

December 20, 2022

Hutterian Brethren Church of Cleardale
c/o: Albert Stahl
Box 159
Cleardale AB T0H 3Y0

Dear Albert:

**Re: Application FA21002X – Notice of Decision
Hutterian Brethren Church of Cleardale
SW 32-84-9 W6M**

On October 12, 2022, I (Approval Officer Nathan Shirley) issued a decision denying application FA21002 due to the applications inconsistency with a land use provision in Clear Hills County's municipal development plan (MDP).

On December 19, 2022, the NRCB Board issued Board Decision 2022-16/FA21002 directing me to issue the approval for the proposed expansion of the beef confined feeding operation (CFO), notwithstanding the applications inconsistency with the MDP. This approval allows the construction of a catch basin and permits the use of existing facilities.

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.

If you have any questions or concerns, please contact me at 780-939-1493 or by email at nathan.shirley@nrcb.ca.

Yours truly,

(Original Signed)

Nathan Shirley
Approval Officer

Cc: Audrey Bjorklund, Clear Hills County (*sent by email*)

Encl. Permit, Decision Summary