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# April 2024 Newsletter

### **ESTABLISHED IN 1936**

Long Beach Firemen's Credit Union (LBFCU) will celebrate 88 years of serving the Long Beach Fire Department on April 16<sup>th</sup>.

The credit union had a great year. We thank you for using us for your financial needs. We finished 2023 with over \$209,000,000 in assets and a membership of 3311. At the Annual Member's Meeting Mark Manor was announced as chairman of the board and Ed Kuder as vice-chairman for 2024. The credit union would like to thank those on the board for their leadership role. The board continually monitors financial trends during the year and strives to remain competitive with the market by maintaining low interest rates on most loans, while paying high rates on dividends throughout the year.

Our reserves increased to over \$51,000,000 in 2023 and we were able to return over \$1,900,000 to the members in dividends and interest rebates on loans. Over the last 20 years our borrowers have received more than \$2,100,000 in Loyalty Interest Rebates.

### Mobile App and Zelle®

We launched our mobile app and Zelle® last year in response to our members requests. Now you can have access to your account information and make transfers via Zelle® while on the go. You must be enrolled in online banking to use the app and online banking and bill pay to use Zelle®. Some of the mobile app features include:

- Pay others with Zelle®
- Check your account balances
- Pay Bills
- Transfer funds between your LBFCU accounts

To use the mobile app search for Long Beach Firemen's Credit Union in the Apple App store or Google Play store, download it, and log on with your home banking logon ID and password, accept the terms and conditions and you're all set. To use Zelle®, you must have a checking account and be signed up for bill pay. If you have any questions just call the credit union.

#### **Office Hours**

M – Th 8:30 AM to 4:00 PM Friday 8:00 AM to 5:30 PM

#### **Board of Directors**

Mark Manor, Chairman Ed Kuder, Vice Chairman Bill Fickling, Secretary Paul Meisel, Director John Fort, Director Steve Garcia, Director Logan Bechtold, Director Bob Moll, Alternate

#### **Supervisory Committee**

Jack Crabtree, Chairman Joe Billish Rolf Ward

#### Credit Committee

Dave Flores, Chairman Jeff Vargas Seward Khem

#### **Management**

Sandra Crane, CEO Vicki Ochoa, COO Sophep Fletcher, Lending Mgr.

## **Rates for Period April 1st to June 30, 2024**

<b>REGULAR SHARE ACCOUNT – DIVIDEND RATES</b>		
ACCOUNT BALANCE RANGES	<b>DIVIDEND RATES*</b>	ANNUAL YIELD**
\$0 to \$24,999.99	1.05%	1.05%
\$25,000.00 to \$49,999.99	1.10%	1.11%
\$50,000.00 to \$74,999.99	1.20%	1.21%
\$75,000.00 to \$99,999.99	1.30%	1.31%
\$100,000.00 & above	1.90%	1.92%
IRA Account	1.90%	1.92%
Secondary (02) and Impound (50) shares	1.05%	1.05%
Share Draft Account	0.15%	0.15%

\*Dividend rates are established by the Board of Directors and are subject to change, based on current economic conditions and credit union earnings.

\*\*Assumes reinvestment of principle and dividends on a quarterly basis for one year at the annual dividend rate. Dividends are calculated at the end of each quarter and credited to the account on the first day of the next month, utilizing the AVERAGE DAILY BALANCE METHOD and a 365 day year (366 day leap year).

A COMPLETE DISCLOSURE, EXPLAINING HOW DIVIDENDS ARE CALCULATED IS AVAILABLE AT THE CREDIT UNION.

An account closed prior to the end of the quarter will earn no interest for that quarter.

Each account is insured up to a maximum of \$250,000 by NCUA, an agency of the United States Government.

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LOAN TYPES	Owner Occupied Home Loans	
VISA (no annual fee) – Call for current rates	<u>1<sup>st</sup> Trust Deed</u>	
Signature/Unsecured – Call for current rates	30-year Variable Rate	
Share Secured – Call for current rates	15-year Fixed Rate	
New Car/Truck – Call for current rates		
Used Car/Truck – Call for current rates	2 <sup>nd</sup> Trust Deed	
	15-year Home Equity Line of Credit	
100% financing available on New Cars with		
Payroll deduction or direct deposit	<b>Rental Real Estate Loans</b>	
	1 <sup>st</sup> Trust Deed Rental Real Estate Loans	
Motorhome, Travel Trailer, Boat and Motorcycle	30-year Variable Rate, 1 to 4 Units	
Call for current rates	5/25 Rate, Over 4 Units	

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There are NO POINTS charged on Real Estate loans. All loan interest is calculated on the simple interest method.



