

Credit Union League establishes partnership overseas

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SOLOMON Islands Credit Union League (SICUL) has entered partnership with a Credit Union League in United States called Idaho Credit Union.

The partnership was sealed in a signing ceremony held at Honiara Hotel on Tuesday between SICUL chairperson Moses Tepai and Idaho Credit Union League president Allan Cameron.

Mr Tepai said this partnership stamp a new chapter in SICUL's history.

He said SICUL had inspired a lot of rural people but over the last few years had had remained stagnant.

Therefore, he said Tuesday's agreement would give new hope to the services of SICUL.

Mr Cameron described SICUL as an infant that desperately needed help which Idaho Credit Union is prepared to offer.



Solomon Islands Credit Union League chairperson Moses Tepai and Idaho Credit Union League president Allan Cameron, right, after the signing ceremony.

Already Idaho Credit Union has been meeting with a number of credit unions in Honiara. They will travel to Malaita today to meet with credit unions in the province.

Mr Cameron said these meetings were to find out the type of assistance needed

and the areas which needs to be improved.

"From our meetings and discussions, we also did assessments from which a game plan on how we could help will be implemented," he said.

SICUL's partnership with Idaho Credit Union was es-

tablished with the help of WOCU.

Mr Cameron said with Tuesday signing, his organization would now ensure all forms of communication with SICUL is intact in their journey to strengthen SICUL services.