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FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE:

HIWAY APPOINTS SOPHIA XIONG-YANG AS ASSOCIATE BOARD MEMBER

SAINT PAUL, MN (December 12, 2018) The Board of Directors at Hiway Federal Credit Union® (Hiway) appointed Sophia Xiong-Yang as their first Associate Board Member.

"Hiway's new Associate Director Program allows our Board to prepare volunteers for future leadership opportunities," said

Patrick McGuiness, Board Chair. "We are very excited to have Sophia as our first Associate Director and have her experience and perspective in the board room to contribute to Hiway's continued success."



Sophia has been a Hiway member for more than 21 years. She works for the Minnesota Department of Transportation (MnDOT) as a Training Coordinator in the Office of Equity and Diversity. Sophia is also the Chair of Empowering Hmong Women Incorporated, Treasurer of the Church Women's Ministry, committee member of the Asian Employee Resource Group and a member of the Health and Wellness Committee at MnDOT.

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ABOUT HIWAY FEDERAL CREDIT UNION

Hiway Federal Credit Union was founded in 1931 to serve the employees of the Minnesota Highway Department. Today, Hiway serves over 74,000 members in Minnesota and around the country, registers \$1.1 billion in assets and welcomes new membership from individuals and small businesses. Hiway offers its members unparalleled member service and a lifetime of savings through lower loan rates, higher savings rates and fewer and lower fees. For more information about Hiway, visit hiway.org.