



## Empeople Credit Union wins prestigious President's Club Award from the Iowa Mortgage Association

*Four of the credit union's mortgage loan originators have been honored with the President's Club Award, an accolade granted to Iowa's top mortgage loan producers.*

(Moline, IL; April 29, 2025) — Tyler Brockman, Jake Dawson, Laura Laxy, and Dan Schimanski, mortgage loan originators at Empeople Credit Union, have received the Iowa Mortgage Associations' most prestigious honor, the President's Club Award. The accolade is awarded to Iowa originators who have achieved at least \$20 million in individual loan production in the past year.

"We're so proud of our mortgage origination team," said Maggie Pavano, Senior AVP of Mortgage Sales. "Together, they've helped over 750 families secure their dream homes in 2024. It's their passion and care that helps every member feel empowered to chase their dreams of homeownership."

[Empeople Credit Union](#) is a full-service financial institution with 90 years of service to Midwest communities. With nearly 80,000 members nationwide — more than 26,000 members in the Midwest alone — Empeople has established themselves as a trusted mortgage lender for households across Iowa. The credit union empowers members' dreams of homeownership with market-leading rates and personalized, one-on-one financial guidance.

Formerly known as Deere Employees Credit Union, which was established in 1935, Empeople has branches across the Midwest and Maine, and provides mortgage loans across the country.

"We're honored that Iowans are choosing Empeople to help them achieve their financial goals," said Pavano. "Purchasing a home is one of the largest financial decisions people will make, and our goal is for every member to feel confident throughout the entire homebuying process, and to offer ongoing support in actively managing their mortgage after closing."

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