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### **ANNUAL GOLF EVENT A CHARITABLE SUCCESS**

#### **Annual Arizona Central Credit Union event raises another \$75,000 for cancer patients & families**

**PHOENIX, Ariz. – December 13, 2017** – Arizona Central Credit Union successfully raised \$75,000 to benefit **Cancer Support Community Arizona (CSCAZ)** for its sixth annual golf benefit. The event hosted 140 golfers and was held at Arrowhead Country Club in Glendale on Monday, November 20<sup>th</sup>, 2017. This is the fifth year Arizona Central designated CSCAZ as beneficiary of their annual charity golf event.

The amount raised was a \$10,000 increase over the 2015 outing and the same amount that was raised at the 2016 outing. This year's proceeds for 2017 bring the five-year total raised by the Credit Union for CSCAZ to over a quarter million dollars.

A rewards luncheon was held immediately after the golf tournament, in which Todd Pearson, President/CEO of Arizona Central Credit Union, expressed thanks to the three title sponsors: Allied Solutions, Fiserv, and Digital Insight, along with the various business partners who helped sponsor the event. He then went on to thank the Phoenix Suns for sending "Gorilla," one of the more famous mascots in the NBA, in addition to two of the Phoenix Suns Dancers to help kick off the event by posing in photos with golfers.

Other sponsors included, but were not limited to, a variety of local and national businesses: Arizona Federal Credit Union, Desert Schools Credit Union, SunWest Credit Union, First Credit Union, Pima Federal Credit Union, Colliers, DBSI, Enterprise, National Neuromonitoring Services, Marquis, Vantiv and CUNA Mutual Group.

The charity golf outing is just one of many activities throughout the year that the Credit Union staff undertakes to support Arizona residents through the Cancer Support Community Arizona, as well as other local, charitable organizations. "We're committed to delivering on the mission of all credit unions nationally, which is to give back to the communities in which we work and live," says Pearson. Based in Phoenix, Arizona Central Credit Union also has branches in Chandler, Flagstaff, Glendale, Phoenix, Show Low, Tempe and Tucson.

**ABOUT ARIZONA CENTRAL CREDIT UNION** Founded in 1939, Arizona Central Credit Union is a not-for-profit, full-service, financial institution that is locally owned and operated by its members. Serving over 55,000 members and with current assets exceeding \$400 million, Arizona Central is backed by a 78-year

tradition of financial strength, stability and service. Deposits up to \$250,000 are federally insured by the National Credit Union Administration (NCUA). To learn more, visit [azcentralcu.org](http://azcentralcu.org).

**ABOUT CANCER SUPPORT COMMUNITY ARIZONA** CSCAZ is a non-profit organization dedicated to providing support, education and hope to people affected by cancer and their loved ones. Through participation in professionally led support groups, educational workshops and mind/body programs utilizing the Patient Active Concept, people affected by cancer can learn vital skills to regain control, reduce feelings of isolation and restore hope – regardless of the stage of disease. All of its services are provided through the generosity of individual and private contributions. To learn more, visit [www.cscaz.org](http://www.cscaz.org).

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