## MISSISSIPPI CREDIT UNION SYSTEM

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## MISSISSIPPI CREDIT UNIONS READY FOR $64^{TH}$ ANNUAL MEETING Or

64<sup>th</sup> Annual Meeting of the Mississippi Credit Union

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Jackson, MS – Managers, volunteers and **members** from Mississippi's 122 credit unions are looking forward to **a productive and informative** annual meeting next weekend. Nearly 600 **participants** are pre-registered for the 64<sup>th</sup> annual meeting to be held April 26-28 at the Grand Bayview Hotel in Biloxi, MS.

**The** annual Elwyn Pope Memorial Golf Tournament, sponsored by CUNA **Mutal** (or Mutual?) Group, will kick-off the convention weekend. The Honorable Ronnie Musgrove, Governor of the State of Mississippi, will give the conventions keynote address, Thursday evening.

**Dan** Mica, President/CEO of the Credit Union National Association will speak at Friday's session. Other **distinguished** speakers include Charles Petty, nationally renowned motivational speaker; Alonzo Swann, Region III Director of the National Credit Union Administration; and John Allison, Commissioner of the MS Department of Banking and Consumer Finance.

Participants and guests are sure to enjoy the food and entertainment delivered with the theme, "Discover the POWER of Unity". Charles Elliott, CLE, MCUS President/CEO said, "We are taking this opportunity to celebrate with those in the credit union movement who have joined together and worked so diligently to promote the credit union philosophy. We are truly looking forward to a relaxed and fun environment in which to further educate our most dedicated managers and volunteers."

The Mississippi Credit Union System raises the majority of its Credit Union Legislative Action Council (CULAC) funds during this annual three-day event. **The annual meeting will kick-off** the year-long Challenge (or challenge), counting on the competitive drive between credit unions to be in the top five credit unions on a percentage basis to meet or exceed their goal. The league anticipates raising over \$10,000 during this meeting.

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