

10<sup>th</sup> District Junior Livestock Auction Committee, Inc. 1712 Fairlane Road, Yreka, CA 96097 PH (530) 340-3054 FAX (530) 842-4724

Dear Donor,

Thank you for your continued support of the 10th District Junior Livestock Auction held at the Siskiyou Golden Fair each year. We also appreciate your generous donations of your purchases to local charities and food distribution programs in Siskiyou County.

To that end, we are striving to streamline the donation process this year to maximize the benefit of your food donation. We ask that when you purchase an animal at the auction for a donation, please resell the animal at the auction and donate those proceeds to the nonprofit of your choice. The resale process is very simple. *You just mark resale on your sale statement and indicate which of the auction-committee approved nonprofit organizations you would like to donate to. The difference in market price and the sale price will be donated via auction check directly to the nonprofit.* 

The reason for this program change is so that the nonprofit organizations can use the funds to purchase food that is better suited to the food bank and soup kitchen programs. No one likes to grind a prime animal into 700 pounds of hamburger but that hamburger feeds more families than steaks and roasts. The auction committee will make sure that you are sent a letter of donation from the nonprofit for tax deduction purposes.

Junior Livestock Auction Committee Approved Nonprofit Organizations:

- Rotary First Harvest
- Siskiyou Community Food Bank
- > Madrone Hospice, Yreka
- Montague United Methodist Church Community Food Bank
- Siskiyou County Domestic Violence
- CASA of Siskiyou County

We again thank you for your participation in the Junior Livestock Auction and look forward to working with you again this year.

Sincerely,

10th District Junior Livestock Auction Committee