

FIRST CLASS



Dec 2023

CHARLESTON!

If you weren't in Charleston - home of Bravo's "Southern Charm" - from September 10-12, you missed a great conference. With speakers like NCUA Board member Rodney Hood, the education side of the program was top-notch. Other topics included "Economic Outlook" presented by Blake Hastings, Chief **Economist from Southwest Business** Corp. (SWBC), "The Importance of Governance" was addressed by Michael Daignault of Quantum Governance and "How To Retain Talent". The setting was great, the food was tasty and there was even a tour or golf for those looking to see all of Charleston.

CONFERENCE 2024!

The NCPCU Board agreed to move up the 2024 CU Summit to our traditional April time and we are going to Nashville, TN! Get your travel calendar ready to hit the road for Music City, USA. Set for April 14 - 16 in Nashville. Watch for final details and registration opening in the next two weeks. Be sure to tell your fellow postal credit unions – they won't want to miss it!

NCPCU Executive Officers and Board Members for 2024

The NCPCU Board met during the Annual Conference in Charleston and elected the following to leadership posts for the upcoming year:

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Steve Cimino (US Postal Service FCU)

Vice Chair

Jason Smith (LAFCU)

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L-R Incoming **NCPCU Chair** Steve Cimino, **NCUA** board member, Rodney Hood & outgoing NCPCU Chair Chuck Head.



NCUA board member, Rodney Hood addresses conference attendees



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Outgoing NCPCU Chair Chuck Head welcomes attendees

USPS Postal Trivia

What American city is home to the only floating post office?

Answer: Detroit, Michigan. In 1874, Captain JW Westcott created a system to deliver supplies and mail to passing ships via rowboat. The USPS impressed was so Westcott's system that granted his vessel its own zip code -48222. Today, the ship named in Captain Westcott's honor is known for its delivery of mail to ships, making it the only floating post office in the US.