

July 29, 2020

Hutterian Brethren Church of Ribstone
Box 270
Edgerton AB T0B 1K0

Dear Jerry Gross:

**Re: Application RA20012 – Notice of Decision
Hutterian Brethren Church of Ribstone
W ½ 9-42-3 W4M & E ½ 8-42-3 W4M**

Please be advised that Application RA20012 for the expansion at an existing multi species confined feeding operation to 250 milking cows, including dry cows and replacements, 2,000 beef feeders (feeder cattle), 24,000 broiler chickens, 300 layer chickens, 1,000 ducks, 200 geese, and 300 broiler turkeys by building a new dairy barn, EMS, berms for dairy pens and permitting already constructed dairy barn and pens has been approved.

Enclosed you will find a copy of the decision with respect to the application. In accordance with the *Agricultural Operation Practices Act* (AOPA), copies of the decision are being provided to all directly affected parties and to all parties determined not directly affected that provided written input to the Natural Resources Conservation Board. Also enclosed is the detailed technical review of the application.

Under AOPA, you have the right to request that the Natural Resources Conservation Board (the Board) review the determination of your affected party status and/or this decision. To request a Board review, you must file a written application. Requests for a Board review must contain:

- a) a clear and concise statement of the facts relevant to the application
- b) the grounds on which the application is made
- c) a brief explanation as to the nature of the prejudice or damage that has resulted or will result from the order, decision or direction
- d) a brief description of the remedy sought
- e) the applicant's name, current address, telephone number, fax number and, if available, e-mail address
- f) if the applicant has a representative, the representative's name, current address, telephone number, fax number and, if available, e-mail address

Standard forms for requesting a Board review are available on the NRCB [website](http://www.nrcb.ca) or by contacting Laura Friend, Manager of Board Reviews at 403-297-8269 or by email at laura.friend@nrcb.ca. Laura Friend is also the contact for information regarding the Board's review process. A fact sheet on the Board's review process is also available on the NRCB [website](http://www.nrcb.ca).

The request for Board review (RFR) must be received no later than 4:30 pm on the filing deadline of August 20, 2020.

For more information regarding the Board's review process, you are encouraged to contact Laura Friend at 403-297-8269 or by email to laura.friend@nrcb.ca.

Yours truly,

(Original Signed)
Jeff Froese
Approval Officer

Encl. (3)

Cc: Kim Christensen, MD of Wainwright (sent by email only to development@mdwainwright.ca)