

# Notice of Application

## Confined Feeding Operation

Hutterian Brethren of Parkland has filed Application LA25041 with the Natural Resources Conservation Board (NRCB) to obtain an approval to expand an existing confined feeding operation (CFO) on the W½ 1-15-28 W4M in the Municipal District of Willow Creek, Alberta. The application is to increase chicken layer numbers by 11,580 to 26,880, chicken pullet numbers by 19,230 to 26,880, add 3,000 broiler chickens, 300 geese, 1,200 ducks; construct a chicken pullet barn (housing space and manure storage - 109 m x 30.5 m), and construct a duck and goose barn (79.3 m x 18.29 m). This will bring total animal numbers at this CFO to 3,000 beef finishers, 500 swine farrow to finish, 200 dairy cows (plus associated dries and replacements), 26,880 chicken layers, 26,880 chicken pullets, 3,000 chicken broilers, 300 geese, and 1,200 ducks.

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### 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 August 28, 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](http://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](http://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.

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The closing date for submissions:

**4:30 pm on August 28, 2025**

Dated at Lethbridge AB, on July 30, 2025