

MEMBER CONNECTIONS

FIRE POLICE CITY COUNTY FCU NEWSLETTER

[Spring 2025]

YOU ARE INVITED

Fire Police City County FCU's 2025 Annual Meeting will be held on Thursday, May 8, at 4:00 p.m. at Classic Cafe, 4832 Hillegas Road, Fort Wayne, IN 46818.

Doors open at 3:30 p.m., and all members are invited to attend. This is a great opportunity to hear about the credit union's accomplishments, learn about future plans, and connect with fellow members.

This year, we celebrate 91 years of service—thank you for being part of our continued success.

Please RSVP by scanning the QR code below or visiting our website.



BUILD YOUR DREAMS WITH A HELOC

NO CLOSING COSTS*
on Home Equity Lines of Credit

*Variable interest rate as low as 6%, rate can change based on prime rate. Maximum APR is 18%. APR = Annual Percentage Rate. Actual rate will be determined based on creditworthiness, term, loan to value, and other factors. No closing costs for Home Equity Line of Credit. Minimum advance of \$500 required. Loan subject to credit approval. Some restrictions may apply. Promotional period March 1 – April 30, 2025. Promotion subject to change at any time. A \$25 membership share is required.

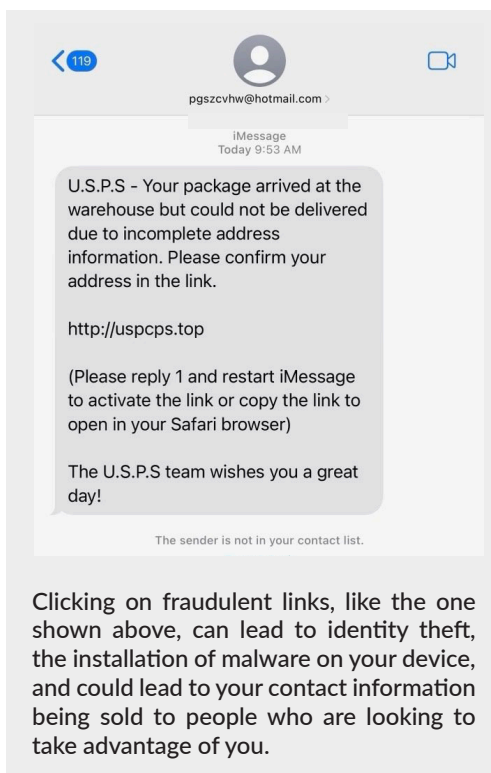
Watch Out for USPS delivery information scams

Have you received a text message claiming there's an issue with a USPS delivery and asking you to click a link? If you didn't sign up for tracking updates, don't click—it's a scam!

This type of fraud, called smishing, involves deceptive text messages designed to steal personal and financial information. Scammers often disguise themselves as trusted organizations, like USPS or financial institutions, to appear legitimate. They attempt to collect sensitive details such as Social Security numbers, credit card information, and login credentials to commit fraud.

Stay Safe:

- USPS will never send unsolicited tracking texts with links.
- Do not click on suspicious links—



Clicking on fraudulent links, like the one shown above, can lead to identity theft, the installation of malware on your device, and could lead to your contact information being sold to people who are looking to take advantage of you.

visit [USPS.com](https://usps.com) directly to track packages.

- Report suspicious messages to the USPS and stay vigilant.

For a secure and convenient way to preview your incoming mail and track packages, you can sign up for USPS Informed Delivery. The free service provides: emails with images of your letter-sized mail; package tracking and management in one place; and a secure way to stay informed without clicking on potentially harmful links.

For more information or to report a smishing scam, visit the USPS Inspection Service at uspis.gov. If you suspect fraudulent activity, contact the Credit Union for guidance—we're here to help protect your financial security!

CALENDAR

April

1-30 Financial Literacy Month

MAY

01 Thurs. ROC Scholarship Deadline

03 Sat. Cancer Services Ribbon Walk

08 Thurs. Annual Meeting

09 Fri. Police Officers Memorial Service

26 Mon. All branches will be closed for **MEMORIAL DAY**

JUNE

1-30 Associated Churches Baby Drive (In-Branch)

19 Thurs. All branches will be closed for **JUNETEENTH**



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President's Letter



DIANE SCHERER
PRESIDENT & CEO

April is Financial Literacy Awareness Month

Let's Build Stronger Futures Together

Financial knowledge is the foundation for a secure and successful future. That's why we're proud to celebrate **Financial Literacy Awareness Month**.

The path to financial success starts with taking the first step—educating yourself. Whether you're looking to save more, eliminate debt, or invest wisely, the right knowledge can make all the difference. I encourage you to take advantage of our educational tools and services, and don't hesitate to reach out to our team if you have questions or need guidance.

Here's a few ways Fire Police City County FCU can help:

- **Online Tools & Calculators:** Visit our website to access our **Spark Your Genius** Financial Education Center. You can access budget planners, loan calculators, and retirement planning tools that can help you make informed decisions.
- **One-on-One Financial Counseling:** Our certified financial counselors are available to discuss your unique financial situation and offer personalized advice.

Remember, financial literacy isn't a destination, it's a journey. Together, we can help you navigate your way to a stronger, more secure financial future.

ROC Scholarships: Investing in Our Future

FPCCFCU is proudly sponsoring two \$3,000 Reflection of Caring scholarships for students pursuing higher education who demonstrate a passion for improving our community.

If you're a student, we encourage you to apply! These scholarships recognize students who go beyond academics and actively contribute to the betterment of others—whether through volunteer work, leadership, or community service.

This is your opportunity to be recognized for your dedication to

community service and take a step toward achieving your educational goals. If you or someone you know qualifies, don't miss the chance to apply!

For more information, visit our website or contact us.

Application Deadline: 5 p.m. on Thursday, May 1

Apply Online:
<https://www.fpccfcu.org/Community/Scholarship>

