



Don't Let **High-Cost Lenders** Get Around

Louisiana Consumer Protections **By Scheming with **Out-of-State Banks****

In Louisiana, **OppLoans** is making loans at **160% APR**
Elevate is making loans named "**Elastic**" up to an effective APR of **109%**
Elevate is making loans named "**Rise**" at **99% to 149% APR**

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Protect Louisiana's

38-39%*

APR cap on installment loans and lines of credit

*APR cap with fees on \$2,000 loan or line of credit repaid over 2 years



In Louisiana, **FinWise Bank** (Utah) is renting its charter to enable OppLoans and Elevate's "Rise" product;
Republic Bank (Kentucky) is enabling Elevate's "Elastic" product.

A few high-cost lenders are violating long-standing banking principles and **evading state consumer protections** through **rent-a-bank schemes**, which are an abuse of banks' charters. Through these **sham arrangements**, these companies are exploding right through protections states have put in place for good reason, to protect people from **high-cost debt traps** that **drain them of their hard-earned income**.

Shut Down Rent-A-Bank: No Legal Loansharking

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