



## REPORT OF THE BOARD AND PRESIDENT

Dear Members,

As we resumed normal activities coming out of the pandemic, we were faced with a turbulent economy, rising rates, and inflation. Despite the economic environment, and as a result of our outstanding employees, we are pleased to report unprecedented growth of **\$90.7 million**, ending our 70th year in business with more than **\$630 million** in assets.

The critical measurement of a credit union's strength is its net worth ratio. Sooper Credit Union is well-capitalized and in 2022 achieved a net worth ratio of 10.11%, exceeding the 7.00% ratio required by federal and state examiners. We observed a remarkable year of net income of more than \$9 million and loan portfolio growth of 20.53%, allowing us to invest in our members even more by helping them take their dream vacations, purchase vehicles, fund renovations, and make their dreams a reality. Our strong financials allowed Sooper Credit Union to maintain its 'A' rating by DepositAccounts.com, an independent rating agency.

I was honored to be appointed Sooper Credit Union's first female president and chief executive officer. In addition to tremendous asset growth, we prioritized diversity, equity, and inclusion by establishing a DEI Committee to help create an inclusive environment for members and employees. We strengthened and expanded our relationship with the Porter-Billups Leadership Academy, a local non-profit organization that provides academic and leadership training to Denver's at-risk, inner-city youth. I am also proud to report Sooper Credit Union was voted the **2022 Best Credit Union** in Arvada by Colorado Community Media.

Our commitment to the community was steadfast. Sooper Credit Union members affected by the Marshall Fires in late December 2021, and by the King Soopers strike were supported with the help of our employees through fundraising efforts, loan deferrals, personal phone calls, food and clothing donations, and more. Additionally, 2022 marked the biggest year of fundraising for the SCU Community Foundation. We positively impacted the financial well-being of our community through volunteerism and the support of several sponsorships benefitting financial education, women's and children's advocacy, hunger relief, and the business and arts in the communities we serve.

Sooper Credit Union is proud to be your trusted financial partner, and we remain committed to helping financially empower your life's journey. We look forward to another successful year. Thank you for your membership.

Sincerely,



CARRIE LANGGARD PRESIDENT AND CEO



ADAM WILLIAMSON | BOARD OF DIRECTORS, CHAIR

**Mission Statement:** Our promise is to financially empower your life's journey.

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# **REPORT OF THE AUDIT COMMITTEE**

The sole responsibility of the Sooper Credit Union audit committee is to ensure that the credit union remains financially stable throughout the year. We are charged with the responsibility of assuring members that the credit union is being managed in a reliable manner.

The committee hired an independent CPA firm to perform the annual supervisory audit. Clifton Larson Allen, LLP, a certified public accounting firm, conducted the audit as of September 30, 2022, and noted that the results of Sooper Credit Union's operations and cash flows were in conformity with generally accepted accounting principles. Additionally, internal audits were conducted each month during 2022 by Holben Hay Lake and Balzer, a division of SingerLewak.

The Colorado Division of Financial Services examined Sooper Credit Union as of March 31, 2022. This examination determined that the capital, asset quality, management, earnings, liquidity and sensitivity to market risk of Sooper Credit Union pose no material risk to members.

Thank you,

ROGER CAMPBELL AUDIT COMMITTEE, CHAIR



### **FINANCIAL HIGHLIGHTS**

TOTAL ASSETS GROSS LOANS TOTAL SHARES EQUITY \$541,419,000 \$454,867,000 \$473,481,000 \$54,877,000

2021

2022

Growth

| \$632,074,000 | 16.74% |
|---------------|--------|
| \$548,236,000 | 20.53% |
| \$518,811,000 | 9.57%  |
| \$60,807,000  | 10.81% |

| <b>BALANCE SHEET</b>                     | 2021                 | 2022                 |  |
|--|----------------------|----------------------|--|
| ASSETS                                   |                      |                      |  |
| CASH                                     | 25,696,000           | 28,309,000           |  |
| INVESTMENTS                              | 34,915,000           | 28,513,000           |  |
| LOANS TO MEMBERS                         | 454,867,000          | 548,236,000          |  |
| ALLOWANCE FOR LOAN LOSSES                | (6,239,000)          | (6,354,000)          |  |
| FIXED ASSETS (NET)                       | 8,853,000            | 8,454,000            |  |
| OTHER ASSETS                             | 23,327,000           | 24,916,000           |  |
| TOTAL ASSETS                             | \$541,419,000        | \$632,074,000        |  |
| LIABILITIES & EQUITY                     |                      |                      |  |
| SHARE ACCOUNTS                           | 159,716,000          | 162,404,000          |  |
| CHECKING ACCOUNTS                        | 104,102,000          | 99,285,000           |  |
| MONEY MARKET ACCOUNTS                    | 90,141,000           | 83,462,000           |  |
| MEMBER CERTIFICATES                      | 77,185,000           | 120,550,000          |  |
| BUSINESS ACCOUNTS                        | 28,843,000           | 32,553,000           |  |
| NON-MEMBER DEPOSITS                      | 13,494,000           | 20,557,000           |  |
| OTHER LIABILITIES                        | 13,061,000           | 52,456,000           |  |
| TOTALLIABILITIES                         | \$486,542,000        | \$571,267,000        |  |
| REGULAR RESERVES                         | 6,234,000            | 6,234,000            |  |
| UNDIVIDED EARNINGS                       | 42,455,000           | 48,512,000           |  |
| UNREALIZED GAIN/(LOSS) ON AFS SECURITIES | 131,000              | (3,114,000)          |  |
| NET INCOME/(LOSS)                        | 6,057,000            | 9,175,000            |  |
| TOTAL EQUITY                             | \$54,877,000         | \$60,807,000         |  |
| <b>TOTAL LIABILITIES &amp; EQUITY</b>    | \$541,419,000        | \$632,074,000        |  |
|  | 2021                 | 2022                 |  |
| INCOME STATEMENT                         | 2021                 | 2022                 |  |
| LOAN INTEREST INCOME                     | 18,245,000           | 23,032,000           |  |
| <b>INVESTMENT INCOME</b>                 | 440,000              | 738,000              |  |
| OTHER INCOME                             | 4,992,000            | 5,378,000            |  |
| TOTAL INCOME                             | \$23,677,000         | \$29,148,000         |  |
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| EXPENSES                                 |                      |                      |  |
| DIVIDENDS & INTEREST PAID                | 1,969,000            | 2,865,000            |  |
| OPERATING EXPENSES                       | 16,089,000           | 19,589,000           |  |
| PROVISION FOR LOAN LOSSES                | 1,407,000            | 1,273,000            |  |
| NON OPERATING (INCOME)/LOSSES            | (1,845,000)          | (3,754,000)          |  |
| TOTAL EXPENSES                           | \$17,620,000         | \$19,973,000         |  |
| NET INCOME                               | \$6,057,000          | \$9,175,000          |  |
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