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COMPASS COMMUNITY CREDIT UNION 5-STAR RATED FOR 34 CONSECUTIVE QUARTERS

Eureka, CA—BauerFinancial, Inc., the nation’s premier bank and credit union rating firm, proudly affirms that Compass Community Credit Union has once again earned its highest, 5-star rating for financial strength and stability. Earning a 5-star rating indicates the credit union excels in areas of capital adequacy, profitability, asset quality and much more. In fact, Compass Community Credit Union has earned and maintained this top 5-star rating for 34 consecutive quarters.

“This achievement requires tremendous resilience and fortitude,” observes Karen Dorway, president BauerFinancial. “We saw a lot of financial institutions that were lacking those qualities that are, unfortunately, no longer around. But credit unions, like Compass Community Credit Union, have some definite advantages. The field of membership allows the credit union team to know each member more intimately, which not only makes every member a priority, it also improves loan underwriting.”

“We have worked extremely hard to do what is best for our members so this is very gratifying,” said Compass Community Credit Union CEO, Ray Litchfield. “It’s a daily process of evaluating what we can do better. We’re all about meeting the needs of our members and the results show that it’s resonating with our community.”

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