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**Anderson Cooper Speaks to Sold Out Crowd as the
First Headliner of the WFCU Credit Union Speaker Series**

Windsor, ON – On Friday, March 29th Anderson Cooper spoke to a sold out crowd at the Colosseum at Caesars Windsor as the first headliner of the WFCU Credit Union Speaker Series.

Cooper, anchor of *CNN's Anderson Cooper 360°* and correspondent for *CBS's 60 Minutes*, shared intimate details of his life and career and offered his unique perspectives on some of the most notable events in recent history. He also took the opportunity to engage with fans during a light-hearted question and answer segment.

"We're excited to have had the opportunity to welcome Anderson Cooper to Windsor as the first headliner of WFCU Credit Union's Speaker Series," said Eddie Francis, President and CEO, WFCU Credit Union, adding that he believes Cooper's appearance illustrates WFCU Credit Union's commitment to bringing engaging, entertaining and educational opportunities to our community.

WFCU Credit Union's Speaker Series, part of their *Inspire Program*, provides opportunities for WFCU Credit Union Members and the community to attend a variety of shows featuring appearances by renowned personalities who will share unique experiences and perspectives on a variety of topics including entertainment, politics, environment, business and the arts.

"As a credit union, our priority is our Members and our community," stated Marty Gillis, Chair, WFCU Credit Union Board of Directors, "Being able to bring Mr. Cooper to our area gave us an opportunity to highlight our appreciation for our Members and our community by providing them with a unique experience they may otherwise not have had."

Rick Mercer will appear at the Chrysler Theatre on Saturday, September 28, 2019 as the second headliner of the WFCU Credit Union Speaker Series. Tickets for Mercer's show are available at the Chrysler Theatre Box Office and online through chryslertheatre.com.

For more information about WFCU Credit Union's Speaker Series and the latest information on all WFCU Credit Union community initiatives please visit www.wfcu.ca.

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ABOUT WFCU CREDIT UNION

WFCU Credit Union has been recognized as a leading, progressive financial institution headquartered in Windsor and Essex County since 1941. Proudly serving Ontario residents, community organizations, small businesses, commercial entities and public institution for over 77 years, WFCU Credit Union is the sixth largest credit union in Ontario, operating nine retail locations and one digital entity, Omnia Direct. Through these service channels, in combination with online and mobile banking, telephone banking and ATM services, WFCU Credit Union has become the financial institution of choice for 45,255 Members across Ontario including 41,091 Personal Members in 19,131 households, 2,777 Businesses and 1,387 Organizations. Currently, WFCU Credit Union has \$5.01 Billion in Managed Assets and Member Service Totals of \$6.7 Billion. WFCU Credit Union membership is open to anyone who lives and/or works in Ontario. For more information on WFCU Credit Union please visit wfcu.ca.

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