






DEPARTMENT of COMMERCE
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Member News & Benefits

Early Spring Thoughts from DOCFCU



Last month we added **FREE Monthly Online Webinars**  from *BALANCE Financial Fitness*. These are very popular, just look for eLERTs we'll be sending monthly and reserve your spot.


We've provided you with access to **savvymoney**®  and **Zelle**® . With **savvymoney**® you have FREE access to your credit score and full credit report with easy-to-use digital tools and personalized guidance to help you make better financial decisions. **Zelle**® is a fast, safe, and easy way to send and receive money with friends, family, and others you trust.


Also, starting **March 4 through April 26**, we're bringing back the popular **"1040 Personal Tax Loan SPECIAL"**  to help those who might owe more than you expected or funds for any reason. See below or go online for details and to apply today.

This month brings us **Daylight Savings Time** (Sunday, March 10), for those who are Irish, **Saint Patrick's Day**

(Sunday, March 17), the **first day of Spring** (Tuesday, March 19), as well as an early **Easter** (Sunday, March 31).

The advent of Spring brings many housing opportunities. Remember, we offer **Mortgages**  in all 50 states and **Home Equity Loans & Lines of Credit**  for all your real estate needs – go online or just ask us!

If you need money for a **new or used vehicle**  or simply to **refinance** your loan from another lender, **we're here to help you save money monthly**. As always, we offer Personal Lifestyle Loans for whatever you need, easy and fast!

Finally, the **best member benefit** we offer are our **VISA credit cards** . Transfer balances from your other high interest cards and see how much we can save you monthly!

Stay safe and enjoy the early spring. And, if there is anything we can do for you or answer any questions you might have, simply go online or call us, we're here for you.

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*APR = Annual Percentage Rate. Personal Loan special as low as 10.40% APR is 3/4-4/26/24 ONLY. Rate is based on your credit worthiness. Borrow as little as \$500 and up to \$10,400 with terms from 6–35 months. Other restrictions may apply. Contact us or apply online.

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(Photo: Washington Monument with March Magnolias and Forsythias in bloom.)

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