



Total permitted animal capacity from all permits for this site:

2,500 beef feeders
2,500 beef finishers

In consideration of Decision Summary LA23002, Approval LA23002 is issued to:

Name: Poelman Farms Ltd. (the "permit holder")
Address: Box 125, Granum AB T0L 1A0
Contact person: Clinton Poelman

Permitted construction (based on the submitted site plan) and consolidated with outstanding construction permitted in Approval LA21050:

- Feedlot pens – final dimensions: 253.2 m x 272.7 m (830 ft. x 900 ft.)
- Catch basin expansion – final dimensions: 62 m x 61 m x 2.7 m deep

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 contained in the filed application LA23002 together with the site plan, building plans, operating plan, engineering reports and other attached documents and Approval LA21050, unless otherwise noted in the following conditions.

The permit holder shall contact the NRCB at least 10 working days in advance of the desired inspection date to schedule the inspection in condition #2.

Construction conditions

Construction completion deadline

1. The permit holder shall complete construction of the manure collection and storage portions of the new feedlot pens and the catch basin expansion prior to November 30, 2025. Upon request, this deadline may be extended, in writing, by the NRCB.

Construction completion report

2. The permit holder shall provide the NRCB with a written construction completion report, prepared by a qualified third party, for the new feedlot pens. The report shall confirm the catch basin liner material and construction procedures, location, dimensions, density test results of the liner and verification of the catch basin liner thickness.

Post construction inspections

3. The permit holder shall not allow livestock or place manure in the new feedlot pens or manure contaminated runoff to enter the catch basin expansion until the facilities have been inspected by NRCB personnel and confirmation provided in writing, to have been constructed in accordance with the terms and conditions of this permit. The permit holder shall contact the NRCB at least 10 working days in advance of the desired inspection date to schedule the inspection.



Operating conditions

Operating Conditions (brought forward from Approval LA15002)

Manure Handling and Application

4. There shall be no manure application on pasture, grass, or hay lands, nor on land within 1,500 feet (500 metres) of an occupied residence not owned by a consenting landowner.
5. Solid manure application shall be on frost-free, cultivated land only and shall be incorporated within 48 hours of land spreading.
6. There shall be no solid manure application on snow-covered ground.

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

Approval LA21050 is hereby superseded, and its content consolidated into this Approval LA23002, unless Approval LA23002 is held invalid following a review and decision by the NRCB's board members or by a court, in which case Approval LA21050 will remain in effect.

April 25, 2023

(Original signed)

Carina Weisbach
Approval Officer



Approval LA21002 – Appendix

Existing permitted facilities

Facility	Dimensions (m)	From
Feedlot pens	213.4 m x 213.4 m	Approval LA21050
Feedlot pens Catch basin	L shaped to total of 185 m x 176 m 61 m x 38 m x 1.7 m	Approval LA15002
Swine barn Four bioshelters	13 m x 78 m Each 9 m x 26 m	All facilities decommissioned Swine barn used as calving facility for the cow/calf herd. 2 bio shelters have been removed, 2 are used as storage

Construction conditions (brought forward from Approval LA15002)

1. Construction completion deadlines

The permit holder shall complete construction of the manure collection and storage portions of the new feedlot pens prior to December 1, 2017. Upon request, this deadline may be extended, in writing, by the NRCB.

2. Construction completion reports

a. The permit holder shall provide the NRCB with a written construction completion report, done by a qualified third party, for the new feedlot pens. The report shall:

- Certify that the feedlot pens were constructed at the location specified in the site plan provided with the application;
- Provide the density test results and thickness of the constructed feedlot pen liner.

The permit holder shall not place animals in the feedlot pens until the report has been reviewed and accepted in writing by the NRCB.

b. A completion report confirming the catch basin liner material and construction procedures, done by a qualified third party, must be provided to the NRCB prior to manure entering the catch basin. The completion report must include: density test results of the liner and verification of the catch basin liner thickness.

3. Post construction inspections (prior to populating facilities)

The permit holder shall not allow livestock in the new feedlot pens until the facility has been inspected by NRCB personnel and confirmation provided in writing, to have been constructed in accordance with the terms and conditions of this permit. The permit holder shall contact the NRCB at least 10 working days in advance of the desired inspection date to schedule the inspection.