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To the Editor:

Health One Credit Union: A Model Credit Union

November 2009: Mr. James M. Perna, CEO of Health One Credit Union, Detroit, Michigan proudly accepts a distinguished 4-Star Excellent rating from **BAUERFINANCIAL, Inc., Coral Gables, Florida**. The 4-Star rating is a symbol of excellence and signifies that Health One Credit Union is recommended by BAUERFINANCIAL (the Nation's Credit Union Rating Firm for over a quarter of a century). The rating is based on the overall financial condition of the credit union. Earning a 4-Star Excellent rating denotes that Health One Credit Union is among the strongest credit unions in the nation. Maintaining a recommended rating for 13 consecutive quarters, like Health One Credit Union has, is an even greater achievement.

"There's an old adage that says no press is bad press, but if you've seen the banking news over the past year or two, you know this isn't always true," notes Karen L. Dorway, president of BAUERFINANCIAL. "That's why it's so important today to share some good news, and Health One Credit Union makes it easy. Health One Credit Union is a model credit union. You should be proud to call it Your Credit Union."

Health One Credit Union was established in 1957 and has been serving the needs of its members for 52 years. It operates through three conveniently located offices in Detroit and Southfield, Michigan and in Cleveland, Ohio. It can also be found on the internet at www.healthonecu.com.

Health One Credit Union: "Your 4-Star Credit Union."

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