

Privacy Policy

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The **Child Abuse Prevention Endowment Fund for Calhoun County** ("we," "us," or "our") is committed to protecting the privacy of our donors, supporters, and website visitors. This Privacy Policy explains how we collect, use, and protect your personal information when you support our mission through our website, campaigns, and our fundraising platform partner, [GoFundMe Pro](#).

1. Information We Collect

We collect personal information that you provide voluntarily when you make a one-time or recurring donation, sign up for updates, or contact us. This includes:

- **Donor Profile Information:** Full name, billing address, and email address.
- **Donation and Frequency Data:** Transaction amount, date, specified campaign, and preferences regarding recurring monthly donations.
- **Communication Preferences:** Your choice to receive organizational updates, impact reports, or tax receipts.

Please Note:

- **Financial Security:** We do not collect, view, or store credit card numbers or financial account details. All payment processing is handled securely by [GoFundMe Pro](#).
- **No Mobile/SMS Collection:** We strictly do not collect SMS or phone numbers from our donors.

2. How We Use Your Information

We use your information solely to advance our mission and manage donor relationships. Specific uses include:

- **Processing and validating** your monthly recurring donations.
- **Issuing official tax receipts** and acknowledging your contributions.
- **Sending periodic updates** about how your donations impact Calhoun County.
- **Responding to your direct inquiries** or support requests.

3. Data Sharing and Third Parties

We value your trust. We handle your data according to strict limitations:

- **No Sale or Rent:** We will never sell, rent, trade, or share your personal information with outside businesses or independent nonprofits.

- **Platform Processing:** Your data is shared with [GoFundMe Pro](#) to securely facilitate your transactions and recurring gift schedules.
- **Anonymous Donations:** If you choose the "Anonymous" option on GoFundMe Pro, your name will be hidden from the public campaign feed, but our internal administrative team will still receive your contact details for official tax-receipting purposes.

4. Michigan State-Level Disclosures

As a nonprofit organization operating and soliciting contributions in the State of Michigan, we comply with the [Michigan Charitable Organizations and Solicitations Act \(Act 169 of 1975\)](#). Please note the following disclosures required under state rules:

- **Registration:** The Child Abuse Prevention Endowment Fund for Calhoun County maintains proper charitable solicitation registration records with the Michigan Department of Attorney General. Registration contracts and documentation can be verified via the state's official registry. *(At this time, we are Incorporated in the State of Michigan but not required to file for a Solicitation License because our gross contributions so far are below \$25,000 in any 12-month period. Once we raise \$25,000 in a 12-month period we will register.)*
- **Purpose:** 100% of all public contributions directly support our core public benefit programs, community awareness campaigns, and financial endowments specifically targeting child abuse prevention initiatives within Calhoun County, Michigan.
- **Financial Reports:** A copy of our current financial statement, annual report, or tax filings may be obtained directly by contacting us or by writing to the Michigan Department of Attorney General, Charitable Trust Section.

5. Your Rights and Choices

You retain full control over your personal data. You may contact us at any time to:

- **Modify Recurring Gifts:** Pause, cancel, or change the amount of your monthly recurring donation.
- **Opt-Out:** Unsubscribe from our newsletter or promotional updates via the link provided in our emails.
- **Review or Delete:** Request a copy of the personal data we have on file, or request that we update or delete your donor profile record.

6. Contact Us

If you have any questions about this Privacy Policy, wish to update your recurring gift profile, or want to make a data request, please reach out to us directly at:

Email: info@beforeanychildisharmed.org

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