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Alpena Alcona Area Credit Union's Board of Directors Welcomes New Board Member: Mary Reitler



Alpena, Michigan, March 12th, 2010—Alpena Alcona Area Credit Union officially welcomed Mary Reitler to the Board of Directors at their Organizational Meeting held on Saturday, March 6, 2010.

Mrs. Reitler holds a Bachelor's degree from Michigan State University in education. She has a Master's Degree in Guidance and Counseling from Central Michigan University and also obtained Administrator's Certification.

Mrs. Reitler enjoyed 34 years in the education field. Twenty of those years, she taught special needs students primarily in Iosco County and the last 14 as principal of Oscoda Area High School. She retired in June of 2005, but went back to work in September of 2005 for DELEG (Department of Labor and Economic Growth) at Michigan Rehabilitation Services in Tawas City where she helped people with disabilities obtain employment.

Mrs. Reitler and her husband Jim will celebrate their 30-year anniversary in August 2010. They have four children and three grandchildren. Jim works for Stevens Van Lines in Saginaw.

Mrs. Reitler is a very active in the community. She is currently serving her second term as President of the Oscoda Rotary Club where she has been a member for 15 years. She is the Membership Chair of the Oscoda Yacht Club Board of Directors. She also is a 30-year member of Delta Kappa Gamma—a women's educational sorority, and member in good standing of the Northeast Sunrise Chapter of ABWA (American Business Women's Association). She is a member of Sacred Heart Catholic Church where she performs the duties of lector and greeter. She also volunteers for the St. Vincent De Paul Food Bank.

Mrs. Reitler served on Iosco Community Credit Union's Board of Directors. She was serving on the board during the merger between Iosco Community Credit Union and Alpena Alcona Area Credit Union. "The task at hand was Paul's pending retirement and the future of the CU. I was fortunate to have been a part of the merger and all the planning and preparation that went into the decision," Mrs. Reitler states.

"I am proud to be a part of an organization that truly places the member first. All the branches that I have visited display the same style of professionalism and courtesy," Mrs. Reitler says about her work with Alpena Alcona Area Credit Union. "We are all fortunate to be part of the credit union family where the honesty and integrity of financial services has survived an extremely tumultuous economic time."

Alpena Alcona Area Credit Union serves members primarily in Alpena, Alcona, Montmorency, and Iosco counties with 8 locations—a main office located in Alpena, with branch offices in Ossineke, Lincoln, Atlanta, a Tiger Branch in Alcona Community Schools, Oscoda and Tawas offices, and an additional branch in Alpena. As of February 28th, 2010, Alpena Alcona Area Credit Union provides service to 26,904 members and has total assets equal to \$236,638,699.

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