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PRESS RELEASE

With the recent data breach of the Equifax Credit Bureau, concerns have arisen regarding the security of personal information and how such a breach could result in fraudulent attacks on legitimate real estate ownership through the recording of fraudulent real estate documents.

According to the FBI, property and mortgage fraud is the fastest growing white-collar crime in the United States. Such a crime could result in the loss of your most valuable investment and leave you homeless.

The LaSalle County Recorder of Deeds would like to remind the public of **Property Fraud Alert**. Property Fraud Alert is a **FREE** service that provides notification, to those registered, of documents being recorded in their name. If the recorded document is fraudulent, the Recorder's Office and law enforcement authorities can be contacted before it's too late.

Simply go to propertyfraudalert.com to register.

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