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Alpena Alcona Area Credit Union's Atlanta Branch Raises \$335.69 for Elk Country Animal Shelter



In photo: Employees from AAACU's Atlanta branch presented Mary Hubbard-Brown (2nd from left) who represented the Elk Country Animal Shelter, with a check for \$335.69. From left to right: Jessica Radjewski, Mary Hubbard-Brown, Debbie Gawel-Braun, and Sally Weigandt.

Atlanta, Michigan, July 22nd, 2010: Through the hard work of its employees and the generosity of its membership, Alpena Alcona Area Credit Union's Atlanta Branch was able to raise \$335.69 for Elk Country Animal Shelter.

The Elk Country Animal Shelter's mission is to provide shelter for adoptable animals and find them homes. They also are advocated for people keeping companion animals and they provide education on the proper care of animals and promote understanding of the need to control the population of unwanted animals. They are open Tuesdays, Thursdays, and Fridays from 11 a.m. to 4 p.m., Wednesdays from 11 a.m. to 6 p.m., and Saturdays from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. They are located at 11484 Youngs Road, PO Box 434 in Atlanta, and they can be reached by telephone at (989) 785-3738.

The Atlanta branch of Alpena Alcona Area, located at 12285 Jerome Street, organized many different fundraisers to raise money for Elk Country Animal Shelter. Staff sold "Beanie Babies" and raffled a patio set. Staff could donate \$2.00 on Fridays to dress down in jeans and sneakers.

Alpena Alpena Area Credit Union employees select four community or charity organizations that they would like to fundraise for during each quarter of the year. During the 2nd quarter of 2010 (April 1st through June 30th) the staff of Atlanta Branch of AAACU chose to focus their efforts on Elk Country Animal Shelter.

Alpena Alpena Area Credit Union serves members primarily in Alpena, Alpena, Montmorency, and Iosco counties with 8 locations—a main office located in Alpena, with branch offices in Ossineke, Lincoln, Atlanta, a Tiger Branch in Alpena Community Schools, Oscoda and Tawas offices, and an additional branch in Alpena. As of June 30th, 2010, Alpena Alpena Area Credit Union provides service to 27,038 members and has total assets equal to \$242,378,192.92.

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