

## Credit Union Philosophy Pre-Work Assignment

To begin this session, class members will briefly share information about the history of their credit union. In preparation, please work with the appropriate person at your credit union to answer as many of the following questions as you can:

- 1. When, why and how did your credit union get started?
- 2. How many people started your credit union?
- 3. What challenges did the founders create the credit union to address?
- 4. Who was the original sponsor of your credit union? Has your field of membership changed or evolved over time?
- 5. In researching this information, feel free to share any other interesting bits of information you find.

NOTE: this is not a written assignment and you will not be graded on your research findings.