Notice of Application Confined Feeding Operation

Mitchel Kroetsch has filed Application for Amendment RA23022A with the Natural Resources Conservation Board (NRCB) to amend previously issued Approval RA23022 for a confined feeding operation (CFO) on the NW 15-42-16 W4M in Flagstaff County, Alberta. The application is to revise the dimensions of the previously permitted catch basins as follows: Catch Basin 1 from 53 m x 44 m x 3.5 m deep to 53 m x 51 m x 2.7 m deep; Catch Basin 2 from 46 m x 36 m x 3.5 m deep to 46 m x 40.5 m x 2.7 m deep. No other changes are proposed to the site nor to the permitted livestock numbers. As this is an amendment of a previously issued approval, consideration of responses will be limited to those relating to the proposed change in catch basin dimensions only.

Filing a Response

Any person who is directly affected by the application may submit a written response to the NRCB. The response must be received by the NRCB on or before **4:30 pm** on **December 11, 2024**. Submissions should be made to the NRCB address provided below. All attachments sent electronically must be in a pdf format. A copy of the responses will be sent to the applicant for comment. Responses regarding the application may be posted on the NRCB's public website, as they are public records and are non-confidential.

Your written response must include your name, the legal land description of your residence or landholdings, mailing address, phone number, and email. You must also explain how you are directly affected. For further information please refer to the fact sheet "The Permitting Process for Confined Feeding Operations in Alberta" at www.nrcb.ca.

Failure to submit a written response affects your right to apply for an NRCB Board review.

Due to the potential Canada Post strike, we strongly encourage that responses are submitted electronically, via personal delivery, or courier service to ensure that your response is received prior to the closing date. For personal delivery, please contact our office in advance.

Viewing the Application

A complete copy of the application and supporting documents submitted by the applicant under the *Agricultural Operation Practices Act* may be viewed on the NRCB website at www.nrcb.ca (under Confined Feeding Operations / Notice of Approval and Registration Applications). The application will also be available for in-person viewing at the Red Deer office by appointment. If you require further information, please contact the approval officer listed below.

Lynn Stone, Approval Officer #303, 4920 – 51 Street Red Deer, AB T4N 6K8 lynn.stone@nrcb.ca 403-340-5358 The closing date for submissions: 4:30 pm on December 11, 2024

Dated at Red Deer, AB, on November 13, 2024

