



In consideration of Decision Summary RA24014, Authorization RA24014 is issued to:

Name: Nielsen Farms Ltd. (the “permit holder”)
Address: RR 5 Lacombe, AB T4L 2N5
Contact person: Jeff Nielsen

Permitted construction (based on the submitted site plan):

- Bred heifers barn – 79.9 m x 18.3 m (262 ft. x 60 ft.)

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, the site plan, building plans, operating plan, and other attached documents included with filed Application RA24014.

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.

The permit holder is responsible for all costs associated with monitoring, sampling, testing, recording, and reporting requirements (this includes post construction reports).

Construction conditions

1. The concrete used to construct the liner of the new barn must meet the specifications for category D (solid manure – dry), in Technical Guideline Agdex 096-93 “Non-Engineered Concrete Liners for Manure Collection and Storage Areas.” The permit holder shall provide written confirmation, from a qualified third party, confirming that the concrete used for the manure collection and storage areas meets the required specification.
2. The permit holder shall not allow animals or manure in the new barn, until the facility has been inspected by NRCB personnel and confirmed by them, in writing, to have been constructed in accordance with the terms and conditions of this permit.
3. The permit holder shall complete construction of the manure collection and storage portions of the new barn prior to November 30, 2025. Upon request, this deadline may be extended by the NRCB in writing.

This authorization becomes effective immediately and needs to be read in conjunction with previously issued Approval RA10007 and Authorization RA15024. The authorization conditions will remain in effect unless amended in writing by the NRCB.

April 22, 2024

(Original signed)
Francisco Echegaray, P.Ag.
Approval Officer