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5-Star Michigan Educational Credit Union Best of Bauer for Exceeding 25 Years of 5-Star Ratings

March 2017: Michigan Educational Credit Union, Plymouth, Michigan proudly announces it is once again a top performer, earning a coveted 5-Star rating from BAUERFINANCIAL, the Nation's Premier Bank and Credit Union Rating Firm. (A five-star rating indicates that this institution excels in areas of capital adequacy, profitability, asset quality and much more.) Michigan Educational Credit Union has earned and maintained this top rating for 101 consecutive quarters, earning it even higher accolades. Michigan Educational Credit Union is a "Best of Bauer" credit union for maintaining a 5-Star rating for 25 continuous years or longer.

"Michigan Educational Credit Union is a prime example of a credit union excelling at what it was created to do," explains Karen L. Dorway, president of BauerFinancial. "Its common bond and mutual ownership give its employees and members the same personal investment in the credit union. It makes decisions locally, often for neighbors and friends; and it focuses on quality as opposed to quantity. That focus has paid off for both Michigan Educational Credit Union and its membership."

Michigan Educational Credit Union was established in 1942 and has been providing quality services to its members ever since. Today, after 75 years, it operates through six conveniently located offices in Ann Arbor, Brighton, Livonia, Macomb, Plymouth and Royal Oak and can also be found on the web at <u>michedcu.org</u>.

Michigan Educational Credit Union: "Dedicated to serving the financial needs of the educational community since 1942"

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