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WARRENVILLE POLICE DEPARTMENT ANNOUNCES DOCUMENT SHREDDING DAY

WARRENVILLE, IL – The Warrenville Police Department would like to remind everyone of the risk associated with Identity Theft. The Chicago Tribune recently reported that identity fraud is costing Americans a staggering \$37 billion dollars, and the Federal Trade Commission ranked Illinois 10th in the nation for filed identity theft complaints.

In order to take a proactive stance against this type of crime, the Warrenville Police Department will be conducting its 5th *Annual Document Shredding Day*, to be held on Saturday, May 19th, from 9:00 a.m. until twelve noon. The event will be held at the Warrenville Public Works facility, which is located at 3 S 346 Mignin Drive. This free event is open to all residents of the community. Residents are invited and encouraged to drop off paper documents they wish to have shredded. Due to the size of the event, residents are asked to please limit the quantity of items to be shredded to three banker-sized boxes.

Shredding will be conducted by *Docu-Shred* and may take place on-site. Questions regarding this event may be directed to Community Service Technician April Garcia, or Deputy Chief Tony Dutkovich at (630) 393-2131.

For more information, facts, and tips on Identity Theft prevention, please visit the Office of the Attorney General's website at:

www.illinoisattorneygeneral.gov/consumers/hotline.html

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