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American 1 Credit Union Supports 24 Organizations Through 2025 Holiday Giving Initiative

Jackson, Mich. (Dec. 30, 2025) – American 1 Credit Union is proud to celebrate the success of its 2025 Holiday Giving initiative, donating \$8,250 to 24 organization this holiday season across Jackson, Washtenaw, Hillsdale, Lenawee, and Calhoun counties. Each department within the credit union selected a local organization to ensure contributions met the unique needs of their communities, reflecting American 1's commitment to being Boldly Generous.

The organizations receiving donations included Marshall Area Community Services, Hope Community Center, St. Louis Center, Bucket List Dreams for Veterans, The Salvation Army of Hillsdale, Rise Above, Aid in Milan, and many more.

"The holiday season reminds us of the power of community and the spirit of generosity," said Martha Fuerstenau, President and CEO of American 1 Credit Union. "Through our Boldly Generous initiative, we're honored to support the organizations that strengthen and enrich the counties we serve."

In addition to the departmental donations, the credit union's Community Partnership team brightened the season for local residents by covering the cost of groceries at area stores. Team members surprised shoppers at locations by donating a total of **\$2,500**.

This initiative wraps up an incredible 75th year for American 1 Credit Union. In 2025 alone, the credit union donated more than **\$180,000** to local partners, organizations, and nonprofits in the communities it serves, underscoring its commitment to fostering financial wellness and community enrichment.

To learn more about American 1 Credit Union's Boldly Generous commitment, visit american1cu.org/about-us.

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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