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Provident Credit Union A 5-Star Superior Credit Union

September 2017: Provident Credit Union, Redwood City, California has earned a coveted **5-Star** rating from **BAUERFINANCIAL, the Nation's Premier Bank and Credit Union Rating Firm**. (A five-star rating indicates this credit union excels in areas of capital adequacy, profitability, asset quality and much more.) Earning and **maintaining this top 5-Star rating for 95 consecutive quarters** puts Provident Credit Union in an even more prominent position as a **"Sustained Superiority Credit Union"**. This designation is reserved for the Top 10%, institutions that have maintained Bauer's highest rating longer than 90% of the industry and proves once again that Provident Credit Union is among the best of the industry.

"By earning Bauer's highest 5-Star rating, Provident Credit Union proves to its members and the field of prospective members that it is not only committed to their needs but also to financial discipline," notes Karen L. Dorway, president of BauerFinancial. "As times change, so do members' needs. Institutions like Provident Credit Union excel at finding ways to meet these ever-changing needs while maintaining financial discipline and prudent underwriting."

Provident Credit Union was established in 1950, and has been providing personal service to its membership for the 67 years since. Today it operates through 19 conveniently located offices throughout the state of California and can also be found on the internet at providentcu.org.

Provident Credit Union: "Your 5-Star Credit Union"

Member of the NCUA and an Equal Housing Lender.

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