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MERRIMACK VALLEY CREDIT UNION PARTICIPATES IN ANNUAL TURKEY BRIGADE

Credit Union sponsors and assists in delivery of Thanksgiving dinners to families in need

LAWRENCE, MASS. — On Wednesday, November 23, 15 Merrimack Valley Credit Union (MVCU) employees and family members spent the day delivering turkey dinners to families in need in the Merrimack Valley.

Participating in the Turkey Brigade, an event hosted by Ocasio's True Martial Arts in Haverhill, has become a tradition for members of the MVCU team. Ocasio's raises money all year long and collects donations of food for the Turkey Brigade baskets. The Credit Union contributed \$2,000 toward the purchase of ingredients for the dinner baskets.



"The Turkey Brigade allows the team to help less fortunate families in the Merrimack Valley each Thanksgiving season," said Brett Terry, Assistant Vice President of Lending and MVCU's Turkey Brigade volunteer coordinator. "This year, more than 500 families in the Merrimack Valley received a complete turkey dinner. It's a wonderful opportunity for us to give back to the community we serve."

About Merrimack Valley Credit Union

Merrimack Valley Credit Union is a \$575 million asset not-for-profit community credit union serving anyone who lives, works or worships in the Merrimack Valley region. MVCU offers a wide range of services to meet the financial needs of its members, and has branch locations in Haverhill, Lawrence, Methuen, and North Andover, Mass., and Plaistow and Seabrook, N.H. To learn more about Merrimack Valley Credit Union, please visit www.mvcu.com.

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[Photo Caption: (Left to Right) Anthony Marino, Doug Marino, Bob Donald, Don Croteau, Jan White, Jake White, Andrea Manseau, Joe Ronca, Peter Matthews, Bonnie Tardugno, Brett Terry, Michael Farren, Christine Ronca, and Alyssa Ronca]