

First State Bank has been notified of an external cybersecurity data breach at a third-party vendor's operations center involving financial data of institutions across the country. American Bank Systems reports that to date there has been no evidence of identity theft or financial frauds arising from this incident. For our part, First State Bank conducted our own independent investigation and can confirm that our internal bank systems were not compromised, and no suspicious account activity has been indicated.

We take any risk involving customer data seriously. Out of an abundance of caution, we are notifying all customers about this situation. Customers will receive a letter with details and information for enrollment in free credit monitoring and identity theft protection services.

We continue to vigilantly monitor the situation and will be communicating with customers about protective actions they can take, including monitoring statements and accounts and reporting any suspicious activity.

First State Bank strives daily to earn our customers' trust and ensure that they know their personal information, financial accounts and transactions are protected. We are in this together and will provide customer support as needed.