

  
**Executive Department**  
**OF IOWA**

IN THE NAME AND BY THE AUTHORITY OF THE STATE OF IOWA

**PROCLAMATION**

**WHEREAS,** credit unions are not-for-profit financial cooperatives, democratically owned and operated and founded by people working together toward economic advancement; and

**WHEREAS,** credit unions embrace a “people-helping-people” philosophy through the pooling of personal resources and leadership abilities for the good of the cooperative, empowering members to improve their financial futures and uniting to help those in need; and

**WHEREAS,** credit unions have demonstrated outstanding leadership throughout the communities in which they have served since they were founded more than 150 years ago; and

**WHEREAS,** credit unions have championed the idea that people from all walks of life should have access to affordable financial services offered by credit unions; and

**WHEREAS,** credit unions empower people to improve their economic situations in 117 nations around the world at more than 89,000 credit unions that serve the financial needs of 260 million people, including more than one million members in Iowa associated through local, state, regional and international organizations sharing the same commitment to serving credit union members; and

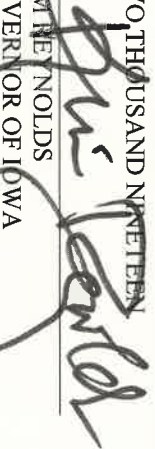
**WHEREAS,** credit unions are developing strong alliances that make financial democracy possible in many countries throughout the world:

**NOW, THEREFORE, I, Kim Reynolds, Governor of the State of Iowa, do hereby proclaim October 17, 2019, as**

**CREDIT UNION DAY**

in Iowa.



IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I HAVE HERE-  
UNTO SUBSCRIBED MY NAME AND CAUSED  
THE GREAT SEAL OF THE STATE OF IOWA TO  
BE AFFIXED. DONE AT DES MOINES THIS 14<sup>th</sup>  
DAY OF OCTOBER IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD  
TWO THOUSAND NINETEEN  
  
KIM REYNOLDS  
GOVERNOR OF IOWA

ATTEST:

  
PAUL D. PATE  
SECRETARY OF STATE