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## How To Protect Your Money When You Travel

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If you are going on vacation, and you know you're going to spend money. What's safer to carry - plastic or cash?







Experts say plastic, because credit and debit cards have built-in protections if they are lost or stolen.

## Here are some tips:

- Contact your credit union and tell us when and where you'll be traveling. That helps keep credit and debit cards from being shut down as a potential fraud concern if they are used in unexpected locations. You can also set a travel alert in My Cards in the <a href="Mobile Banking App">Mobile Banking App</a>.
- Keep track of the toll-free numbers on the back of your cards so you can <u>report</u> lost or stolen cards quickly.
- Make copies of your cards and securely store them or leave them with a trusted family member in case you need access to the card numbers.
- Consider carrying more than one credit card. You'll have a spare if one is lost, stolen or rejected, and not all merchants take all credit card types.
- Don't carry all your cards in the same place. You don't want to risk losing all at once. Keep the extras in your hotel-room safe, or at least in a separate pocket.
- Use your debit card at ATMs when getting cash. And use ATMs you trust, such as those at <u>financial institutions</u>.
- · Report a lost or stolen card immediately.

To help protect yourself from pickpockets or purse snatchers when traveling in crowded, unfamiliar areas, keep your wallet in a zip-up pocket or pouch, and keep your purse zipped or latched and carry it close to your body.

Have a good trip, and be careful out there.

Whether it's years down the road or you're already living your best life in retirement, our Endless Summer program is perfect for members ages 55 and better.

## **Visit Endless Summer**

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