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## Minnesota Credit Union Foundation launches new web site

**ST. PAUL, Minn.** – Minnesota Credit Union Foundation (MNCUF) launched its redesigned web site in early September. With a fresh look, new features and a new organizational structure, the site enables visitors to quickly find a wide variety of Foundation information and resources.

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**MINNESOTA CREDIT UNION FOUNDATION**

 The Minnesota Credit Union Foundation is an organization dedicated to promoting the development of credit unions in Minnesota through assistance and education, and supporting the greater charitable and educational social mission of the credit union movement.

Established in 1969, the Foundation has helped many credit unions with limited resources to grow and prosper and reach underserved communities. Some of the activities funded through the Foundation in the past include cooperative leadership training, education and development for credit union employees and volunteers, financial literacy programs, and charitable fundraising. The Foundation has also provided funds to aid in international credit union development and local, national and international disaster relief efforts.

Founded by the Minnesota Credit Union Network and governed by a seven-member board of directors from various Minnesota credit unions, the Foundation considers grant requests with an eye toward its goal of "empowering people to achieve."

The Minnesota Credit Union Foundation is a tax-exempt 501(c)(3) organization. Minnesota Credit Union Network | Site Map

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MNCUF's web site offers an overview of the organization's initiatives and activities. In addition, all functions of the Foundation are now accessible online, including grant program summaries, grant application forms and e-contributions. Donors can contribute to the MNCUF's general fund or participate in honorarium, memorial, Credit Union Builder, or Community Investment Fund programs.

All contributors are recognized on the web site as well.

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“Freshly enhanced, streamlined and visually-appealing, the Minnesota Credit Union Foundation web site serves as a ‘one-stop-shop’ for contributors and grant applicants alike,” said MNCUF Chair Kristi Mukomela, President of Novation Credit Union. “The new web site is a major step forward in the Foundation’s evolution, and we are excited to watch the traffic increase in the coming months and years.”

Web site visitors can also explore the activities of the Foundation’s two committees, Minnesota Credit Unions for Kids and the Minnesota Family Involvement Council. Each committee page contains an overview of their initiatives, list of committee members and links to their individual web sites.

For additional information, visit [www.mncufoundation.org](http://www.mncufoundation.org).

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*The MNCUF is a non-profit organization founded in 1969 to serve as a charitable arm of the Minnesota credit union movement. It has aided credit unions, their employees and volunteers in times of need and strives to fulfill its mission “o provide the resources for credit unions and communities to prosper and thrive.” For more information, visit [www.mncufoundation.org](http://www.mncufoundation.org).*