

April 8, 2022

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To All Interested Parties:

**Notice of Filed Request for Board Review and Rebuttal Opportunity
Decision Summary LA21053
John Schooten and Sons Custom Feedyards Ltd.**

The Natural Resources Conservation Board (the Board) has received one request for review (RFR) on NRCB Decision Summary LA21053, John Schooten and Sons Custom Feedyards Ltd. The decision summary, issued on March 17, 2022, granted an approval application for an expansion at an existing beef confined feeding operation (CFO) by constructing additional pens, a catch basin, and to increase beef finisher numbers to 75,000. The CFO is located at S½ 8-21-24 W4M and N½ 5-21-24 W4M in Vulcan County.

The RFR from the operator was filed on April 7, 2022 pursuant to section 20(5) of the *Agricultural Operation Practices Act* (AOPA), and met the April 7, 2022 RFR filing deadline set out in the approval officer's cover letter to the decision summary. A copy of the RFR received is attached [here](#).

Any party who believes they would be adversely affected by the position presented in the RFR may submit a written rebuttal for the Board's consideration [section 13(4) of the AOPA Administrative Procedures Regulation]. Rebuttals must be provided by email to laura.friend@nrcb.ca no later than **4:30 p.m. on April 14, 2022**. Rebuttals filed after the deadline will not be considered.

The NRCB has a [fact sheet](#) describing the process for requests for Board review. All public documents related to this review will be posted on the NRCB website [project page](#). You can sign up on the website to be notified when new documents are posted. If you have any questions, please contact me at 403-297-8269 or by email at laura.friend@nrcb.ca.

Sincerely,



Laura Friend
Manager, Board Reviews

cc: John Schooten and Sons Custom Feedyard Ltd.
Cody Metheral, Linkage Ag Solutions (operator's representative)
Vulcan County (Anne Erickson)
Wheatland County (Suzanne Hays)

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Siksika Nation IR 146 (directly affected party)
Eric and Darlene Little (directly affected party)
Wayne Robinson (directly affected party)
Murray Norton (directly affected party)
Brent Gateman (directly affected party)
Nate Gardner and family (directly affected party)
Rhys and Roxanne Leggott (directly affected party)
Ruth Ann Sherstabetoff (directly affected party)
Cindy Hoerger (directly affected party)
Hutterian Brethren of Riverbend (directly affected party)
Sue Archibald (directly affected party)
Bernie McWilliam (directly affected party)
David and Lorelie Bexte (not directly affected party)
Ken Burke (MDS waiver)
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