# The Credit Union Impact Report

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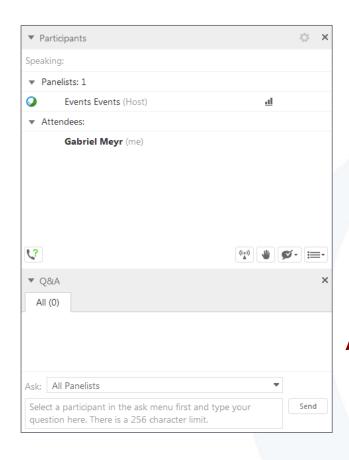
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## A Summary of the CU Difference

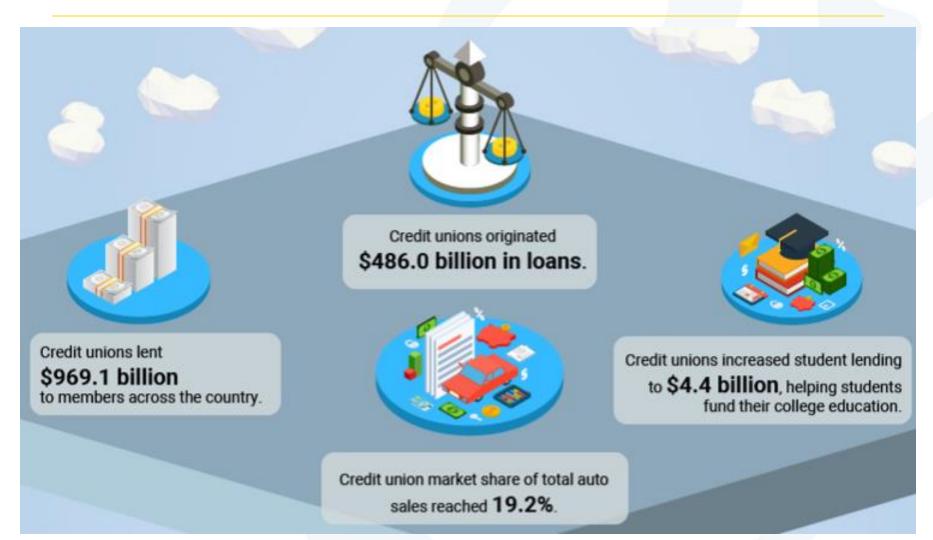
Our Annual Impact Report quantifies the lending, savings, and community support cooperatives give throughout the year.

Highlights from the **2017 Impact Report** include:

- Credit unions originated \$486.0 billion in loans
- Credit union members opened 3.7 million new share draft accounts
- Credit unions helped 123,105 homeowners stay in their homes by approving TDRs



## Lending



### **Example: Oregon Community Credit Union**

- Challenged auto rate structure assumptions
- FICO score was a good predictor of risk, but loan length (72-months vs. 60-months) was not
- Lending & Business Intelligence worked together on the analytics project
- Pricing now incorporates overhead cost of paying the dealer reserves, probability of default, how much interest the note is likely to generate, and member loyalty.



#### Crunching Numbers Leads To Surging Loans

How data analytics and life experience drive record auto loan production at Oregon Community Credit Union.



