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### **Alpena Alcona Area Credit Union Donates to Project Connect**

Alpena, MI—Alpena Alcona Area Credit Union (AAACU) donated \$500 to support Project Connect in Alpena County. The event is hosted by the Human Services Coordinating Council (HSCC) and will be a space to connect those in need in our community to helpful local



resources. Project Connect will be held at the Alpena Fairgrounds on June 16<sup>th</sup> from 11:00 AM to 1:00 PM. The funds donated to the event will be used to purchase personal hygiene items, which will be distributed at the event to attendees. AAACU will also be participating as a vendor with a table staffed with credit union team members who will be providing education and assisting attendees with opening new accounts.

AAACU's donation to support Alpena Project Connect is made possible by our Community Reinvestment Fund. These funds are comprised of dollars donated back into our communities thanks to credit union members who choose to receive their monthly statements electronically. The credit union pledged to donate \$9.00 annually for each enrolled account, and in 2025, AAACU will donate up to \$297,600.00 back into the communities they serve.

*AAACU is a state-chartered credit union with membership eligibility open to any resident in the state of Michigan. As of April 30, 2025, AAACU provides service to 48,090 members with total assets equal to \$886,834,278.*