



Phyllis Hanson has lived in La Crosse her whole life. She raised her family in the same home for twenty years. Twenty years of hard work kept her family in their home, and one notice threatened to throw it all away. Phyllis was facing foreclosure.

Living on Social Security, every month her check would come in and her bills would exceed her income. She constantly struggled to keep up but was determined to keep her own home.

She met with the Consumer Credit Counseling Services (CCCS) staff who helped her find resources to cut down on costs as well as file for bankruptcy. Whenever Phyllis and her son, Scott, had any question or concern they could just call CCCS and to get the answers they needed.

Now, Scott is also receiving help with his finances. He told us that he doesn't know what he and his mother would do without help from CCCS, "Without them we would have probable lost our home."

Consumer Credit Counseling Services offers a wide variety of free services to the public including: budget counseling, debt management, and various programs and seminars.