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### **Texell Credit Union to Host Free Shred Event in Georgetown**

**Temple, TX (October 1, 2018)** – Texell Credit Union will host a free shred event to help Texell members and the community protect their personal information from 9:00am – 12:00pm on Saturday, November 3 at Texell’s Georgetown branch located at 723 West University Avenue – across from Jack in the Box on Highway 29. This event is free to attend and the public is encouraged to bring their personal documents and credit card offers to shred.

“Texell provides shred events for our members and the communities that we serve because we care. We want to help our members protect themselves from identity theft. While we realize that we cannot eliminate the threat completely, we can provide the valuable tool of secure destruction of personal documents and credit card offers to help prevent these items from getting into criminals’ hands,” stated Texell’s Chief Operating Officer Amy Merriman.

Participants don’t even have to get out of their vehicle in order to join in the event. Texell staff will be on hand to unload up to three boxes or bags from vehicles. Shredding takes just a moment or two and the participant can drive off, safe in the knowledge their personal documents have been destroyed.

For more information, please visit [Texell.org](http://Texell.org).

#### **About Texell Credit Union**

Texell Credit Union has seven branches in Central Texas and offers a variety of financial products and services for consumers and businesses. With roots dating back to the 1940s, Texell serves over 39,000 members. Texell has been honored with the Excellence in Lending Award from CUNA Mutual Group, the Desjardins Adult Financial Literacy Award from the Texas Credit Union League, as the “Best Bank/Credit Union” by the readers of the Temple Daily Telegram, “Best Credit Union” by the readers of the Killeen Daily Herald and the Belton Journal and consistently earns the highest five-star, superior rating for financial soundness from Bauer Financial. Visit [www.Texell.org](http://www.Texell.org) for more information.

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