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Navy Federal Wins Best Credit Union Award

Dallas native serves as branch manager.

VIENNA, Va. (September 23, 2010) – For the second consecutive year, [Navy Federal Credit Union's](#) Souda Bay branch has received the prestigious Department of the Navy Credit Union of the Year award at the Defense Credit Union Council's 47th Annual Conference in Minneapolis.

Captain Thomas J. McDonough, Jr., 2009 Commanding Officer at U.S. Naval Support Activity Souda Bay recommended the branch for services above and beyond normal requirements, including financial counseling services and actions taken to combat predatory lending practices to military and civilian personnel.

Jean Jeffries, branch manager of the remote duty station on the northern coast of Crete, has worked at the branch 12 years. It is the only U.S. Department of Defense financial institution in Greece. The Dallas native has been employed with Navy Federal 15 years.

“Financial Minutes,” a one-hour, Wednesday radio program has a huge following,” said Jeffries. “Collaborating with NSA Souda Bay Media Department, we offer a range of financial assistance on a range of topics. The positive feedback has led to sound bits throughout the day.”

“Jean and her team at Souda Bay pour their hearts out into providing exceptional service to every member visiting the island,” said Thomas Feindt, vice president, Branch Operations. “This branch continues to serve as an outstanding example of innovation and financial education to military and civilian members overseas.”

About Navy Federal Credit Union

Navy Federal Credit Union is the world's largest natural person credit union with \$43 billion in assets, over 3.5 million members, 184 branch offices, and 7,200 employees worldwide. The credit union serves all Department of Defense military and civilian personnel and their families. For additional information about Navy Federal, visit www.navyfederal.org.

Editor's Note: Photo Caption 1: L-R Lorenzo Garcia, Jean Jeffries and Jackie Manos receive Department of the Navy Credit Union of the Year award.

Photo Caption 2: Capt. Thomas McDonough (center), Executive Officer, NSA Souda Bay, Cmdr. Eric Pfister (right) and Command Master Chief, Master Chief Petty Officer Christopher Engles (left), present award to Jackie Manos (left), Lorenzo Garcia, Jean Jeffries and Nina Anskis. U.S. Navy Photo by MC3 Cayman Santoro.

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