

CREDIT UNION NEWS



Chair

Debbie Witte

Vice-Chair

Jay Streeter

Secretary

Joni Huwe

Members

Tom Champagne

Dennis Duniven

Roger Gaskamp

Kathy Oehlke

CREDIT UNION STAFF

Manager

Ron Hyde

Office Manager

Melissa Sutton

Member Services

Samantha Butler

Amanda Lobner

TEXSTAR HOLDS ANNUAL MEETING

The 15h Annual Membership Meeting of the TexStar Federal Credit Union was held Tuesday, March 15, 2022 at the Columbus Hall in Karnes City.

During the business meeting Tom Champagne of Sinton was re-elected to a three year term on the Board of Directors. Joni Huwe was elected to serve her first term on the Board. She replaces Jan Anderson who retired from the Board after serving for 42 years, most of those as the Secretary.

Jan was recognized for her service with an award presented by Ron Hyde, Manager of the Credit Union. Henrietta Fenner, Sam Kotara and Adela Davila (posthumously), were presented awards for their service as members of the Supervisory Committee.

Immediately after the conclusion of the meeting a special meeting was held to elect officers for the coming year. Debbie Witte was re-elected Chair, Jay Streeter was re-elected Vice-Chair and Joni Huwe was elected as Secretary.

Meeting programs are available at the Credit Union office, or can be emailed to members who wish to have one.

The Comptrollers Office of the State of Texas requires financial institutions to periodically review members accounts for periods of inactivity. For the types of accounts offered by TexStar FCU the period of inactivity that triggers attention is three years. For that reason the staff has recently sent letters to members with which we have had no contact for that period of time, or more.

If you have received such a letter contact the office and ask about making either a financial, or non-financial transaction that will re-activate the account for another three year period.

If we have no contact with a recipient of the letter by the end of June we are required to send, or escheat the funds to the State.



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Hours

Office and Drive-thru
Monday - Friday
8:30 AM - 4:30 PM

No longer closed for lunch



FREE PAY PERIOD

Employees of Centerpoint Energy* who are paid bi-weekly will have a "free pay period" on April 14, 2022.

All deductions usually taken out of your pay check will be deposited to your shares account.

These funds will be available to you for withdrawal after that date.

**This free pay period applies only to those members of TexStar FCU who are employed by Centerpoint Energy. and make loan payments by payroll deduction.*

CHECK YOUR 
Free Annual Credit Report
Visit: www.annualcreditreport.com

According to www.credit.com, the Fair Credit Reporting Act (FCRA) gives all US residents the opportunity to request their free annual reports from each of the three nationwide consumer credit reporting companies - Equifax, Experian, and TransUnion - through AnnualCreditReport.com. Be aware that you can get one report from each bureau once a year. You have the option to spread them out throughout the year, or obtain them all at once.

There are several ways to request your free annual credit report, including:

1. Online - Visit www.AnnualCreditReport.com, the official site authorized by the Federal government, for free reports.
2. Phone - Call 1-877-322-8228; go through a verification process over the phone; and your credit report will be mailed to you within 15 days.
3. Mail - Download the request form from www.AnnualCreditReport.com. Print and complete the form. Mail the completed form to Annual Credit Report Request Service, P.O. Box 105281, Atlanta, GA 30348-5281. Consumer Financial Protection Bureau (www.consumerfinance.gov) provides complete details on securing your credit report.

HOLIDAY CLOSINGS

The Credit Union office will be closed in observance of the following holidays:

In observance of Good Friday the Credit Union will close at 12:00 noon on April 15, 2022



 **Memorial Day**
Monday, May 30, 2022

Did You Miss Us?
Night Depository Has You Covered

Life has a way of interrupting even the best laid plans. So if a last minute phone call from the boss or an unexpected visitor kept your schedule from being in sync with the credit union's, not a problem. Our night depository is open for business even if we've gone for the day. Use the night depository to drop off cash or a check for deposit or make a loan payment. Endorse any checks as "for deposit only," and clearly and legibly write your name and account number on the envelope provided. Then just drop it in the night depository. You can be on your way, knowing that your deposit is safe and secure. We'll process the transaction when the credit union opens the next business day. That's it: Easy-peasy. But feel free to contact us with any questions or concerns.

**NIGHT
DEPOSITORY**
Available for when you miss us