### **RESOURCE LIST**

#### Websites

### Identity Theft Council. www.identitytheftcouncil.org-

Office of the Attorney General www.oag.ca.gov/idtheft-

**Internet Fraud Complaint Center.** Maintained by the FBI to keep track of Internet Fraud. www.IC3.gov.

Federal Trade Commission. Contains victim's guide and sample affidavit. https://www.identitytheft.gov

# **Credit Reporting Bureaus/ Credit Freeze**

**Experian-** P.O. Box 9532, Allen TX 75013. www.experian.com or 1-888-397-3742. https://www.experian.com/freeze/center.html

**Transunion-** P.O. Box 6790, Fullerton, CA 92834-6790. www.transunion.com or 1-800-680-7289. <a href="https://www.transunion.com/credit-freeze/place-credit-freeze">https://www.transunion.com/credit-freeze/place-credit-freeze</a>

**Equifax-** P.O. Box 740241, Atlanta, GA 30348. www.equifax.com or 1-800-525-6285. https://www.freeze.equifax.com/

## **Credit Monitoring**

www.annualcreditreport.com- or 1-877-322-8228. Free annual credit report.

**Credit Monitoring** – Equifax, Experian, TransUnion and most major banks offer credit monitoring products.

## Stop Pre-Approved Credit-Offers and Phone Solicitation

- <u>www.donotcall.gov.</u> (You need to renew every 5 years)
- Get your name off marketing lists. 1-888-5OPTOUT (1-888-567-8688)- Removes your name from credit bureau marketing lists. (You will be asked to provide your social security #.....This is a secure phone line.)
- Write or apply on-line to have your name, address and phone number removed from many other marketing lists.

DMA Mail Preference Service
P.O. Box 643
Carmel, NY 10512
www.the-dma.org

DMA Telephone Preference Service
P.O. Box 1559
Carmel, NY 10512
www.the-dma.org

- Call all of your current creditors and utilities and Opt-Out of ALL information sharing and promotional offers, including convenience checks. Password protect your existing accounts and set alerts with your bank and credit card companies so that you are notified every time a withdrawal or charge is made.