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FIRST TECH FEDERAL CREDIT UNION DONATES \$125K TO SEATTLE CHILDREN'S, ANNOUNCES 5TH ANNUAL FUNDRAISING GOLF TOURNAMENT TO BENEFIT HOSPITAL

REDMOND, Wash. – **February 23, 2017** – <u>First Tech Federal Credit Union</u> kicked off 2017 with a \$125,000 donation to Seattle Children's Hospital Foundation, the result of the most recent Dave and Dan Classic golf tournament, presented by First Tech. Last year's tournament raised a record-breaking \$1.1 million dollars, benefitting Credit Unions for Kids (CU4K) and six Children's Miracle Network (CMN) Hospitals, including Seattle Children's.

"We're fortunate to have such an extraordinarily committed partner in First Tech," said Kira Haller, CMN Hospitals program director at Seattle Children's Hospital Foundation. "Their contribution to support uncompensated care relieves a financial burden on families during an already stressful time, and enables us to make an immeasurable difference in the lives of children in the Seattle region and beyond."

The donation will support uncompensated care for children receiving treatment at Seattle Children's Hospital, the local Children's Miracle Network hospital for the Puget Sound region. In 2015, Seattle Children's Hospital paid more than \$111 million in uncompensated care for families who could not afford the cost of care.

"We're honored to support Seattle Children's, and all of the children in our communities. Over the last five years, our dedicated First Tech team has raised more than \$5 million in support of Credit Unions for Kids," said Monique Little, chief people & administration officer at First Tech. "In 2017, we're excited to bring together our credit union community again in support of this important cause and look forward to reaching our greatest Dave and Dan fundraising goal yet."

This year's tournament will take place on July 10, 2017, and aims to raise more than \$1.1 million for six children's hospitals. More information about the tournament, including sponsorships, can be found at www.daveanddangolf.org.

About Children's Miracle Network Hospitals®

Children's Miracle Network Hospitals® raises funds and awareness for 170 member hospitals that provide 32 million treatments each year to kids across the U.S. and Canada. Donations stay local to fund critical treatments and healthcare services, pediatric medical equipment and charitable care. Since 1983, Children's Miracle Network Hospitals has raised more than \$5 billion, most of it \$1 at a time through the charity's Miracle Balloon icon. Its various fundraising partners and programs support the nonprofit's mission to save and improve the lives of as many children as possible. Find out why children's hospitals need community support, identify your member hospital and learn how you can Put Your Money Where the Miracles Are, at CMNHospitals.org and facebook.com/CMNHospitals.

About First Tech Federal Credit Union

First Tech Federal Credit Union is committed to supporting the next generation of leaders, thinkers and innovators. In 2016, First Tech provided \$2.8 million and nearly 25,000 employee volunteer hours to the community, by directing dollars and time to community partners which provide support for programs and services for children and families, ensuring that children have the tools they need to learn, be healthy and succeed. Philanthropic focus areas include support in the areas of education (STEM, literacy and financial education), research (Children's Miracle Network Hospitals, and supportive health services for children) and innovation (food, shelter and safety). Learn more about First Tech's commitment to the community at www.firsttechfed.com/community.