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Member's 65th Annual Meeting Recap

Thank you to everyone who attended the Annual Members Meeting last April! Westminster Federal Credit Union celebrated its 65th Annual Membership Meeting on Wednesday, April 9, 2025, at the Westminster City Park Recreation Center.

There were 2 write-ins for this year's election but our Incumbent board members, Harvey Morris, Bill Work, and Tim Regas, were all re-elected for another 3-year term on the credit union's board of directors.



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2025 Dividends Declared

The Board of Directors declared dividends for the 2nd quarter of 2025:

Share savings: 0.05% APY*
Checking accounts: 0.03% APY*
Money Market Accounts: As high as 2.15% APY*

*Annual Percentage Yield. Dividends are calculated on the average daily balance and paid on the last day of the month. Account must be open at the end of the month to receive dividends. Rates are subject to change. Visit www.wfcu.com for current rates. Federally Insured by NCUA.

10 Ways to Protect Yourself from Online Shopping Scams

Online shopping is fast and convenient—but it's important to stay alert to avoid scams.

Here are 10 tips to help you shop safely & confidently:

- 1. Stick to Trusted Retailers.
- 2. Shop only on secure websites with strong reputations. Look for URLs that start with "https" and double-check the site name for misspellings.
- 3. Be Cautious with Payment Apps.
- 4. Avoid sellers who demand immediate payment through apps like Zelle®, Venmo, or Cash App. These methods offer little buyer protection.
- 5. Watch Out for Unrealistic Deals.
- 6. If a price seems too good to be true, it probably is. Scammers often lure shoppers with deep discounts on fake or non-existent products.
- 7. Don't Fall for High-Pressure Tactics.
- 8. Be wary of sellers who push you to "act fast" or "buy now." Take your time to make informed decisions.
- 9. Think Twice About Social Media Ads.
- 10. Ads on social platforms can lead to fraudulent stores. Research unfamiliar sites before making a purchase.
- 11. Use Credit Cards When Possible.
- 12. Credit cards often offer better fraud protection than debit cards or direct transfers—especially when dealing with unknown sellers.
- 13. Verify Social Media Sales.
- 14. If a friend is selling something online, reach out to them directly. Their account may have been compromised.
- 15. Protect Your Personal Info.
- 16. Never share sensitive details like your bank account number, PIN, or one-time access codes.
- 17. Do a Quick Scam Check.
- 18. Search the seller's name along with the word "scam" to see if others have reported issues.
- 19. Trust Your Instincts.
- 20. If something feels off, it's okay to walk away. Take your time and do your homework.

Upcoming Branch Closures:



Independence Day | Friday, July 4, 2025

Labor Day | Monday, September 1, 2025