



Total permitted animal capacity from all permits for this site:
20,000 chicken layers (plus associated pullets)

In consideration of Decision Summary BA24017, Registration BA24017 is issued to:

Name: Breunis (Bruce) and Meredith Van Dijk and Arn-El Farm Ltd. (the “co-permit holders”)
Address: RR 1 Barrhead, AB T7N 1N2
Contact person: Bruce Van Dijk

Permitted construction (based on the submitted site plan):

- layer barn – 55 m x 14 m (180 ft. x 46 ft.)

Ancillary structure

- auxiliary room – 9 m x 14 m (30 ft. x 46 ft.)

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, the site plan, building plans, and other attached documents included with filed Application BA24017 and municipal permit 15-2001.

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.

Construction conditions

Layer barn

1. Construction completion deadline
The co-permit holders shall complete construction of the layer barn prior to December 1, 2026. Upon request, this deadline may be extended by the NRCB in writing.
2. Concrete
The concrete used to construct the manure collection and storage liner of the layer 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 co-permit holders shall provide documentation to the NRCB confirming the specifications of the concrete used. This document must be provided to the NRCB prior to the inspection referenced in condition #3, below, or by a later date stated by the NRCB.
3. Post construction inspection (prior to populating facility)
The co-permit holders shall not place manure or livestock in the layer barn until the NRCB has inspected the facility and stated in writing that it has been constructed in accordance with this registration.



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

Municipal Permit 15-2001 is hereby superseded, and its content consolidated into this Registration BA24017, unless Registration BA24017 is held invalid following a review and decision by the NRCB's board members or by a court, in which case Municipal Permit 15-2001 will remain in effect.

March 26, 2025

(Original signed)

Nathan Shirley
Approval Officer

Registration BA24017– Appendix

Existing permitted facilities

Facility	Dimensions (m)	From
Hog barn 1	12 m x 36 m	Deemed permit
Hog barn 2	16 m x 26 m	Deemed permit
Hog barn 3	12 m x 61 m	Deemed permit
6 tarp sheds	9 x 22 m (each)	Deemed permit
Solid manure storage pad	55 m x 21 m	Deemed permit