

## Assemblymember **Harry Bronson**

**is working for you**

- ▶ **Helped deliver \$750,000 for Lifespan's Elder Abuse Prevention Program** aimed at curbing abuse of New York's older adult population
- ▶ **Passed legislation to address elder abuse, including measures that raise awareness about financial exploitation** to make certain we are better prepared to protect ourselves from scams and fraud  
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“Look inside for information on how to protect yourself and your hard-earned money from con artists and scammers.”

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Working to protect you from  
fraud, identity theft and scams



## Assemblymember Harry Bronson's tips to avoid fraud, scams and financial abuse

"You worked hard to be protected in your retirement. Con artists and scammers shouldn't be able to take that away from you."

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### Take these steps to avoid scams:

- 1 Be aware of any current scams affecting your area by following local news channels
- 2 Check all of your monthly bills and statements for errors
- 3 Don't give out personal information by mail, email, on the phone or by text message
- 4 Immediately report any instance of a suspected scam, fraud or financial exploitation

### Important numbers to keep on hand:

NYS Division of Consumer Protection Consumer Assistance Unit: ..... **800-697-1220**

Monroe County Sheriff's Department Crime Tips Hotline: ..... **585-423-9300**

NYS Attorney General Consumer Helpline: ..... **800-771-7755**

Federal Trade Commission Identity Theft Hotline: ..... **877-438-4338**

Better Business Bureau of Upstate New York: ..... **716-881-5222**

Nursing Home Complaint Hotline: ..... **888-201-4563**

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To stop any unwanted calls, add yourself to the Do Not Call Registry at 888-382-1222 or visit [www.donotcall.gov](http://www.donotcall.gov).