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## Virginia Credit Union Association Honors Congressman Morgan Griffith as 2025 Federal Lawmaker of the Year

**WASHINGTON, D.C.** – The Virginia Credit Union Association, a subsidiary of The League of Credit Unions & Affiliates, proudly announces that Congressman Morgan Griffith (VA-09) has been named the 2025 Federal Lawmaker of the Year in Virginia. He was formally honored this week at the America's Credit Unions Governmental Affairs Conference in Washington, D.C.

"I am honored to be recognized as the 2025 Federal Lawmaker of the Year in Virginia. Credit unions play a vital role in expanding financial access and supporting small businesses across the Commonwealth," said Congressman Morgan Griffith, Vice Chair of the House Rules Committee. "I remain committed to working with credit unions to ensure they can continue serving their members effectively, free from unnecessary regulatory burdens, while maintaining strong consumer protections."

"Congressman Griffith has long demonstrated a clear understanding of the value credit unions bring to communities across Virginia," shared Samantha A.M. Beeler, President of The League of Credit Unions & Affiliates. "His leadership on key committees, support for Board Modernization, and commitment to balanced regulatory reform make him a trusted champion for credit unions and their members. We are proud to recognize him as Virginia's 2025 Federal Lawmaker of the Year and grateful for his continued partnership."

After being nominated by the Federal Advocacy Policy Committee, Congressman Griffith's nomination was unanimously approved by The League Board of Directors following discussion of his support for credit unions and their legislative priorities.

As Vice Chair of the House Rules Committee, Congressman Griffith holds a significant leadership role in

shaping the legislative process and influencing how major policies advance through the House. He is a supporter and cosponsor of modernizing board meeting requirements for federally chartered credit unions, has signed the “no new taxes” pledge, and supports meaningful reform of the Consumer Financial Protection Bureau to ensure regulations protect consumers without limiting financial choice.

“Congressman Griffith has been a vocal leader among his colleagues in advocating for credit unions and protecting their not-for-profit, member-owned structure,” continued Ibbey Dickson, Manager of Federal Advocacy at The League. “As a continued partner to credit unions in his district, he understands the important role they play in serving families and small businesses, and he has consistently supported policies that allow them to continue that work.”

We appreciate Congressman Griffith and his dedicated service on behalf of our members throughout the Commonwealth of Virginia.

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