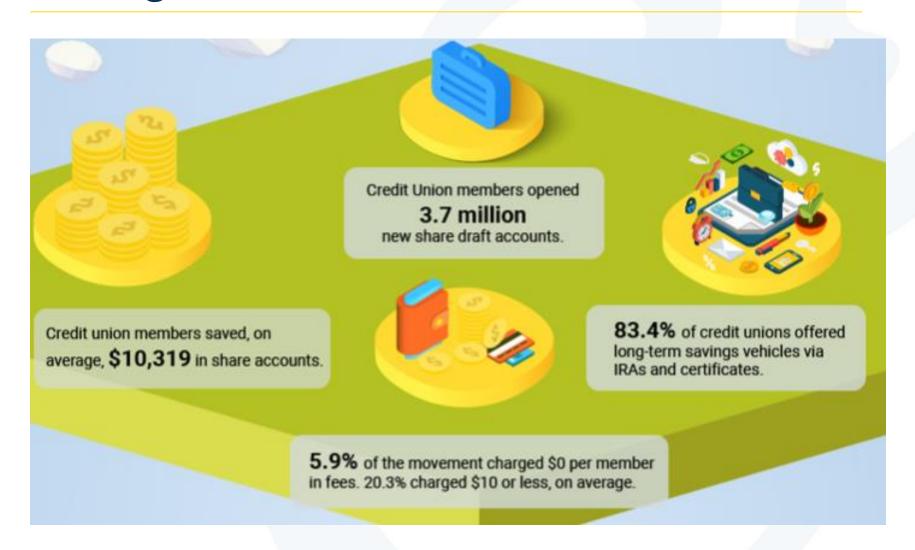
#### Top-Level Takeaways

- The data and lending teams at Oregon Community Credit Union combined forces to create a new way to rate
  risk and price loans.
- Auto loan production immediately jumped after introducing new rates, and loan production has been strong since

Over the past few years, senior managers at Oregon Community Credit Union (\$1.7B, Eugene, OR) realized it was time to challenge some long-standing assumptions about auto lending.

The credit union was feeling pressure on its margins and capturing less indirect auto loan market share in its competitive market.

### Savings





### **Example:** UFCU & Credit Human

- Unique member-sharing agreement helps offer favorable savings rates to University FCU members
- "Cooperative CD" launched in 2013 when UFC was awash in deposits and Credit Human needed fuel for its lending pipeline
- Total balances now total \$26 million and include 600 shared members
- Technology & Trust have been key factors in the initiative's success



#### The Great Credit Union Deposit Swap

In search of a new strategy to raise deposits, Credit Human partners with University FCU in a one-of-a-kind member-sharing arrangement.



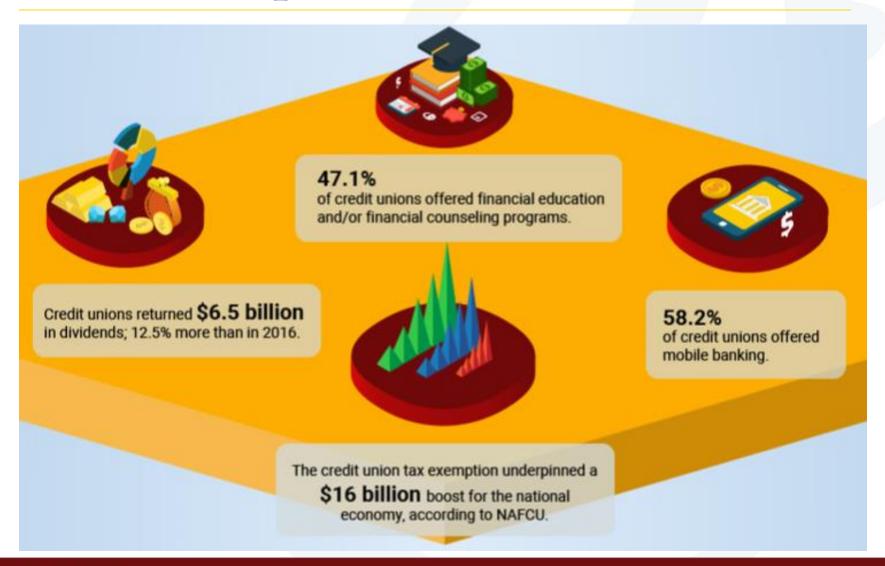
- University FCU members join Credit Human to access competitive rates on share certificates.
- The deposit product accounts for nearly 4% of Credit Human's share certificates.

Two Texas credit unions are \$26 million and 600 members into a product partnership that combines a central cooperative principle with a critical business need.

The product, a bundle of share certificates, allows University Federal Credit Union (\$2.2B, Austin, TX) to offer favorable savings rates to members and supplies Credit Human Federal Credit Union (\$2.9B, San Antonio, TX) with new cash for lending.



### Member Impact





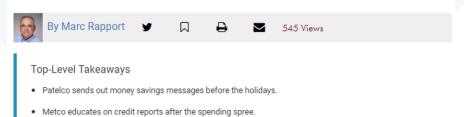
### **Example:** Patelco & Metco credit unions

- Holiday-themed communications that focus on year-round financial wellness
- Tips to keep spending in check during the holidays; tips on what to do after the holiday budget is blown
- One component of year-round financial wellness and literacy efforts



Mission Marketing For The Most Wonderful Time Of The Year **△** 

Credit unions offer holiday-based financial tips that focus on year-round financial wellness.

