***Northwest Credit Union Economic Impact Social Media Shares***

*Share some cut-and-paste messaging with your members and the public how not-for-profit financial cooperatives deliver for their member-owners.*

*Include the corresponding social media image tiles sized for appropriate accounts, as well.*

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A new independent analysis by ECONorthwest finds that Oregon and Washington credit unions delivered $7.7 billion in economic impact in 2016. The study measured jobs, economic output, and income supported by credit unions in the regional economy. Learn more at<http://www.nwcua.org/credit-union-impact>.

Did you know: According to a recent independent study, Washington credit unions provided more than 11,000 family-wage jobs in local communities, with every credit union job supporting two others. Find out more about how not-for-profit cooperatives deliver for their member-owners at [http://www.nwcua.org/credit-union-impact](http://www.nwcua.org/impact).

Nearly 50 percent of Washingtonians are members of a not-for-profit credit union, receiving nearly $370 million in direct financial benefit in 2016, according to a recent independent report. Learn more at[http://www.nwcua.org/credit-union-impact](http://www.nwcua.org/impact).

Because of credit unions’ not-for-profit, cooperative structure, credit union members enjoy such things as lower account fees, higher interest rates on savings and checking accounts, and lower interest rates on loans. Find out more at [http://www.nwcua.org/credit-union-impact](http://www.nwcua.org/impact).

Credit unions are member driven cooperatives and continue to fulfill the mission for which they were created: serving consumers and helping communities thrive. Learn more about the good work Northwest credit unions are doing every day. Read the Oregon and Washington reports online at[http://www.nwcua.org/credit-union-impact](http://www.nwcua.org/impact).

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New study finds NW CUs delivered $7.7billion in economic impact in 2016. Learn more at [http://www.nwcua.org/credit-union-impact](http://www.nwcua.org/impact).

WA CUs provided more than 11K family-wage jobs in local communities, w/ every CU job supporting two others. Find out more about how CUs deliver for their member-owners at [http://www.nwcua.org/credit-union-impact](http://www.nwcua.org/impact).

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