



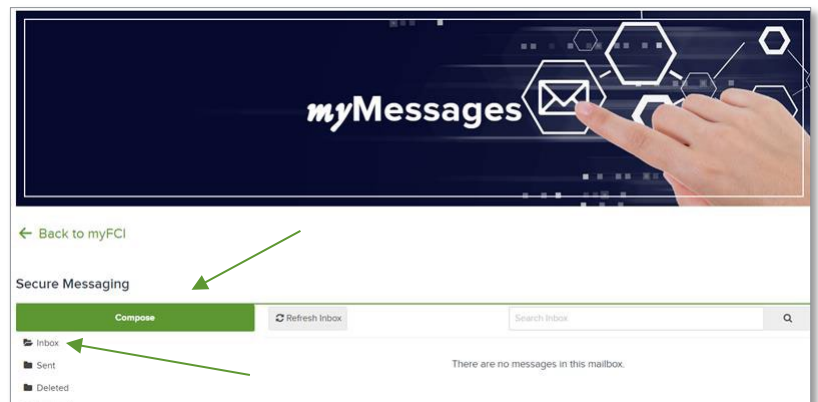
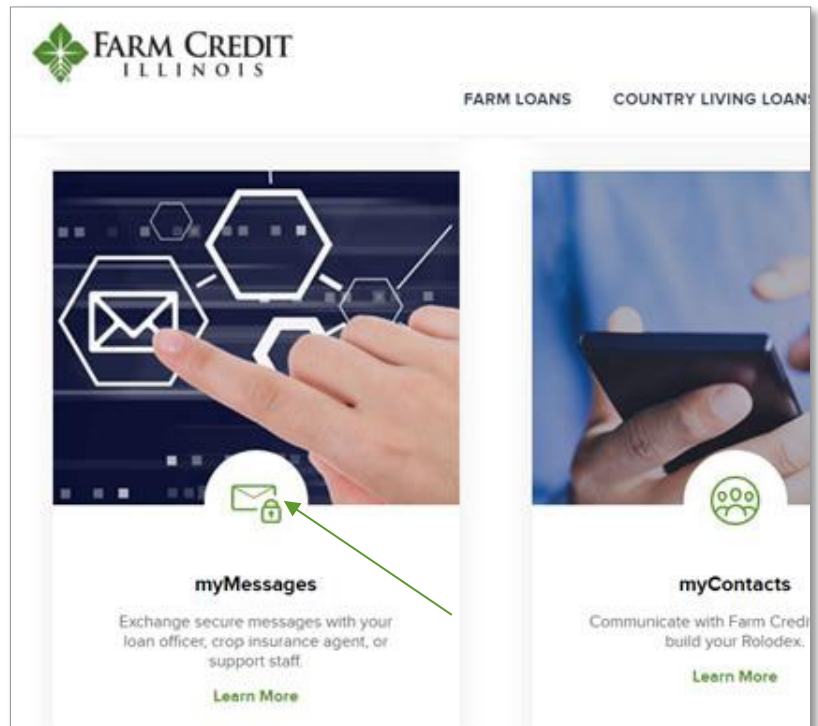
Secure Messaging allows for two-way communication between you and Farm Credit Illinois. Since the message is delivered securely, sensitive material can be included.

To talk to your local regional office staff, upload important loan documents, or inquire about specific account information, use **myMessages** in **myFCI**.

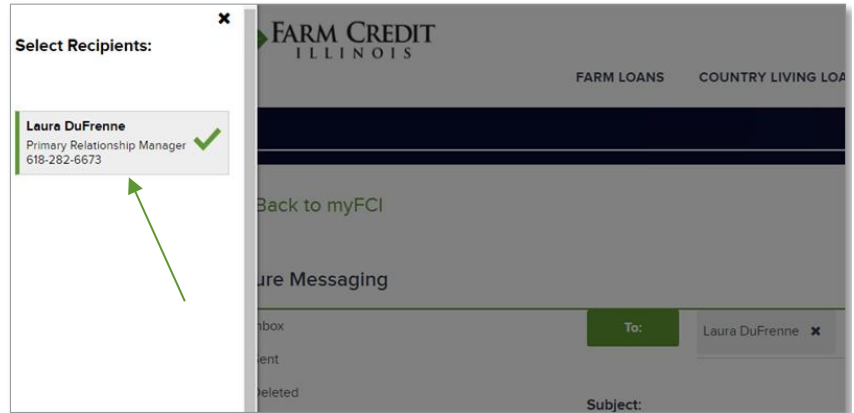
For questions specific to **myOnlineBanking**, use the Messages option within **myOnlineBanking**.

