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4Front Credit Union Supports Local Youth and Helps Feed Communities Through County Fair Livestock Auctions

Traverse City, Mich. – September 29, 2026 – 4Front Credit Union is continuing a longtime tradition of investing in local youth while giving back to the communities it serves. This summer, the credit union participated in livestock auctions at three county fairs, purchasing pigs raised by hardworking young people before donating the meat to organizations helping fight food insecurity across Northern Michigan and the Upper Peninsula.

Throughout the fair season, 4Front team members attended livestock auctions, purchasing a total of seven pigs at the Northwestern Michigan Fair, Emmet-Charlevoix County Fair, and Chippewa County Fair. After the auctions, the meat was donated to organizations serving families, veterans, and individuals experiencing food insecurity throughout the communities 4Front serves.

Donations were made to Project Feed the Kids, Veterans Serving Veterans, Manna Food Project, and the Chippewa-Luce-Mackinac Community Action Agency.

In total, 4Front invested nearly \$18,000 through this year's livestock auctions, creating a ripple effect that supports both the next generation of agricultural leaders and local nonprofit organizations.

"One of the best parts of fair season is seeing the dedication these young exhibitors bring to their projects," said Geoff Streit, Vice President of Commercial Lending at 4Front Credit Union. "We love supporting the next generation of entrepreneurs, and it's even more rewarding knowing the meat will help feed families and veterans in our communities."

Supporting local communities has always been at the heart of 4Front Credit Union's mission. By participating in youth livestock auctions, the credit union is able to celebrate the dedication of local youth while helping ensure quality food reaches those who need it most.

About 4Front Credit Union

4Front Credit Union has been serving Michigan communities for more than 70 years and today supports over 105,000 members with more than \$1 billion in assets across 20 locations. As a not-for-profit cooperative, 4Front is dedicated to making banking smart, simple and accessible for everyone. Membership is open to anyone who lives, works, worships, or attends school in Michigan. Learn more at 4frontcu.com.

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