



## CHEROKEE ASSOCIATION OF REALTORS® GAR COMMITTEE REPORT FORM

Committee: **“Proact, Prevent, Protect: Three P’s of sensitive Information”** Meeting Date: Sept 18 2013

Member Attended: **Camille Gard**

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Association Executive Report Submitted To:

Date:

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**Items Discussed: Three P’s of Sensitivity: Proact, (plan ahead) Prevent & Protect.**

We get an awful lot of information & how do you store the info. When is Emailed, scanned. Left in a folder. Identify theft is widespread and we can be liable. State laws govern laws federal laws. Became law in 1998 FDC. We need to ask the why do you want this. Remind who asks for the privacy act of '74. Some things are secret and some are confidential. Confidential is for a certain purpose. Privileged info shared for a purpose Secret is not to be repeated. Social security is a “secret info” and we probably have a more common problem with that because at time it is needed for a certain purpose..so are, date born. Drivers license, alarm registration, employer and tax ID number.

**How relevant: very**

Go to NAR web site, to Guides, go to see how to protect real estate info. I wish I could have written fast enough because lots of important information. I miss the days of handouts being given with the info on hard copy, paper.

we all open ourselves up on a regular basis.

Georgia is leading the nation in making it a felony.. It is now a felony and those with identifications stolen from, are victims

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