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International Falls, MN| For the fourth consecutive year, TruStar Federal Credit Union has announced the payment of a Patronage Dividend to its members.

The \$750,000 Patronage Dividend will be deposited into members' accounts on February 13, 2018. Since 2013, almost \$3 million has been distributed among TruStar's members.

"This is the largest dividend payout in the history of TruStar" stated Dale Johnson, President/CEO. "We feel fortunate to be able to reward our members for their loyalty in such a big way." The amount paid to members is based upon the member's total relationship with the credit union – the greater the relationship, the larger the dividend.

"This dividend is the perfect example of what a financial cooperative should be doing – sharing the success of the business by returning money to the people who make it successful" said Johnson.

With assets in excess of \$200 million, TruStar currently serves almost 15,000 members throughout Koochiching, Beltrami, Hubbard, Becker, Wadena, and Northeast St. Louis Counties. To learn more about TruStar Federal Credit Union including how to join, visit www.trustarfcu.com.