with personal identifying information were impacted. To see recommended courses of action the Federal Trade Commission has provided on the breach, please visit www.ftc.gov/idtheft, to obtain information about steps you can take to better protect against identity theft as well as information about fraud alerts and security freezes.

Although this breach did not involve Itasca Bank & Trust Co. or your account with us, we hope that this information we are providing is useful for you. Please consider what action/inaction may be the best option for you.

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