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Local Credit Union Receives 5-Star Rating from BauerFinancial

Tampa, FL (July 2021) - Railroad & Industrial Federal Credit Union (RIFCU) has once again been awarded the highest (5-Star) rating for financial strength and stability from BauerFinancial, Inc., the nation's premier bank rating firm.

Ratings are based on an independent analysis of many different financial metrics and a 5-star rating denotes a strong financial institution.

"We've always strived to exceed regulatory expectations and ensure RIFCU remains a safe and sound financial institution" said Peter Giorgianni, President/CEO of RIFCU "I'm proud of our entire team for ensuring our members have received high quality service and peace of mind."

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About Railroad & Industrial Federal Credit Union

Established in 1935, Railroad & Industrial Federal Credit Union is a not-for-profit financial cooperative with more than \$400 million in assets and 9 Branches located throughout Hillsborough, Polk and Pasco Counties. Railroad & Industrial is headquartered in Tampa, Florida and serves more than 41,000 members and employees at thousands of businesses. More information on Railroad & Industrial Federal Credit Union is located at <https://www.RIFCU.org>.

About BauerFinancial

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