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**GREAT PLACE TO WORK® AWARDS BETHPAGE FEDERAL CREDIT UNION
PROMINENT GLOBAL BENCHMARK CERTIFICATION**

Bethpage, New York – November 1, 2023 – Bethpage Federal Credit Union, the largest credit union in the Northeast Region and the 15th largest in the nation, is the recipient of the Great Place to Work Certification™, a significant business award created by Great Place to Work®, a global authority on workplace culture.

Based exclusively on confidential employee surveys, 97% of Bethpage employees said that when “you join Bethpage, you are made to feel welcome.” 96% of the Bethpage team feel good about the way Bethpage contributes to community. 94% feel that “people care about each other” at Bethpage. And 91% said that Bethpage is a “great place to work.”

Conducted on August 14, 2023 through August 28, 2023, the Great Place to Work survey measured employees’ perceptions of the Bethpage workplace and the quality of relationships therein.

“Our corporate culture fosters a positive work environment that promotes respect, collaboration, growth and inclusivity, so this is a very rewarding achievement for Bethpage,” said Linda Armyn, President and CEO, Bethpage Federal Credit Union.

“I’d like to thank each and every staff member. We know that our employees are our greatest resource and we are as committed to them as we are to our members,” Melissa Feeney, Chief Human Resources Officer.

With 800 employees, Bethpage runs employee clubs, lunch-and-learns, wellness engagement activities, and training and development programs. It’s “Bright Ideas” portal invites employees to submit ideas for top executives to read and evaluate. Benefits include tuition reimbursement, gym reimbursement and a pet discount care program.

In 2019, Bethpage launched a mobile communications platform called Connections, that keeps employees up to date on Bethpage Culture and Engagement events and also allows staffers to post newsworthy items as individuals, departments and branches. That same year, Bethpage Federal Credit Union was also voted the Glass Door Top Place to Work for Small & Midsize companies, another significant award based entirely on employee feedback. “Keeping everyone connected to the Bethpage Brand and all that it stands for, is critical to a successful work environment,” continued Feeney.

About Bethpage

Bethpage Federal Credit Union is a premier community financial institution committed to enriching the lives of its members, employees, and the communities it serves for the past 80 years. Bethpage is the largest credit union in the Northeast Region, and the 15th largest in the nation.

As a not-for-profit credit union, Bethpage is committed to its members and the communities it serves. In addition to giving back to its members in the form of great rates and low fees, the Bethpage Cares program invests heavily in local, high-impact community programs that serve with an eye towards creating better communities through diversity, equity, inclusion and belonging.

Voted the Glass Door Top Place to Work for Small & Midsize companies, Bethpage is a federally chartered credit union, available to people nationwide who open a \$5 dollar membership account. Bethpage offers a robust digital platform that allows members to bank from anywhere. Bethpage is a part of the national CO-OP network that gives members access to their accounts at over 30,000 free ATMs and 5,000+ shared branches across the U.S. As a financial cooperative, Bethpage offers the best-in market rates, lowest fees and world-class service, plus a full menu of personal and commercial financial services. For more information on Bethpage’s robust portfolio of banking, borrowing, and investment services, visit www.lovebethpage.com or call 1-800- 628-7070.

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