

IMPORTANT UPDATE

Increase in Share Investment

Dear Valued Members

Thank you for your overwhelming support in approving the resolution at our Special General Meeting (SGM) on 11th January 2024, to increase your investment in Qualifying Shares. This decision reflects your trust in our collective vision to strengthen and grow Ariza Credit Union.

We are writing to inform you of two key updates that will positively impact both you and the credit union:

1. Recent Implementation and Upcoming Changes:

As of 1st April 2024, we successfully implemented the first phase of this initiative, where all new members are now required to invest \$500 in Qualifying Shares.

2. Increase in Qualifying Equity Shares:

Effective 16th December 2024, all existing account investments will increase from \$200 to \$500. This adjustment aims to further strengthen our financial position and provide a solid foundation for future growth, ensuring that we can continue offering innovative financial solutions and exceptional member benefits.

3. Other Equity Shares:

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In addition to Qualifying Shares, it was also approved that members will now invest a minimum of \$1,000 in other Equity Shares over 5 years. This provides an opportunity for you to deepen your investment in the Credit Union, allowing for higher dividends for you and our valued members.

To ensure a smooth transition, all members are encouraged to complete their transfers to Qualifying Shares and Other Equity Shares up to 16th December 2024. Transfers can be easily made using our Ariza Internet and Mobile Experience app (AIME). If the transfer is not completed by this date, the Credit Union will automatically adjust your Qualifying Shares, on your behalf on 16th December 2024, by transferring the necessary funds. However, if you prefer to make contributions directly before this date, you're welcome to do so. Should you need assistance or have any questions, our team is here to help. Feel free to contact us at msr@arizacu.com or visit any of our branches for personalized support.

We understand that changes like these may prompt questions, and we are committed to making the transition as smooth as possible. Your continued engagement plays a vital role in Ariza's success, and we deeply appreciate your trust and cooperation as we work together to strengthen the credit union for the benefit of all members.

Once again, thank you for helping to make Ariza a stronger, more resilient institution. Together, we are changing our lives, one member at a time.