



In consideration of Decision Summary RA24010, Authorization RA24010 is issued to:

Name: Bertens Holsteins Ltd. (the “permit holder”)
Address: RR 4 Site 9 Box 19 Olds, AB T4H 1T8
Contact person: Ad Bertens

Permitted construction (based on the submitted site plan):

- Extension of the existing calf barn – 43 m x 22.5 m (for total dimensions of 57 m x 43 m)

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

The permit holder shall adhere to the descriptions, the site plan, building plans, operating plan and other attached documents included with filed Application RA24010.

The permit holder shall contact the NRCB at least 10 working days in advance of the desired inspection date to schedule the inspection in condition 2.

The permit holder is responsible for all costs associated with monitoring, sampling, testing, recording, and reporting requirements (this includes post construction reports).

Construction conditions

1. The concrete used to construct the liner of the manure collection and storage of the expansion to the calf barn must meet the specifications for category D (solid manure – dry), in Technical Guideline Agdex 096-93 “Non-Engineered Concrete Liners for Manure Collection and Storage Areas.” The permit holder shall provide documentation from a qualified third party to confirm the specifications of the concrete used for the manure collection and storage areas meets the required specification.
2. The permit holder shall not allow livestock or place manure in the expansion to the calf barn, 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.
3. The permit holder shall complete construction of the manure collection and storage portions of the expansion to the calf barn prior to November 30, 2025. Upon request, this deadline may be extended by the NRCB in writing.



This authorization becomes effective immediately and needs to be read in conjunction with previously issued Mountain View County development permit 024-97, NRCB issued Approval RA07017 and Authorization RA14027A. The authorization conditions will remain in effect unless amended in writing by the NRCB.

April 22, 2024

(Original signed)
Francisco Echegaray, P.Ag.
Approval Officer