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# American 1 Credit Union Hires Megan Layne as Eastern Regional Manager

**Jackson, MI.** (Oct. 28, 2025) – American 1 Credit Union has hired Megan Layne as its new Eastern Regional Manager, overseeing operations at seven branches across the institution's footprint. Layne brings more than a decade of leadership experience in retail management and plays a key role in enhancing member service and operational efficiency.

"Megan brings a wealth of experience and a strategic mindset that greatly strengthens our team," said Keleigh Ballinger, Vice President of Branch Operations at American 1 Credit Union. "She has already proven to be a great asset to the credit union, and we are excited to see how her expertise and leadership will positively impact the branches she supports."

Under Ballinger's leadership, Layne manages operations at the Adrian, Brooklyn, Chelsea, Clarklake, Home Office, Manchester, and Milan branches. She brings extensive managerial and leadership experience to the credit union, having previously served in roles such as District Team Leader, District Manager, and Store Manager Trainer in the retail industry. Layne is focused on driving strategic initiatives to improve branch performance and elevate the member experience.

"I'm truly grateful for the opportunity to serve as Eastern Regional Manager at American 1 Credit Union," said Layne. "With years of leadership experience behind me, I'm excited to bring fresh energy and new ideas to the team as we continue to grow and serve our members with excellence."

To learn more about the team at American 1 Credit Union, visit American1CU.org/careers.

## **About American 1 Credit Union**

Established in 1950, American 1 Credit Union proudly serves over 66,000 members with the support of more than 280 employees and 16 branch locations across Jackson, Lenawee, Hillsdale, Washtenaw, and Calhoun counties. This year marks a significant milestone as American 1 Credit Union celebrates 75 years of service and commitment to creating financial wellness through personal, everyday banking in the communities it serves. For more information, visit American1CU.org.

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