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WHEREAS; credit unions are structured as not-for-profit, member-owned cooperatives returning earnings to members through member-favored pricing on accounts and loans, lower fees, and improved services, which ensures marketplace competition to the benefit of all consumers; and

WHEREAS; the structure of credit unions enables them to help families and communities through REAL Solutions®; and

WHEREAS; credit unions offered more than 678,000 hours of free financial counseling last year, helping strengthen Wisconsin citizens' finances; and

WHEREAS; credit unions in Wisconsin work to teach students to save through more than 100 in-school branches and credit unions help families and small business through affordable loans;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Scott Walker, Governor of the State of Wisconsin, do hereby proclaim Thursday, October 18, 2018, as

CREDIT UNION DAY

throughout the State of Wisconsin and I commend this observance to all of our citizens.



IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of Wisconsin to be affixed. Done at the Capitol in the City of Madison this 16th day of October 2018.

SCOTT WALKER GOVERNOR

By the Governor:

DOUGLAS LA FOLLETTE Secretary of State