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## **AAACU Announces 2023 Scholarship Recipients**

Alpena, MI, June 26, 2023 – Alpena Alcona Area Credit Union (AAACU) is proud to announce the twenty-two recipients of the newly formed AAACU Scholarship Program.

The AAACU Scholarship Program awarded six students from Alpena High School: Connor Caplis, Hunter Hitzelberger, Brady Kollen, Natalie Koproski, Tiffany Tessmer, and Margaret Thayer.

Five recipients were from Oscoda Area Schools: Andrew Benton, Grace Bergquist, Libby Mongeau, Jessica Montgomery, and Axel Raybourn.

Four recipients were from Posen Consolidated Schools: Shelby Donajkowski, Halie Konieczny, Macy Kroll, and Mariah Newhouse.

Two recipients were from Cheboygan High School: Mason Baiel and Izzy Portman.

Two recipients were from Rogers City High School: Taylor Krentz and Mallary Tosch.

Two recipients were from Tawas Area High School: Lindsay Chatt and Alaina Grover.

One recipient was from Alcona Community Schools: Kelsey Hansen.

AAACU is proud to offer scholarships to local youth to help them financially in their high school education. The AAACU Scholarship Program is funded by our Community Reinvestment Fund. These funds are comprised of dollars donated back into our communities thanks to credit union members who choose to receive their monthly statements electronically. The credit union pledged to donate \$9.00 annually for each of these e-statements account and in 2023, AAACU will donate up to \$238,000.00 back into the communities they serve.

AAACU is a state-chartered credit union with membership eligibility open to any resident in the state of Michigan. As of May 31, 2023, AAACU provides service to 44,430 members with total assets equal to \$725,705,499.