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CREDIT UNION VOCABULARY

ATM: AUTOMATED TELLER MACHINE - A MACHINE THAT ALLOWS SOMEONE TO RECEIVE MONEY OR PERFORM TRANSACTIONS TO OR FROM THEIR ACCOUNT

COIN COUNTER: A MACHINE THAT COUNTS LOOSE CHANGE

CREDIT UNION: A FINANCIAL INSTITUTION THAT MAKES SMALL LOANS TO ITS MEMBERS AT LOW-INTEREST RATES AND PROVIDES OTHER FINANCIAL SERVICES, SUCH AS SAVING AND CHECKING ACCOUNTS

INTEREST: MONEY PAID REGULARLY FOR MONEY LENT OR BORROWED

MOBILE BANKING: USING A CELL PHONE, TABLET OR MOBILE DEVICE TO COMPLETE FINANCIAL TRANSACTIONS

PIGGY BANK: A CONTAINER FOR SAVING MONEY, OFTEN SHAPED LIKE A PIG

WITHDRAWAL: THE ACT OF TAKING MONEY OUT OF YOUR ACCOUNT

CHECKING: AN ACCOUNT AT A FINANCIAL INSTITUTION THAT THE OWNER CAN WRITE CHECKS OFF OF OR USE A DEBIT CARD TO MAKE PURCHASES

CREDIT SCORE: A NUMBER THAT ASSES A PERSON'S CREDIT RISK AND DETERMINES WHETHER THEY ARE ELIGIBLE FOR CREDIT CARDS OR RECEIVING LOANS

DEPOSIT: A SUM OF MONEY, PLACED OR KEPT IN AN ACCOUNT, USUALLY TO GAIN INTEREST

LOAN: THE ACT OF LENDING MONEY THAT IS EXPECTED TO BE PAID BACK, USUALLY WITH INTEREST

ONLINE BANKING: A METHOD OF BANKING IN WHICH TRANSACTIONS ARE CONDUCTED ELECTRONICALLY OR THROUGH THE INTERNET

VAULT: A SECURE SPACE WHERE MONEY AND OTHER VALUABLES ARE STORED IN A CREDIT UNION

CHECK: A DOCUMENT THAT DIRECTS A FINANCIAL INSTITUTION TO PAY A SPECIFIC AMOUNT OF MONEY FROM A MEMBER'S ACCOUNT TO THE PERSON OR BUSINESS

CREDIT CARD: A PLASTIC CARD ISSUED BY A FINANCIAL INSTITUTION ALLOWING THE CARDHOLDER TO PURCHASE GOODS AND SERVICES ON CREDIT

DEBIT CARD: A PLASTIC CARD THAT CAN BE USED INSTEAD OF CASH WHEN PURCHASING GOODS OR SERVICES THAT IS LINKED TO AN ACCOUNT

MORTGAGE: A LOAN USED TO PURCHASE A HOUSE OR PROPERTY IN WHICH A PERSON PAYS BACK WITH INTEREST

SAVINGS: AN ACCOUNT THAT A PERSON CAN DEPOSIT MONEY TO, THAT USUALLY EARNS INTEREST