

## MOOSEHORN COOP

THE MOOSEHORN COOP STARTED AS A BUYING CLUB IN 1950 BY FRED PAUL AND FRED ROEHL. THE FIRST BOARD WAS FORMED IN 1951. SOME OF ITS EARLIEST MEMBERS WERE DICK KRENTZ, KEN MURRAY SR., HERBERT METNER AND RICHARD TOBER. A BUILDING PURCHASED FROM LEO KOCH SERVED AS A STORE FOR FIVE YEARS. THE SECOND STORE WAS PURCHASED FROM SAM ZECHOVAL IN 1957 AND WAS ADDED ON TO IN 1980. IN 1999 THE OLD ZACHOVAL STORE WAS TAKEN DOWN AND REPLACED WITH A NEW UNIT. PRESENTLY THE STORE OFFERS GROCERIES, DRYGOODS, HARDWARE, LIQUOR, FUEL AND POSTAL SERVICES. THE COOP HAS PROMOTED COMMUNITY UNITY BY PROVIDING A FAMILY FUN DAY WHERE ENTERTAINMENT IS PROVIDED ALONG WITH WONDERFUL SALES. A LOT OF FUN IS GENERATED WITH THIS EVENT ALONG WITH A LOT OF GOOD COUNTRY FOOD.

THE COOP NOT ONLY SERVES THE COMMUNITY AS A CENTRAL SOURCE FOR SUPPLIES, BUT STILL IS A CENTER WHERE YOU WILL MEET YOUR NEIGHBOR FOR A CHAT AS MUCH AS THE OLD GENERAL STORE OF YESTERYEAR DID.