

Total permitted animal capacity from all permits for this site:

2,500 beef finishers 2,500 beef feeders

In consideration of Decision Summary RA23022, Approval RA23022 is issued to:

Name:	Mitchel and Lindy Kroetsch (the "co-permit holders")
Address:	Box 132 Bawlf, AB T0B 0J0
Contact person:	Mitchel Kroetsch

Permitted construction (based on the submitted site plan):

- Feedlot pens and alleys 208 m x 502 m (total dimensions)
- Catch basin 1 53 m x 44 m x 3.5 m
- Catch basin 2 46 m x 36 m x 3.5 m

The co-permit holders shall comply with the requirements of the *Agricultural Operation Practices Act* (AOPA) and the regulations passed pursuant to that Act.

The co-permit holders shall adhere to the descriptions, the site plan, engineering reports and other attached documents included with filed Application RA23022.

The co-permit holders shall contact the NRCB at least 10 working days in advance of the desired inspection date to schedule the inspection in conditions 3, 7, and 11.

The co-permit holders are responsible for all costs associated with testing, recording, and reporting requirements (this includes post construction reports).

## **Construction conditions**

## Feedlot pens

- 1. The co-permit holders shall immediately cease construction of the feedlot pens, and contact the NRCB if the water table is observed to be one metre or less from the bottom of the naturally occurring protective layer of the feedlot pens.
- 2. The co-permit holders shall complete construction of the manure collection and storage portions of the feedlot pens prior to November 30, 2027. Upon request, this deadline may be extended by the NRCB in writing.
- 3. The co-permit holders shall not allow livestock or manure in the feedlot pens, until the facility has been inspected by NRCB personnel and confirmed by them, in writing to have been constructed in accordance with the terms and conditions of this permit.



## Catch basin 1

- 4. The co-permit holders shall provide the NRCB with a written construction completion report for the synthetic lined catch basin 1. The report shall be signed by a qualified third party and shall verify:
  - The liner type
  - The liner thickness
  - That the synthetic liner was installed in accordance with the liner supplier's requirements and Envirowest's recommendations
  - Provide seam test results
  - Provide repair details during construction, if any
  - That the facility is located according to the approved site plan
  - The facility size, including depths below and above grade
  - The facility side slopes and,
  - The proper subgrade preparation.
- 5. The co-permit holders shall immediately cease construction of catch basin 1, and contact the NRCB if the water table is observed to be one metre or less from the bottom of the liner of the catch basin.
- 6. The co-permit holders shall complete construction of the manure collection and storage portions of catch basin 1 prior to November 30, 2027. Upon request, this deadline may be extended by the NRCB in writing.
- 7. The co-permit holders shall not allow manure impacted run off in the synthetic lined catch basin 1 until the facility has been inspected by NRCB personnel and confirmed by them, in writing, to have been constructed in accordance with the terms and conditions of this permit.

## Catch basin 2

- 8. The co-permit holders shall provide the NRCB with a written construction completion report for the synthetic lined catch basin 2. The report shall be signed by a qualified third party and shall verify:
  - The liner type
  - The liner thickness
  - That the synthetic liner was installed in accordance with the liner supplier's requirements and Envirowest's recommendations
  - Provide seam test results
  - Provide repair details during construction, if any
  - That the facility is located according to the approved site plan
  - The facility size, including depths below and above grade
  - The facility side slopes and,
  - The proper subgrade preparation.



- 9. The co-permit holders shall immediately cease construction of catch basin 2 and contact the NRCB if the water table is observed to be one metre or less from the bottom of the liner of the catch basin.
- 10. The co-permit holders shall complete construction of the manure collection and storage portions of catch basin 2 prior to November 30, 2027. Upon request, this deadline may be extended by the NRCB in writing.
- 11. The co-permit holders shall not allow manure impacted run off in the synthetic lined catch basin 2 until the facility has been inspected by NRCB personnel and confirmed by them, in writing, to have been constructed in accordance with the terms and conditions of this permit.

This approval becomes effective immediately. The approval conditions will remain in effect unless amended in writing by the NRCB.

August 20, 2024

(Original signed) Lynn Stone Approval Officer