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NEWS RELEASE
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Type of Incident:	**Fraud Alert**
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On July 26th, 2009 the Northglenn Police Department received numerous complaints from citizens throughout the city about a potential automated phone scam.

Citizens are receiving phone calls from a long distance toll free phone number, stating there is fraudulent activity concerning their bank and/or credit card account. The automated messages are requesting citizens provide their personal information to include account numbers, pin numbers, social security numbers, etc. The messages are claiming to be from a variety of different credit unions.

At this time, the police department is urging all citizens <u>not</u> to provide personal information to anyone who solicits it. <u>These phone calls are believed to be fraudulent</u>.

Citizens are encouraged to contact their banks and/or credit card companies <u>directly</u> to confirm any possible fraudulent activities or address any concerns they have.

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