

Dear Prospective Bidder,

It has been brought to our attention that there are some individuals or businesses that want to support the youth participating in the Portage County Market Animal Sale but find it difficult to attend the auction at the Rosholt Fair on Labor Day weekend. In response to this concern, the Sale Committee has proposed the following opportunity for bidders to enter a sealed bid on an animal offered for sale by a particular Market Animal Project member.

We strongly encourage all bidders to be present at the sale or to have someone represent them.

If this is not possible we will permit bidders to mail a sealed bid to the Market Animal Sale Committee. This bid will be used as an **Opening Bid or Maximum Bid** for the animal described below, to meet the needs of the potential buyer.

The sale average from the last 3 years:

Beef \$4.40/lb. Hogs \$10.34/lb. Lamb \$12.80/lb.

The goal of our sale is to sell top quality meat at a premium price to support the youth of Portage County and their educational activities in livestock production and marketing.

If you are interested, please fill out the Bidders Registration Slip in the Market Animal Sale flyer and mail it along with the sealed bid form postmarked by **August 1st** to: Mary Trzebiatowski, Market Animal Sale Committee, 6666 Shady Drive, Bancroft, WI 54921.

******* DO NOT RETURN THE FORM TO THE PROJECT MEMBER *******

Please keep this portion for your records.

Name of Bidder/Business _____ Date _____

Opening Bid -Please have the Market Animal Sale Committee enter an opening bid on my behalf for _____ per pound (live weight) on the (HOG, LAMB, BEEF) (*Circle one*)

Maximum Bid -Please have the Market Animal Sale Committee enter bids **not to exceed a maximum of** _____ per pound (live weight) on the (HOG, LAMB, BEEF) (*Circle one*)

SHOWN BY: _____

(Project Member's Name)

THANK YOU FOR SUPPORTING THE YOUTH IN THE MARKET ANIMAL PROJECT!!!

Portage County Market Animal Sale Committee

Mail This Portion

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Please Circle Where You Would Like The Animal Processed If Purchased:

Niemuth's Steak & Chop Shop

Butcher Block 66

Pond-Hill Processing

Beck's Meat Processing

Bidder's Signature: _____

Bidder's Address: _____ Phone Number: _____