

BEST COCHISE COUNTY BRED AND FED FORM

Beef, Swine, Sheep and Goat - Proof of Eligibility Form

BEEF due May 2, 2019 all other species due July 2, 2019 – NO EXCEPTIONS!

CCJL Ear Tag Number: _____ FFA 4-H OTHER YOUTH

Club or Chapter Name: _____ Swine Sheep Goat Beef

Exhibitor's Name: _____

RULES APPLYING TO THIS ENTRY:

1. The animal being shown MUST have been born in Cochise County.
2. The dam of the animal being shown MUST be a "resident" of Cochise County 30 days prior to the conception of the animal being shown. The definition "resident" shall be: The dam of the animal shall either be incorporated into an established Cochise County herd or owned by an individual who resides in Cochise County. The sire of the animal being shown must have physically been in Cochise County at the time of conception or Artificial Insemination (AI) must be used. The dam cannot have been taken out of the county to be bred.
3. AI and embryo transfer are recognized methods of herd improvement. Rules 1 and 2 still apply. Embryo needs to be flushed from a resident dam of the Cochise County breeder and implanted in one of their herd recipient dams.
4. This is a binding contract between the breeder, the youth member, parents of the member, and their project leaders.
5. Cochise County Junior Livestock reserves the right to view the maternal parent of a County Bred & Fed animal and may collect DNA samples for verification. In the event a mother of a county-bred animal is sold or has deceased the breeder should obtain a minimum of 30 hair follicles and store them in a cool dry place in an airtight plastic bag.
6. By signing this proof of eligibility form, the Breeder and Exhibitor agree to provide the following information in order to compete and be recognized in the Cochise County Bred & Fed Program.
7. Cochise County Junior Livestock is opposed to violation of rules and will deal with violators in a lawful manner. In the event a violation is deemed true, Exhibitors will lose all premiums and awards. Breeders may lose the privilege to compete in the County Bred & Fed Program in the future.

EXHIBITOR & PARENT CERTIFICATION:

By signing below, I hereby certify that the animal listed above qualifies as a Cochise County Bred & Fed animal according to the rules above and agree to the terms of the contract. I hereby further certify that the animal listed above will be raised and fed in Cochise County for the duration of the project.

Exhibitor Signature

Date

Parent Signature

Date

LEADER CERTIFICATION: As the Leader signing below, I hereby certify that I have reviewed the information presented and have found it to be complete and accurate.

Leader Signature

Date

BREEDER CERTIFICATION:

By signing below, I hereby certify that the animal listed below qualifies as a Cochise County Bred & Fed animal according to the rules above and agree to the terms of this contract.

Breeder Name: _____

Address: _____

Phone: _____

Email: _____

Premise ID/AZ Brand: _____

Animal description (ear notch, ear tag, brand, color, etc.):

Sire Name or #: _____

Dam Name or #: _____

Breeder Signature

Date