



Total permitted animal capacity from all permits for this site:

40,000 chicken layers
40,000 chicken pullets

In consideration of Decision Summary LA24012, Approval LA24012 is issued to:

Name: Borderland Hutterian Brethren (the “permit holder”)
Address: Box 69, Hilda AB T0J 1R0
Contact person: Ben P. Entz

Permitted construction (based on the submitted site plan):

- Chicken layer barn (114.6 m x 36.6 m) with attached manure storage room (18.3 m x 9.1 m)
- Chicken pullet barn (71.6 m x 24.4 m) with attached manure storage room (18.3 m x 9.1 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, and other attached documents included with filed Application LA24012.

The permit holder shall contact the NRCB at least 10 working days in advance of the desired inspection date to schedule the inspection in conditions #4 and 8.

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

Construction conditions

Chicken layer barn

Concrete

1. The concrete used to construct the manure storage and collection system in the barn must meet the specification for category D (solid manure – dry) in Technical Guideline Agdex 096-93 “Non-Engineered Concrete Liners for Manure Collection and Storage Areas.”
2. The permit holder shall provide proof to the NRCB to confirm the specifications of the concrete used in the construction. This document must be provided to the NRCB prior to the inspection referenced in condition #3 below or by a later date stated by the NRCB.

Construction completion deadline

3. The permit holder shall complete construction of the manure collection and storage portions of the new chicken layer barn prior to December 31, 2026. Upon request, this deadline may be extended by the NRCB in writing.



Post construction inspection

4. The permit holder shall not place livestock or manure in the new chicken layer barn until the NRCB has inspected the facility and stated in writing that the facility has been constructed in accordance with this approval.

Chicken pullet barn

Concrete

5. The concrete used to construct the manure storage and collection system in the barn must meet the specification for category D (solid manure – dry) in Technical Guideline Agdex 096-93 “Non-Engineered Concrete Liners for Manure Collection and Storage Areas.”
6. The permit holder shall provide proof to the NRCB to confirm the specifications of the concrete used in the construction. This document must be provided to the NRCB prior to the inspection referenced in condition #3 below or by a later date stated by the NRCB.

Construction completion deadline

7. The permit holder shall complete construction of the manure collection and storage portions of the new chicken pullet barn prior to December 31, 2026. Upon request, this deadline may be extended by the NRCB in writing.

Post construction inspection

8. The permit holder shall not place livestock or manure in the new chicken pullet barn until the NRCB has inspected the facility and stated in writing that the facility has been constructed in accordance with this approval.

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

June 28, 2024

(Original signed)
Carina Weisbach
Approval Officer