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SCDCA SPONSORS FLORENCE SHRED DAY ON MARCH 11, 2009

Columbia, SC... ...In an effort to help the Florence community protect against identity theft, the South Carolina Department of Consumer Affairs (SCDCA) is partnering with the Florence County Public Library to host sponsor a free shred day on March 11, 2009. Consumers are encouraged to visit the library located at 509 S. Dargan Street in Florence between 10:00 a.m. and 2:00 p.m. to have their sensitive documents safely shredded on-site. This free service will be provided by Carolina Record and Information Management (CRIM).

SCDCA staff will also be available to handle consumer complaints and questions. Consumer should bring copies of all documentation with them. The Department will continue to visit the Florence community on a regular basis. Locations will be announced monthly. The Department services the entire state via telephone and online help. Specific questions and concerns from the Florence community may be addressed to Hugh Crofoot. Appointments are available upon request. Mr. Crofoot may be reached at 803.543.8044.

This month's visit has been made possible through a collaborative effort with the Florence County Public Library, Executive Director Ray McBride, and Information Services Manager Aubrey Carroll.

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About the South Carolina Department of Consumer Affairs:

Established by the Consumer Protection code in 1974, The South Carolina Department of Consumer Affairs represents the interests of South Carolina Consumers.

Our mission is to protect consumers from inequities in the marketplace through advocacy, mediation, enforcement and education.

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