



Newsletter

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The Credit Union Department (CUD) is the state agency that regulates and supervises credit unions chartered by the State of Texas. The Department is professionally accredited by the National Association of State Credit Union Supervisors (NASCUS) certifying that CUD maintains the highest standards and practices in state credit union supervision.

*Our **Mission** is to safeguard the public interest, protect the interests of credit union members and promote public confidence in credit unions.*

Credit Union Commission

The Commission is the policy making body for CUD. The Commission is a board of private citizens appointed by and responsible to the Governor of Texas.

Members:

Jim Minge, Chair
Becky L. Ames
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Next Commission Meeting

Friday, August 7, 2026, beginning at 9:00 a.m. in the offices of CUD.

Effective Communication with the Department

State-chartered credit unions in Texas play a vital role in serving their members, and the Credit Union Department is here to support you through effective and efficient communication.

We have noticed that credit unions occasionally send questions directly to the Department's main office. To ensure you receive the most timely and accurate response, we recommend contacting your assigned examiner first for routine inquiries and examination-related matters.

This is especially important during active examination periods. Your examiner is your primary point of contact and is best positioned to address questions efficiently while maintaining a productive working relationship with your credit union.

For specific regulatory or administrative matters, credit unions are encouraged to contact the Credit Union Department directly.

Examples of topics include:

- Field of membership expansions or amendments
- Bylaw amendments
- Mergers
- Operating fee questions
- Call reports

Department staff are available to assist with these specialized areas and can guide you through the appropriate process or connect you with the correct team member. Reaching out to the right contact saves time for everyone and helps the Department continue providing the high level of service Texas credit unions deserve.

Thank you for your continued dedication in serving Texas communities through safe, sound, and member-focused credit union operations.



Publication Deadlines

To meet the submission deadlines for the applicable issues of the *Texas Register*, it is necessary for the Department to establish the schedule shown below. Completed applications received after the deadline for the month cannot be published until the following month.

<u>Publication Date</u>	<u>Application Deadline</u>
May 2026	Friday, May 15
June 2026	Friday, June 12

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## **Applications Approved**

Applications approved since March 18, 2026.

| <u>Credit Union</u>                            | <u>Changes or Groups Added</u>           |
|------------------------------------------------|------------------------------------------|
| <b><u>Field of Membership – Approved</u></b>   |                                          |
| Associated Credit Union of Texas (League City) | <a href="#">See Newsletter No. 02-26</a> |
| Fort Worth Community CU (Bedford)              | <a href="#">See Newsletter No. 02-26</a> |

## **Applications Received**

There were no applications received.

*This newsletter is produced monthly as a part of the Department’s continued communication outreach with the credit unions it regulates. Delivery is generally provided by electronic notification of its availability on the Department’s website.*

*Suggestions and comments concerning the newsletter, or its content are welcomed.*

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