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Advantis Credit Union Recognized as Top Corporate Philanthropist by the Portland Business Journal for Ninth Consecutive Year

Portland, ORE., Oct. 8, 2019 — Advantis Credit Union was recently named as a top corporate philanthropist in the large company category by the Portland Business Journal. The credit union was honored at the annual Corporate Philanthropy Awards luncheon on Thursday, October 3 and ranked seventh overall among large companies. The annual award celebrates companies that give back through volunteer programs and through financial commitments to local nonprofits. This is the ninth consecutive year that Advantis has been recognized by the Business Journal for its community giving efforts.

“This award recognizes Advantis’ and our employees’ commitment to supporting the nonprofits that make our community such a great place to live,” said John Nichols, Vice President of Marketing. “Along with being passionate advocates for our members, our employees are equally passionate about providing their time and talents through volunteer service, and funding organizations within the neighborhoods we serve.”

In 2018 Advantis served 1,179 volunteer service hours, a 14% increase over the hours served in 2017. Additionally, Advantis provided \$50,000 in grants to six local nonprofits through Grow: The Advantis Community Fund, and contributed more than \$181,000 in grants, sponsorships, and employee donation match funds.

About Advantis Credit Union

With \$1.5 billion in assets, Advantis Credit Union is Oregon’s fifth largest not-for-profit financial cooperative. We return earnings to members in the form of better rates, low fees, and more free services. Advantis is locally owned by over 76,000 members, and has eight branches in the Portland metro area. For more information, visit www.advantiscu.org.