



Total permitted animal capacity from all permits for this site:

3,600 sheep ewes with lambs
3,600 feeder lambs

In consideration of Decision Summary LA21025, Approval LA21025 is issued to:

Name: Driland Farms and Donald, Christine, Benjamin, and Roosmaryn Van
Driesten (the “co-permit holders”)
Address: Box 1797, Fort Macleod AB T0L 0Z0
Contact person: Donald and Benjamin Van Driesten

Permitted construction (based on the submitted site plan):

- 12 feedlot pens (corral units) – 82 m x 26 m each
- Lambing barn – 67 m x 31 m
- Catch basin – 82 m x 30 m x 2.5 m deep

This approval also permits the use of already constructed pens (81 m x 70 m and 47 m x 75 m) as part of the confined feeding operation.

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 contained in the filed application, and municipal permits 50-94 and 104-98 together with the site plan, engineering reports and other attached documents, unless otherwise noted in the following conditions.

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 condition # 3, 6 and 8.

Construction conditions

Lambing barn

Concrete

1. The co-permit holders shall provide evidence or written confirmation from a qualified third party that the concrete used to construct the lambing barn meets the specification for category D (solid manure – dry) in Technical Guideline Agdex 096-93 “Non-Engineered Concrete Liners for Manure Collection and Storage Areas.”

Construction completion deadline

2. The co-permit holders shall complete construction of the manure collection and storage portions of the new lambing barn prior to December 31, 2024. Upon request, this deadline may be extended by the NRCB in writing.



Post construction inspection

3. The co-permit holders shall not place livestock or manure in the new lambing barn until the NRCB has inspected the facilities and stated in writing that the facilities have been constructed in accordance with this approval.

Catch basin

Construction

4. The co-permit holders must provide evidence or written confirmation from a qualified third party that the catch basin was constructed at the approved location and with the dimensions outlined in this permit.

Construction completion deadline

5. The co-permit holders shall complete construction of the manure collection and storage portions of the new catch basin prior to December 31, 2024. Upon request, this deadline may be extended by the NRCB in writing.

Post construction inspection

6. The co-permit holders shall not allow manure contaminated runoff to enter the new catch basin until the NRCB has inspected the facility and stated in writing that the lambing barn has been constructed in accordance with this approval.

Sheep feedlot pens (corrals)

Construction completion deadline

7. The co-permit holders shall complete construction of the manure collection and storage portions of the feedlot pens (corrals) prior to December 31, 2024. Upon request, this deadline may be extended by the NRCB in writing.

Post construction inspection

8. The co-permit holders shall not place livestock or manure in the feedlot pens (corrals) until the NRCB has inspected the facilities and stated in writing that the facilities have been constructed in accordance with this approval.



Operating conditions

Carried over from Municipal Permit 104-98

9. Waste disposal shall be on frost-free, cultivated ground only.
10. There shall be no waste disposal on pasture, grass or hay lands, nor on land within 1,500 feet of an occupied residence not owned by a consenting landowner.
11. An effective fly control program shall be implemented.

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

Municipal development permits # 50-94 and 104-98 are hereby superseded and are no longer in effect, unless Approval LA21025 is held invalid, in which case the previous permits will remain in effect.

July 22, 2021

(original signed)
Carina Weisbach
Approval Officer



Approval LA21025 – Appendix

Existing permitted facilities

MDPs 104-98 and 50-94	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Lambing barn (formerly hog feeder barn) – 37 m x 22 m x 3 m • Lamb feeding barn (formerly hog farrowing barn) – 34 m x 12 m x 3 m • Nursing barn (hog dry sow barn) – 22 m x 14 m x 3 m • Feedlot pen west (35 m x 61 m) • Earthen liquid manure storage (25 m x 29 m – depth unknown)
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Construction conditions (brought forward from MD Permit 104-98)

- A concrete under-barn manure storage area of sufficient size to bring the total manure storage to a one-year capacity for the entire hog operation and the concrete barn flooring shall be designed by an engineer qualified to practice in the Province of Alberta, and the plans shall be approved by Alberta Agriculture, Food and Rural Development, and a copy of the approval in writing shall be filed with the Municipal District Office prior to commencement of construction
- Construction of the concrete under-barn manure storage area and barn flooring shall be supervised by the design engineer and a Certificate of Completion from the engineer, bearing his signature and seal, certifying that construction conforms to the design shall be filed with the Municipal District Office prior to utilization

Construction conditions (brought forward from MD Permit 50-94)

- Earthen storage lagoons for manure be constructed to provide a minimum 6 months storage capacity, and be constructed to be considered manure tight. The existing lagoon appears to have sufficient storage capacity to accommodate the expansion