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## CONNEXUS CREDIT UNION DONATES TO AMERICAN RED CROSS COLORADO WILDFIRE RELIEF EFFORTS

**Wausau, Wis.** (January 12, 2022) – Connexus Credit Union's philanthropic program, Connexus Cares, announced a donation of \$20,000 to the American Red Cross and their efforts to support communities in Colorado devastated by the recent wildfires.

According to the American Red Cross website, the December Marshall Fire is Colorado's most destructive wildfire in history. To date, more than 6,000 acres have burned, forced 35,000 people from their homes, and destroyed nearly 1,000 homes. Funds will be used to distribute relief items, as well as support individuals with their medical, physical health, and mental health needs.

"Connexus Cares exists to lend a helping hand to those in need, and that's especially true when our members are directly affected by a terrible disaster," said Boyd Gustke, Connexus President & Chief Executive Officer. "The devastation is heartbreaking, and our thoughts are with the individuals, families, and businesses impacted by the Colorado wildfires. We're grateful to be able to support the Red Cross in the recovery and rebuilding efforts already underway, and hope our contribution can lead to a sense of relief for the ongoing volunteer efforts."

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