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# CUNA Nebraska MEMBERSHIP BENEFITS REPORT

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### The Benefits of Membership

Credit unions generally provide financial benefits to members through lower loan rates, high savings rates, and fewer fees than banking institutions.

The Credit Union National Association (CUNA) estimates that Nebraska credit unions provided \$40,782,370 in direct financial benefits to the state's 543,609 members during the twelve months ending September 2021.

#### These benefits are equivalent to \$75 per member or \$158 per member household <sup>(1).</sup>

Estimated total benefits of credit union membership are calculated by accounting for differences in credit union and bank pricing. Specifically, average credit union savings account yields, loan interest rates and fees are compared to average bank savings account yields, loan interest rates and fees. The interest rate differences are then applied to respective average credit union loan and savings balances. Fee differences are weighted and applied to credit union non-interest income to obtain the total estimated benefits arising from fees.

The per-member and per-household benefits delivered by Nebraska credit unions are substantial, but these benefits are averages. Mathematically, that means the total benefits provided are divided across all members (or all member households) - even those who conduct very little financial business with Nebraska credit unions.

#### Consider this:

Financing a \$25,000 new automobile for 60 months at a Nebraska credit union will save members an average \$225 per year in interest expense compared to what they would pay at a banking institution in the state.

Further, loyal members - those who use the credit union extensively - often receive total financial benefits that are much greater than the average.

Nebraska credit unions excel in providing member benefits on many loan and savings products. In particular, Nebraska credit unions offer lower average loan rates on the following accounts: new car loans, used car loans, personal unsecured loans, first mortgage-fixed rate, first mortgage-adjustable rate, credit cards loans.

Nebraska credit unions also pay members higher average dividends on the following accounts: share draft checking, money market accounts, certificate accounts, IRAs.



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### Nebraska Credit Union and Banking Institution September 2021 Average Interest Rates and Fees

Loan Products	Average Rate at Credit Unions (%)	Average Rate at Banks (%)	Rate Difference vs. Banks (%)
60-month new car (A paper)	2.98	4.65	-1.67
48-month used car (A paper)	3.07	4.79	-1.71
Unsecured loan (A paper)	8.43	8.94	-0.51
5-year adjustable rate 1st mortgage, 0 pts	3.36	3.70	-0.34
15-year fixed rate 1st mortgage, 0 pts	2.64	2.70	-0.06
30-year fixed rate 1st mortgage, 0 pts	3.15	3.19	-0.04
Home equity / 2nd mtg, 80% LTV 0 pts	5.50	4.00	1.50
Credit card - rewards	9.88	12.81	-2.92
Credit card - platinum	10.91	13.66	-2.75
Savings Products			
Regular savings, \$1,000 balance	0.05	0.05	0.00
Share draft checking, \$5,000 balance	0.20	0.03	0.17
Money market accounts	0.09	0.08	0.00
1 Year certificate \$10,000 balance	0.36	0.29	0.07
Retirement (IRA) accounts	0.22	0.19	0.04
Fee Income			
Share draft checking, NSF fee	\$29.00	\$32.00	-\$3.00
Credit cards, late fee	\$24.56	\$34.18	-\$9.62
Mortgages, closing costs	\$1,151.00	\$1,361.00	-\$210.00

Source: Datatrac





#### Estimated Financial Benefits for Nebraska Credit Unions September 2021

Loans	Avg. Balance at Credit Unions (1)	Rate Difference vs. Nebraska Banks (%) (2)	Total Financial Benefit to Your Members
New car loans	452,229,071	-1.67	\$7,552,225
Used car loans	1,315,732,525	-1.71	\$22,551,655
Personal unsecured loans	187,461,196	-0.51	\$961,676
5-year adjustable rate 1st mortgage	518,091,802	-0.34	\$1,777,055
15-year fixed rate 1st mortgage	400,705,887	-0.06	\$232,409
30-year fixed rate 1st mortgage	349,715,915	-0.04	\$136,389
Home equity / 2nd mortgage loans	307,254,047	1.50	-\$4,596,521
Credit cards	69,459,995	-2.92	\$1,999,406
Interest rebates			\$43,192
Total CU member benefits arising from lower interest rat	\$30,657,488		
Savings Regular shares	1,953,087,716	0.00	-\$78,124
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Source: Datatrac, NCUA, and CUNA

(1) Average balance as of September 2021 and September 2020, according to the NCUA call report.; (2) Source for rates: Datatrac;

#### Nebraska Credit Union Performance Profile

Demographic Information	Sep 21	Sep 20
Number of branches	147	151
Total assets (\$ mil)	5,858	5,360
Total loans (\$ mil)	3,908	3,762
Total surplus funds (\$ mil)	1,610	1,303
Total savings (\$ mil)	5,039	4,564
Total members (thousands)	546	541
Growth Rates (Trailing 12 months) *		
Total assets	9.3 %	11.5 %
Total loans	3.9 %	5.6 %
Total surplus funds	23.7 %	32.8 %
Total savings	10.5 %	13.3 %
Total members	1.0 %	2.8 %
Earnings - Basis Pts. *		
Yield on total assets	336	389
Dividend / interest cost of assets	47	80
Fee & other income	167	169
Operating expense	353	386
Loss Provisions	17	50
Net Income (ROA) after stabilization exp	86	42
Capital Adequacy		
Net worth / assets	10.6	10.7
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\* Earnings, net chargeoffs, and bankruptcies are year-to-date numbers annualized. Due to significant seasonal variation, balance sheet growth rates are for the trailing 12 months.

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