Notice of Application Confined Feeding Operation

Hutterian Brethren of Miltow have filed Application LA25024 with the Natural Resources Conservation Board (NRCB) to obtain an approval to expand an existing confined feeding operation (CFO) on the NW 17-4-14 W4M in the County of Warner, Alberta. The application is to increase chicken layer numbers from 300 to 30,000, add 15,000 chicken pullets, 400 ducks, and construct a new layer barn with attached manure storage and egg grading facilities/office (total dimensions 36.6 m x 95.8 m). This will bring total animal numbers at this CFO to 400 swine farrow to finish, 90 dairy cows (plus associated dries and replacements), 6,000 chicken broilers, 30,000 chicken layers, and 15,000 chicken pullets and 400 ducks.

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 13, 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. 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.

Due to the potential Canada Post strike, we strongly encourage that responses are submitted electronically, via personal delivery, or courier service to ensure that your response is received prior to the closing date. For personal delivery, please contact our office in advance.

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 Lethbridge office by appointment. If you require further information, please contact the approval officer listed below.

Kelsey Peddle, Approval Officer 100, 5401 1st Ave S Lethbridge AB T1J 4V6 kelsey.peddle@nrcb.ca T 587-334-2560 The closing date for submissions: **4:30 pm** on **June 13, 2025**

Dated at Lethbridge AB, on May 15, 2025

