



**'Ohana Mammography Center receives Yakima Valley Credit Union Donation**

Yakima, Washington (January 22, 2009) – At a recent employee conference, Yakima Valley Credit Union presented 'Ohana, Memorial Mammography Center with a check for \$17,842.97, money raised from their 2008 Community Project. The idea of a community project comes from one of the core philosophies credit unions follow: Concern for Community, while focusing on member needs, cooperatives work for the sustainable development of communities, including people of modest means, through policies developed and accepted by the members. Last year, YVCU chose to support 'Ohana which was decided through a staff vote.

Funds were raised through a variety of activities including employee-paid dress down days, root beer float and popcorn days, selling pink water bottles, employee raffles, candy bar sales, over-the-counter donations, golf tournament, and a barbecue, just to name a few.

Employees Jamie Cravy and Amy Cziske from the Credit Union's Community Project Committee presented the check to 'Ohana.