**STOP.THINK.CLICK.**

***Monthly Security Tip***

Now the cybercriminals know you have your W2 and are trying to file your taxes we thought the following would be a good reminder this month.

Thousands of people have lost millions of dollars and their personal information to tax scams. Scammers use the regular mail, telephone, or email to set up individuals, businesses, payroll and tax professionals.  The IRS **doesn't initiate** contact with taxpayers by email, text messages or social media channels to request personal or financial information. Recognize the telltale signs of a scam. See also: [How to know it’s really the IRS calling or knocking on your door](https://www.irs.gov/newsroom/how-to-know-its-really-the-irs-calling-or-knocking-on-your-door).

For more information about Tax Scams visit <https://www.irs.gov/newsroom/tax-scams-consumer-alerts>