



In consideration of Decision Summary RA25033, Authorization RA25033 is issued to:

Name: Sylvanside Dairy Ltd. (the "permit holder")
Address: RR 1 Site 1 Box 24 Ponoka, AB T4J 1R2
Contact person: Sipke Dijkstra

Permitted construction (based on the submitted site plan):

- Addition to dairy barn – 35.4 m x 30.5 m (with in-barn pit 35.3 m x 4.87 m x 2.4 m deep)
(total dimensions of 84.7 m x 35.4 m)

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, and other attached documents included with filed Application RA25033.

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 3.

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

Construction conditions

Dairy barn addition

1. The permit holder shall complete construction of the manure collection and storage portions of the dairy barn expansion prior to November 30, 2027. Upon request, this deadline may be extended by the NRCB in writing.
2. The concrete used to construct the liner of the dairy barn expansion must meet the specifications for category B (liquid manure shallow pits), and category C (solid manure-wet), in Technical Guideline Agdex 096-93 "Non-Engineered Concrete Liners for Manure Collection and Storage Areas." The permit holder shall provide written confirmation confirming that the concrete used for the manure collection and storage areas meets the required specifications.
3. The permit holder shall not allow manure or livestock in the dairy barn expansion 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.



Operating conditions

Livestock records

4. The permit holder shall maintain and make available to the NRCB, upon request, an ongoing monthly record of the number of milking cows on site to demonstrate that the number remains at or below the permitted capacity. This monthly record must be maintained for a minimum of two years.

This authorization becomes effective immediately and needs to be read in conjunction with Sylvanside Dairy's deemed registration, including previously issued County of Ponoka Development Permit No. D-97-27, and NRCB issued Approval RA10073 and Authorizations RA03053A, RA07029, RA15048 and RA18034. The authorization conditions will remain in effect unless amended in writing by the NRCB.

August 21, 2025

(Original signed)

Lynn Stone
Approval Officer