myMessages within myFCI

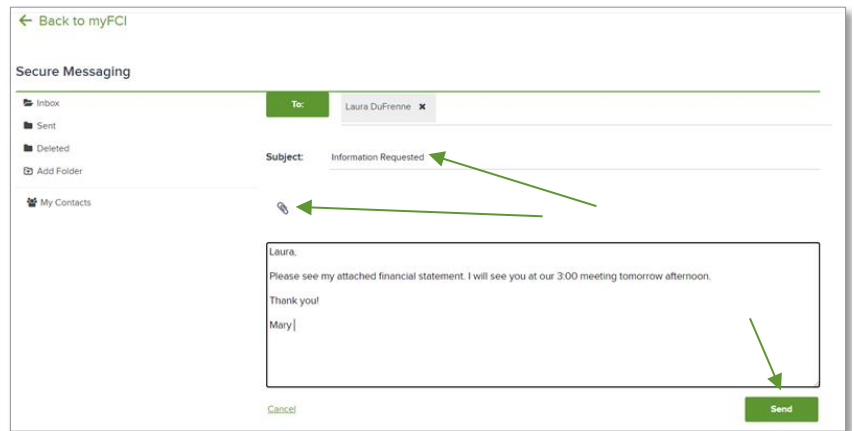
1. On the home screen of **myFCI**, click the **myMessages** tile in the top row.
2. Click 'Inbox' to review messages sent to you by regional office staff.
3. Click 'Compose' to send a new message.
4. Select a 'To' field.



5. Select your desired contact from available options.



6. Enter the 'Subject' and attach documents if needed by selecting the 'Paperclip' icon, then populate your message in the text box.

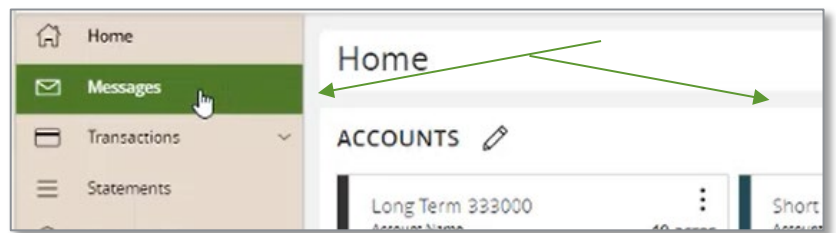


7. Click 'Send' to submit the message.

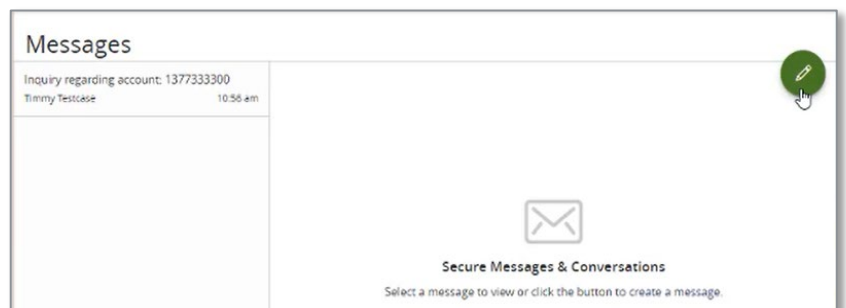
Messages within myOnlineBanking

1. Select the 'Messages' menu.

NOTE: Both incoming and outgoing messages will appear in the column directly to the right of the menu in descending date order (newest on top).



2. Click 'Pencil' icon on the right side of the screen.



3. Enter the desired 'Message recipient.'
4. Enter the desired 'Message subject' and 'Message.'

The screenshot shows a 'NEW MESSAGE' form. It has three main input areas: a dropdown menu for 'Message recipient' with 'Need Help with Online Banking' selected, a text box for 'Message subject' containing 'Sample subject', and a large text area for 'Message' containing 'Sample message'. At the bottom, there are two buttons: 'Go back' and 'Send message'. Green arrows point from the text in the instructions to these specific elements in the form.

5. Click 'Send message' to submit.
6. Select the 'Arrow' icon beneath the pencil to reply to a secure message or the 'Trash Bin' icon to delete the message.

The screenshot shows a message detail view for 'SAMPLE SUBJECT'. It includes a checkbox for 'This message should never expire'. Below the message content, there are two icons: a curved arrow pointing left (reply) and a trash bin (delete). Green arrows point from the text in the instructions to these two icons.