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**JEANNE D'ARC CREDIT UNION'S STEVE JONES RECEIVES
COMMUNITY SERVICE AWARD FROM COMMUNITY TEAMWORK, INC.**

LOWELL, MA – Jeanne D'Arc Credit Union is pleased to announce that Steve Jones, Vice President of Community Development, last night received the Community Service Award from Community Teamwork, Inc. in recognition of his dedication to the region and to helping his fellow man.

“We are very proud of Steve and inspired by his dedication to others,” said Mark S. Cochran, President and Chief Executive Officer of Jeanne D'Arc Credit Union. “Steve exemplifies the concept of community service and the overall mission of the credit union. His passion for helping people is evident in his actions each day.”

Mr. Jones is well known throughout the region for his commitment to the community and to helping others. He currently serves as Chairman of the Greater Lowell Chamber of Commerce and is a board member of the Greater Lowell Family YMCA, Cultural Organization of Lowell, Town of Chelmsford Scholarship Fund, Chelmsford Youth Basketball League, and My Father's House. In addition to serving on numerous boards and committees, Mr. Jones is an active fundraiser for myriad charities and is also quick to roll up his sleeves. He helps serve meals at the Lowell Transitional Living Center, paints and hammers for Rebuilding Together Lowell, works on the bucket brigade at Lowell's Folk Festival, and rings the bell at Christmastime for the Salvation Army.

Community Teamwork, Inc. is a non-profit community action agency committed to helping low-income people become self-sufficient. CTI's Community Action Awards celebrate the people and institutions who lead the community through their actions. In selecting Mr. Jones for this year's award, CTI noted his “exemplary community action which has strengthened the economic and social fabric of our community.”

About Jeanne D'Arc Credit Union:

Jeanne D'Arc Credit Union was established in 1912 and is a full-service, member-owned community-based financial cooperative with more than 58,000 members and more than \$910 million in assets. It operates six full-service branches in Lowell, Dracut (2), Tyngsboro, Chelmsford and Methuen, Massachusetts; three high-school branches at Lowell High, Dracut High and Nashoba Valley Technical High schools; and a loan center in Lowell.