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Local Credit Union CEO Is Elected to CU*Northwest Board of Directors

YAKIMA, WA – Leslie M. Johnson, CEO of local CALCOE Federal Credit Union, has been elected to the Board of Directors at CU*Northwest at the 2017 Annual Stockholders meeting on Wednesday, July 28, 2017. CU*Northwest is a credit union-owned cooperative which provides core processing systems and other services to credit unions from California to Washington.

Johnson is excited to begin her three year term, stating “Our credit union has been an owner of this growing CUSO since 2006. It has been very exciting to watch the growth of CU*NorthWest as a true cooperative. CU*NorthWest continues to provide innovative data processing tools which supports the daily operations of credit unions. But they are so much more than that. They are truly in this for us, the credit union. As a board member, I will be committed to the users of CU*NorthWest for its continual growth and positive direction as a true cooperative.”

Johnson has been CEO of CALCOE Federal Credit Union since 2001 and grown the Credit Union from \$11 million to \$29 million in asset size. CALCOE Federal Credit Union is celebrating its 80th Anniversary this year.

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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 3,900 active members and \$29 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.

About CU*NorthWest

CU*NorthWest was founded in 2005 and is a 100% credit union-owned CUSO located in Liberty Lake, Washington. CU*NorthWest offers a wide variety of services for credit unions including its flagship CU*BASE® processing system in both an online (ASP) and in-house environment, and Internet development services featuring the It's Me 247 online banking product. Additional services include web site development, network design and security, bookkeeping services, and a complete e-Document solution. CU*NorthWest provides expertise in implementing technical solutions to operational needs, and helps credit unions form strategic alliances and partnerships. For more information, visit www.cunorthwest.com.



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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. CALCOE celebrates its 80th Anniversary in 2017.
- Headquarter:** 1209 North 16th 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.
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.
- Contact:** 1209 N 16th Avenue, Yakima, WA 98902
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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.