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Unitus Community Credit Union, First Tech Federal Credit Union, and iQ Credit Union Receive \$10,000 Matching Grants to Benefit OHSU Doernbecher Children's Hospital

The Miracle Match program from CO-OP Financial Services provides additional dollars for successful fundraising campaigns.

Portland, Ore., December 7, 2021 – Unitus Community Credit Union, First Tech Federal Credit Union, and iQ Credit Union are among the Pacific Northwest credit unions to receive a \$10,000 Miracle Match from CO-OP Financial Services. Through the Miracle Match program, CO-OP Financial Services generously matches up to 100% of money raised through the annual Credit Union 4 Kids (CU4Kids) fundraiser, up to \$10,000. The match is open to all credit unions, chapters, and leagues raising funds for Children's Miracle Network Hospitals.

Including the CO-OP Match, Unitus Community Credit Union, First Tech Federal Credit Union, and iQ Credit Union provided \$730,000 to OHSU's Doernbecher Children's Hospital, the first full-service children's hospital in the Pacific Northwest with full-spectrum pediatric care. The 2021 CU4Kids Fundraising Campaign, held throughout September at participating credit unions and on KATU-TV, solicited donations from community and credit union members alike. At the campaign's end, Pacific Northwest credit unions raised more than \$320,000 through CU4Kids.

"We're proud of our incredibly collaborative industry coming together every year to fundraise for Doernbecher. They're the lifeline for our local kids that desperately need specialized care and we are so fortunate Doernbecher is close and ready when we need them," said Eric Petracca, President and CEO of iQ Credit Union.

"Thankful doesn't begin to express our gratitude for all of the credit unions that come together each year to raise funds for the life-saving work being done by Doernbecher," said Steven Stapp, President and CEO of Unitus Community Credit Union. "We're especially thankful for the Doernbecher hospital staff who work day in and day out to ensure struggling and seriously ill children are safe, comfortable, and receiving the best care the Pacific Northwest can offer."

Understanding that every child has unique needs, OHSU Doernbecher Children's Hospital offers the region's greatest number of children's specialists working together in one location and broadest range of pediatric treatments to more children in more places than any other hospital in Oregon or Southwest Washington. Unitus Community Credit Union, First Tech Credit Union, and iQ Credit Union are honored to uplift this vision with the helping hands of their fellow Pacific Northwest credit union partners.

About Unitus Community Credit Union

At Unitus, we're dedicated to improving lives in the communities we serve. As a member-owned local credit union, we invest in people by doing the right thing. Through partnerships with nonprofit organizations, we provide support for community groups through volunteerism and financial donations. Our 102,000 members count on us to serve them and their communities; our nearly 300 employees share that passion for service. Learn about the local impact Unitus makes by visiting unituscu.com.



About First Tech Federal Credit Union

First Tech Federal Credit Union is a \$14+ billion institution headquartered in San Jose, California. It is the nation's premier credit union serving the world's leading technology-oriented companies and their employees, including HP Inc., Hewlett Packard Enterprise, Microsoft, Agilent, Intel, Cisco, Amazon, Nike, Intuit, Google, and more. First Tech is recognized as the industry catalyst for delivering effortless banking experiences to more than 620,000 members through its 41 branch locations, more than 5,600 CO-OP Shared Branch locations, 30,000 CO-OP Network ATMs, and online platforms. First Tech offers a full range of financial services, including traditional banking, online banking, mortgages, financial planning, various consumer loans, and insurance services. Federally insured by NCUA. Equal Housing Lender. For more information, visit www.firsttechfed.com.

About iQ Credit Union

iQ Credit Union is a full-service financial institution serving the Pacific Northwest since 1940. With more than 90,000 members in Washington and Oregon, the credit union is known for its deep commitment to financial education and community engagement — and for its signature red and black buffalo plaid colors. iQ helps WAnderers and explORers reach their financial goals by offering honest and friendly advice at any of its 16 branches. More information is available at iQCU.com.