## PREVENTING WIRE FRAUD

## **BE AWARE**

## You could lose your life savings to scammers

- Scammers hack into email accounts of businesses involved in real estate transaction.
- Hackers intercept the message and replace the title company account information with their own.
- Scammers may also send wire transfers requests from fake accounts that appear to be from a legitimate source.
- Wire transfers are NOT reversible.

## PROTECT YOURSELF

- Never send private account information via uncryptic email.
- Do not click on suspicious links.

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- Avoid using unsecured or Public WiFi networks.
- Do not trust the contact information in the email or click "Reply" to verify.
- Keep your virus and malware up-to-date and run regular system scans.



ALWAYS
call the
title company
before sending
a wire transfer to
confirm the
instructions.

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