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I send greetings to those celebrating International Credit Union Day.

Financial security helps Americans realize their potential and achieve their dreams. Credit unions play an important role in expanding opportunities for men and women around the world and advancing economic prosperity. These institutions offer valuable financial services that provide guidance and give members peace of mind. I commend the dedicated service of credit union employees and all those who are raising awareness about the importance of sound money management.

Laura joins me in sending our best wishes.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Laura Bush".