



Pikes Peak Credit Union

It's Your Money July 2026 Newsletter

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Apply for a Home Equity Line of Credit and pay **No Closing Costs** with a minimum advance of \$10,000!*

*NMLS ID #781767. Valid on new home equity lines of credit only. No closing costs is subject to change without notice. Must advance HELOC a minimum of \$10,000 at closing to qualify for no closing costs. **Appraisal fee may apply if one is required to determine your home's value.** All loans are subject to final credit and property approval. Minimum monthly payment required is \$100 or the monthly interest due, whichever is greater. Financing available throughout Colorado. Must be secured by your owner-occupied residence and property insurance is required. Available credit lines range from \$10,000 - \$200,000, depending on the loan to value. Interest rates are dependent upon credit qualifications and loan to value. HELOCs have variable interest rates. Consult a tax advisor for further information regarding the deductibility of interest and charges. Certain other conditions and restrictions may apply.



Woodland Park:
9/4 11am - 2pm

Colorado Springs:
9/11 11am - 2pm

Stop by for a free lunch and gift!

Calendar of Events & Holiday Closings

- July 4th - Independence Day (Closed)
- September 7th - Labor Day (Closed)
- September 4th - Member Appreciation Day - WP
- September 11th - Member Appreciation Day - CS
- October 12th - Columbus Day (Closed)

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Employee Spotlight- Meet Sjonte' Long



Since joining our team in 2021 as a teller, Sjonte' has consistently demonstrated dedication, leadership, and a passion for serving our members. She quickly advanced to Member Service Representative, then Assistant Branch Manager, where she continued to make a positive impact on both her team and the community.

We're thrilled to announce her well-earned promotion to Branch Manager of our Woodland Park office as of May 2026! In this new role, she brings not only her experience and expertise but also her enthusiasm for building strong relationships and delivering exceptional service.

Outside of work, Sjonte' enjoys spending quality time with her kids and friends. She loves staying active and creative through hobbies like hiking, yoga, cooking, baking, and more.

Election Results Notice

At the Annual Meeting of Pikes Peak Credit Union held on May 16, 2026, three Board positions were up for election. In accordance with the credit union's bylaws, each position had a single nominee, and the candidates were elected by affirmation.

The following individuals were elected to serve on the Board of Directors: Kathy Pullara for a three-year term, Jack Menard for a three-year term, and Pat Haggett for a one-year term completing the remainder of an unexpired term.

Thank you to all members who participated in this year's Annual Meeting and for your continued engagement in the governance of your credit union.

Board Leadership Update

Following the Annual Meeting, Board members Kathy Pullara and Jack Menard announced their resignations from the Board of Directors, effective June 1, 2026, and May 18, 2026, respectively.

We extend our sincere gratitude to Kathy and Jack for their years of dedicated service, leadership, and commitment to the members of Pikes Peak Credit Union. Their contributions have helped support the credit union's continued success, and we wish them all the best in their future endeavors.

Interested in Serving?

This transition presents an exciting opportunity for members to become more involved in shaping the future of Pikes Peak Credit Union. We are currently seeking qualified members who are interested in serving on our Board of Directors or Supervisory Committee. These volunteer leadership positions offer a meaningful way to contribute to the credit union and represent the interests of fellow members. To learn more, please email contactus@pikespeakcu.com.

Your officials for the next year are:

Board of Directors:

Mike Cliett, Chairperson
Mary Killoran, Vice Chairperson
Aura Patterson, Secretary
Pat Haggett, Treasurer
Anjoleen Himes, Director

Supervisory Committee:

Fred Mueller, Chairperson
Linda Greene, Secretary



Stay One Step Ahead: The Latest Fraud Prevention Tips for Credit Union Members

Fraud tactics are evolving and staying informed is one of the most effective ways to protect your finances. Here are the newest, most relevant tips to help you safeguard your accounts and personal information:

1. Watch for "Imposter" Scams

Fraudsters increasingly pose as credit union staff, government agencies, or even family members. They may call, text, or email claiming urgent issues with your account. Remember: we will never ask for sensitive information like passwords or full PINs. When in doubt, hang up and contact us at 719-473-5962.

2. Enable Multi-Factor Authentication (MFA)

Adding an extra layer of security - like a one-time code sent to your phone or authentication app - can significantly reduce the risk of unauthorized access, even if your password is compromised.

3. Be Cautious with Links and QR Codes

"Smishing" (SMS phishing) and malicious QR codes are on the rise. Avoid clicking on links or scanning codes from unknown or unexpected sources. Always verify before taking action.

4. Monitor Your Accounts in Real Time

Set up account alerts for transactions, balance changes, and login activity. Early detection is key - report suspicious activity immediately to minimize potential losses.

5. Use Strong, Unique Passwords

Avoid reusing passwords across multiple accounts. Consider using a password manager to create and store complex passwords securely.

6. Keep Devices and Apps Updated

Regular updates ensure you have the latest security patches. This applies to your phone, computer, and banking apps.

7. Know the Signs of Check Fraud and Mail Theft

If you still use paper checks, consider switching to electronic payments when possible. If mailing checks, use secure drop boxes and monitor for unusual activity.

8. Trust Your Instincts

If something feels off - unexpected urgency, unusual payment requests, or pressure to act quickly - it's worth pausing and verifying.

We are committed to protecting you, but security is a shared responsibility. Staying alert and informed can make all the difference.

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