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DONATION BENEFITS MADISON HOUSE COMMUNITY YOUTH CENTER

CALCOE Federal Credit Union Has Raised Over \$3,369 in Donations

YAKIMA, WA – CALCOE Federal Credit Union has raised over \$3,370 for Madison House

Youth Community Center, a program of Yakima Union Gospel Mission, with the annual "Skip-

A-Pay for a worthy cause!" campaign. The campaign allows participating members to skip a

loan payment for a minimal fee which was split with the Youth Community Center. On January

19, 2017 CALCOE Marketing Director met with Tony Baker, Executive Director of Madison

House, along with Madison House staff and kids to present the donation check.

Madison House was chosen benefactor of the campaign due to the similarities in vision of

helping people. CALCOE's mantra is to improve members' lives by promoting thrift and

providing affordable access to credit. Madison House aims to broaden the horizons of kids

located in the neighborhood once termed "The Hole".

"Madison House provides a priceless service for the kids they serve. CALCOE is thrilled

in supporting their efforts with our Skip-A-Pay campaign donation." stated Ryanne Nesary,

Marketing Director.

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## **About CALCOE Federal Credit Union**

Originally established by several employees of the Cascade Lumber Mill in 1937, CALCOE opened the Credit Union membership to serve all of Yakima County in 2004.CALCOE's membership has steadily grown to over 3,500 active members and \$27 million in asset size. CALCOE's mantra is to improve members' lives by promoting thrift and providing affordable access to credit. In doing so, the Credit Union offers "Credit Builder" auto loans, little to no cost checking accounts and other essential financial services.

For more information, call 509.248.4308 or visit calcoefcu.com.

## Madison House Youth Community Center (part of Yakima Union Gospel Mission)

Since 1989, Madison House Community Youth Center has instilled hope in a neighborhood once termed "The Hole." The Center aims to broaden the horizons of kids by providing homework help, guidance in personal responsibility, encouragement in character growth and a knowledge of the Lord. Madison House is a safe hub for youth ages 5-20, with weekly participation of 400-500 individuals.

## Madison House Programs Include:

After-school tutoring	Basketball and tennis courts
Mentorship	Indoor/outdoor soccer fields
Hair Salon	Spring Flag Football program
Bible studies	White Pass' 'SOS Outreach'
Fine arts opportunities	MAD Yak bike shop
Art	Field trips
Sewing	College scholarship guidance
Music classes	Basic financial literacy
Robotics	Nightly meals prepared by New Hope Catering
Computer training	Summer camps at Lost Creek Village Camp
Healthy athletic activities	
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## **CALCOE Federal Credit Union**

**Fact Sheet** 

**Mission Statement:** At CALCOE Federal Credit Union, we are committed to achieving the

highest level of member service by offering financial products, services, and education designed to benefit our members while maintaining the

safety, soundness and managed growth of our cooperative.

**Founded:** CALCOE Federal Credit Union was established in 1937 by a small

number of employees from Cascade Lumber Mill Company. Each person invested \$5 to become a member and with that, CALCOE was born.

**Headquarter:** 1209 North 16<sup>th</sup> Avenue, Yakima, WA 98902

**Locations:** Headquarters in Yakima, branch location in Moxee, WA.

**Involvement:** As a Credit Union, CALCOE's founding principle is people helping

people. More than just helping its members, the Credit Union works to

help the community and is involved with:

Madison House, The Children's Village, Moxee Hop Festival, Junior Achievement of Yakima, Yakima County Asset Building Coalition, Bank

On Yakima and sponsors its own \$1,000 Tony Covall Memorial

Scholarship.

Low Income Designated Credit Union and CDFI Certified.

**Services:** CALCOE offers complete financial services including checking and

savings accounts, auto and personal loans, mortgages, credit cards, online

and mobile banking and more. CALCOE also provides Financially Underserved Auto Lending called Credit Builder and LIFT, Lower

Interest Rate for Timeliness.

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Lobby Hours: Monday – Friday: 8:30 a.m. – 5:30 p.m. Drive-Up Hours: Monday – Friday 8:30 a.m. – 5:30 p.m.

Saturday: 9 a.m. - 1 p.m.

Moxee Branch

223 W Moxee Ave., Moxee, WA 98936

Lobby and Drive-Up Hours:

Monday − Thursday: 8:30 a.m. − 5:30 p.m.

Friday: 8:30 a.m. – 6:00 p.m.