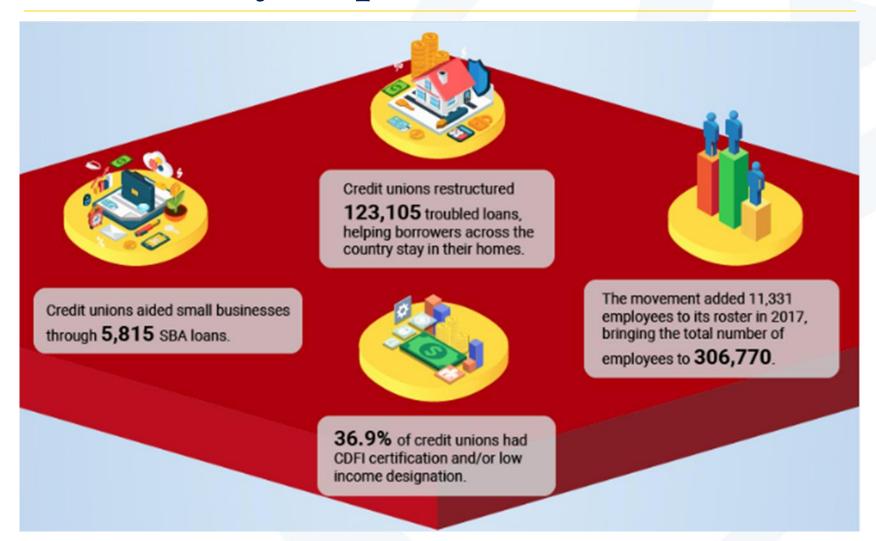


The holidays bring a heady combination of joy and stress to many households and provide the backdrop for some seasonal financial wellness efforts by many a member-owned financial cooperative, big and small.

That includes Patelco Credit Union (\$5.9B, Pleasanton, CA) and Metco Credit Union (\$31.1M, Cedar Rapids, IA), which exemplify the before and after approach when it comes to seasonal spending sensibilities.



## **Community Impact**





### **Examples: WSECU & Redstone FCU**

- WSECU & Redstone FCU introduced community engagement initiatives in 2017
- Both support non-profits and other charitable causes and give back directly to the people in their communities.
- WSECU's "Up to Some Good" initiative gave back nearly \$14,000 to members.
- Redstone's "Acts of Brightness" initiative gave back more than \$360,000 to members.



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#### 2 Ways To Engage The Community

Why human experiences outweigh plastic tchotchkes every day of the week.



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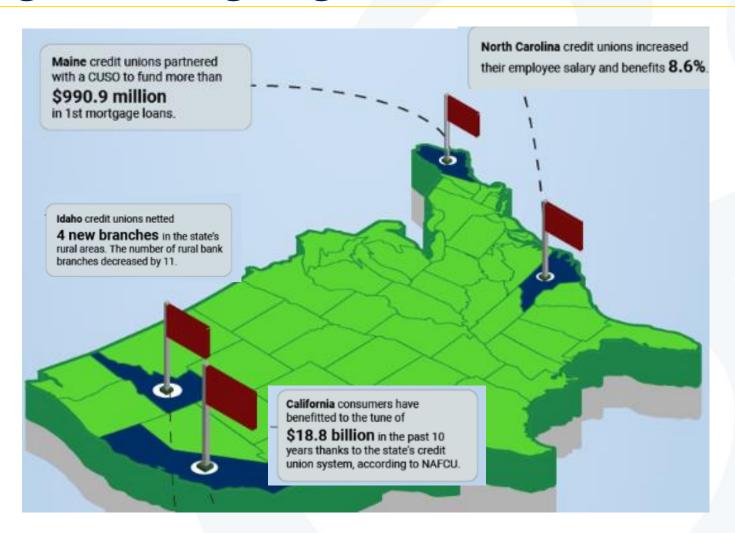
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Credit unions engage with their communities in many ways — from financial education fairs to shred days, collection drives to scholarships, and lots in between. But whatever the activity, the end goal is the same: Make people's lives just a little bit better.

To that end, both WSECU (\$2.8B, Olympia, WA) and Redstone Federal Credit Union (\$5.0B, Huntsville, AL) introduced community engagement initiatives last year that support non-profits and



## Regional Highlights





## Questions & Discussion

