Notice of Application Confined Feeding Operation

Cor and Cathy Haagsma on behalf of Poly-C Farms Ltd. have filed Application RA25028 with the Natural Resources Conservation Board (NRCB) to obtain an approval to expand an existing dairy confined feeding operation (CFO) on the NW 3-43-26 W4M in Ponoka County, Alberta. The application is to increase the permitted number of milking cows (plus associated dries and replacements) from 400 to 625 and to construct a new dairy barn.

Filing a Response

Any person who is directly affected by the application may submit a written response to the NRCB. The response must be received by the NRCB on or before **4:30 pm** on **June 5, 2025**. Submissions should be made to the NRCB address provided below. All attachments sent electronically must be in a pdf format. A copy of the responses will be sent to the applicant for comment. Responses regarding the application may be posted on the NRCB's public website, as they are public records and are non-confidential.

Your written response must include your name, the legal land description of your residence or landholdings, mailing address, phone number, and email address. You must also explain how you are directly affected. For further information please refer to the fact sheet "The Permitting Process for Confined Feeding Operations in Alberta" at www.nrcb.ca.

Failure to submit a written response affects your right to apply for an NRCB Board review.

Viewing the Application

A complete copy of the application and supporting documents submitted by the applicant under the *Agricultural Operation Practices Act* may be viewed on the NRCB website at www.nrcb.ca (under Confined Feeding Operations / Notice of Approval and Registration Applications). The application will also be available for in-person viewing at the Red Deer office by appointment. If you require further information, please contact the approval officer listed below.

Sarah Neff, Approval Officer #303, 4920 – 51 Street Red Deer, AB T4N 6K8 sarah.neff@nrcb.ca 403-506-9613 The closing date for submissions: **4:30 pm** on **June 5, 2025**

Dated at Red Deer, AB, on May 7, 2025

