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## First Community Credit Union Announces Rockford Mortgage Loan Officer

July 8, 2019 – First Community Credit Union (FirstCCU) is pleased to announce and welcome George Pleshkewych to the mortgage team. Mr. Pleshkewych joins the team with almost 15 years of experience in mortgage lending and sales. George is driven and passionate about helping members find solutions for their home mortgage needs.

"I am ecstatic about this opportunity to take my career to the next level in an environment that is 100% about the members and helping/educating them," said George. "Joining FirstCCU as a Mortgage Loan Originator will prove to be the best and most fulfilling career decision I have made."

Born and raised in Park Ridge IL, he has lived in Rockford since 2007 and is a graduate from Illinois State University with a degree in Economics and Mathematics. Today, he volunteers his time in the Rockford Community and loves to run, attending many charity races throughout the area. George comes from a family history of credit unions; most notably his grandfather is a founder of Selfreliance Ukrainian Federal Credit Union and was inducted into the Illinois credit union hall of fame in April of 2000.

George is married to Monica Pleshkewych, a Rockford native and fifth grade teacher at Brookview Elementary School. They have two children; daughter Liliana who is eight years old and daughter Emma who is five years old. Both girls attend Rockford Christian School and love to swim, golf, and play outside.

George and his family love to travel and their favorite trip to take as a family is to Disney World in Florida. He is also a big sports fan from his beloved Illinois State Redbirds to the Chicago White Sox and Chicago Bears.

## About First Community Credit Union:

First Community Credit Union has been serving the Stateline area since 1933. Expanding from its original location in Beloit, it now has four branch locations including Janesville, and Monroe (WI) and also Rockford (IL). Today, FirstCCU has more than 19,000 members, \$156 million in assets and has been ranked as a Bauer Financial Five-Star Superior credit union for more than 19 consecutive years. They are 86 years strong and still growing. For more information on FirstCCU visit firstccu.com.