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SouthWest Communities Federal Credit Union Members Approve Merger with West-Aircomm Federal Credit Union

Beaver County, PA – March 26, 2026 – Members of SouthWest Communities Federal Credit Union have voted in favor of a merger with West-Aircomm Federal Credit Union, marking an important milestone in the merger process. The merger is expected to officially take effect at the end of 2026, pending final integration steps.

As part of the merger, SouthWest Communities Federal Credit Union's branch will remain open, continuing to serve members in the community. In addition, all Southwest Communities employees will become employees of West-Aircomm Federal Credit Union, ensuring continuity of service and familiar faces for members throughout the transition.

"This is an exciting step forward for our members and employees," said Southwest Communities CEO/Barbara Heil. "SouthWest Communities Federal Credit Union has proudly served our members with dedication and care, and this merger with West-Aircomm Federal Credit Union will provide expanded opportunities, additional resources, and enhanced financial services while maintaining the personal service our members value most."

"We are honored to welcome SouthWest Communities members and employees into the West-Aircomm family," said West-Aircomm CEO/Scott Brunner. "This partnership reflects our shared commitment to people helping people and strengthens our ability to serve our communities with expanded convenience, financial solutions, and exceptional member service."

Over the coming months, West-Aircomm and SouthWest Communities will work together on the integration process to ensure a smooth and seamless transition for members. During this period, SouthWest members' day-to-day banking experience will remain unchanged until the merger is completed later this year.

With this merger, members will benefit from access to West-Aircomm's four branch locations, along with a broader range of products, services, and technology solutions. West-Aircomm Federal Credit Union is committed to providing quality financial services and personalized member support to individuals and families throughout Allegheny, Beaver, and Butler counties. With four branch locations, West-Aircomm offers a full range of financial products and services designed to help members build a stronger financial future. West-Aircomm Federal Credit Union is federally insured by the National Credit Union Administration.