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Dear Secretary Board:

As a credit union member and employee, I am writing to support your recent rule regarding credit unions' field of membership. Following the most recent financial crisis, many Americans still struggle financially and would benefit from being a member of a non-profit financial cooperative based on the principle of "people helping people." I'm writing today in support of the NCUA's proposal because it will expand the ability of credit unions to provide services to consumers who may not now be credit union members.

My credit union serves virtually all the financial services needs of me and my family, offering competitive services at excellent rates. It puts my needs before company profits. Your rule would allow credit unions more flexibility to serve consumers who share a common bond and will enhance the financial well-being of many Americans. The National Credit Union Administration should be commended for proposing these sensible and important steps.

Sincerely,

Jonathan Shapiro