

# Why We Ask for Your ID



Have you ever wondered why we ask for your ID, even if we know you personally? It's not a matter of trust—it's about protecting your account and ensuring we meet important regulations designed to keep your money safe.

## Protecting You from Fraud

Your ID allows us to confirm that you are who you say you are. This extra step helps prevent identity theft and unauthorized access to your account. By verifying your identity, we can safeguard your financial information and stop fraud before it happens.

## Meeting Federal Requirements

Financial institutions are required by law to verify the identity of their customers. These "Know Your Customer" (KYC) regulations help protect the entire financial system by preventing crimes such as money laundering and terrorist financing. Asking for your ID is one way we remain compliant while protecting the communities we serve.

## Ensuring Accuracy and Service

Verifying your identity also helps us serve you better. Whether you're opening an account, applying for a loan, or completing a transaction, having accurate information ensures that your request is processed quickly, securely, and correctly.

## A Simple Step That Makes a Big Difference

So the next time we ask for your ID, know that it's not about questioning your trustworthiness. It's about protecting your account, complying with important regulations, and delivering the secure, reliable service you deserve.

