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Dear Iron County 4-H Supporter,

The Iron County 4-H Program is requesting a donation for our annual silent auction at the Iron County Fair. We are requesting a donation in the form of a product or gift certificate from your store with a value of around \$25.00 or more. Proceeds of the silent auction benefit the youth who participate in the Iron County 4-H program in the form of scholarships, registration in state and national events, equipment (such as XC skis, Canoes, and bikes), and programming such as camps, day camps, project workshops, etc.

I thank you in advance for your donation and will place a card with the item during the silent auction in recognition of your contribution to our programming efforts. 4-H is a program that helps young people to develop leadership skills, teamwork, communication skills, problem solving, critical thinking skills as well as other skills needed to become successful contributing adults in our community.

Over the past few years our 4-H program has grown in participants as well as activities we offer our youth. Enrollment in 2012 was around 50 youth and adults. In 2026, we currently have 160+ enrolled youth and 35 adult leaders. This growth is exciting and is only possible because of the support we receive from our community members, charitable organizations, and business leaders. If you have donated in the past, thanks for your continued support. If this will be your first contribution, thank you and welcome to the Iron County 4-H family.

The tax-exempt number for the Iron County 4-H parents and Leaders Association is: 36-4620278

Sincerely,

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We would like to recognize and thank the businesses, organizations and individuals who donated to the 2025 Iron County 4-H Silent Auction:

906 Beauty, Abelman Clothing, Adventurers of the North 4-H Club, Amber Guglielmotto, Angelina Wiita, Anglers All, Around the Corner Pub, B&B Adventures, Bella Graiser, Ben Franklin, Cary Mine Market, Cathy Techtmann, CETUSA (Deb Swartz), Cold Iron Brewery, Curt's Creations, Dan Rowe, Dark Side Pyrography, Duck's Unlimited-Jesse Vokolek, Eagle Bluff Golf Course, Gene Clemons, Gogebic Community College, Green Team 4-H Club, Gus Macker Basketball, Hitt's Fine Furniture, Impulsive Necessities at Whimsies, Iron County 4-H, Janette Christie, Jamie Ofstad Custom Crafts, Jesika Cane Art & Pottery Studio, J&J Excavation and Land Clearing Services, Johnny's Bar & Grill Mercer, Jordan Essentials (Deb Swartz), Late Run Coffee, Lulich Implement, Luoma's Saxon Pub, Mattson's TV and Appliance, Mike Magdziak, Nails by Amanda, Nasi Constructions, NICER, North Star Beverage, Northwood Accents, Odonata Art Gallery, O'Reilly Auto, Ofstad Sales & Service, Park Point Marina Inn, Penokee Range Livestock Club, Pine Lake Lodge, Ragged Ass Syrup, Don & Kim Rice, Sharon's, Leah Simonich, Snow's Family Market, Stoffel's Country Store, Sunshine's Agriculture Farm Experience, Swartz Seamless Gutters, Tahoe Lynx Golf Course, Taste of Wisconsin, The Key to Escape, Three Eagles-Ashland, True North Wellness, Turtle River Trading Company, Wampum Shop, Yukon 51