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Associated Credit Union Teams up with DFCS

Over 600 Presents for Division of Family and Children Services Donated

Associated Credit Union teamed up with the Division of Family and Children Services in Gwinnett and Fulton counties for its second annual gift program for children. ACU received the names and wish lists of 500 children and displayed them throughout its 28 metro branches. Credit union members purchased over 600 Christmas presents for the children's holidays.

The tremendous amount of support for the program this year doubled the amount of gifts donated in 2008. "When I was a young boy my father and some of his friends played Santa Claus for under-privileged kids. Whenever I think of giving the



Volunteers for the Gwinnett Division of Family and Children Services partnered with representatives from Associated Credit Union help deliver presents for the holidays.

spirit of Christmas, I think of those children. The joy and wonderment on their faces was such a gift to all of those involved. The overwhelming support from our members and employees will help create many Christmas memories and serve as a special gift for both the children and those who gave to the program," said Associated Credit Union's President and CEO Lin Hodges.

Associated Credit Union is headquartered in Norcross and serves over 155,000 members. Providing low-cost services to its members, ACU is ranked in the top 150 credit unions in the United States.