



# Montana Premium Processing Co-op

## A USDA meat processing solution for Montana livestock producers

» **Common Stock: \$5000**

**1 Share ONLY**

» **Preferred Stock: \$1000/share**

**Unlimited Investment**

### **First 50 Founding Members**

» **\$5000 paid \$1000/yr over 5 years**

» **Cash Discount - \$3000 (Save \$2000)**

Producer Drop-Off



Harvest / Quarter



Producer  
Receives USDA  
Certified  
Packaged Meat

Cut & Wrap



Cool / Age



The Montana Premium Processing Cooperative will own a total livestock processing plant designed for hoof-to-plate concepts - USDA certified.

Montana producers can control their own destiny by retaining total value of the livestock they produce - no more market manipulating middle-man.

Total processing capacity will be 4000 animals annually. Operations will initially focus on beef but can also process hogs, sheep, and bison.

- » A service fee based facility designed to allow in-state processing of Montana rancher's livestock
- » USDA certification allows sales to neighbors, across state lines, and globally so our ranchers can maximize the value of their livestock
- » Collegiate program with hands-on training for students to increase the state's processing workforce
- » Optional "Certified Organic Slaughter" by request
- » CONSUMER VALUE: Reliable, affordable, safe, local



### **Tentative Service Fees (Beef)**

- Kill Fee: \$100
- Cut and Wrap: \$.85/lb

\* Fees set by membership through cooperative ownership. Fees will be competitive with similar USDA certified market rates.

### **Community and State-wide Benefits**

This facility will be a job creator. By year 3, the facility will provide SEVEN full time competitively paid full time positions providing over \$680,000 in local salaries.

MSU Northern collaboration for new Associate and Bachelor level degree programs in Meat Sciences. This facility plans to operate as a training site to help rebuild Montana's skilled labor in the meat processing services.

