

# MONTANA 4-H LIVESTOCK DRUG WITHDRAWAL FORM

In regard to the use of animal health aids, growth promotants or other livestock substances,

**I am aware that:**

- ◆ Chemical substances used in livestock production, disease prevention, or disease control have approved withdrawal times before slaughter;
- ◆ Information on specific use and withdrawal times can be found on product label instructions for those drugs approved for use on livestock;
- ◆ Tranquilizers and other non-approved substances are strictly prohibited for use on food animals;
- ◆ Physically tampering with or altering an animal's muscle tissue is not allowed.

**Therefore, I certify that the animals I bring to this show have:** (check one)

\_\_\_\_\_ while in my ownership, never been given any substances which required a withdrawal time before slaughter;

\_\_\_\_\_ complied with legal withdrawal times in the use of one or more approved chemical substances for animal health, growth promotion, or other livestock management practices and have never used a substance which is not approved for use on animals.

Any animals found with evidence of drug residues, evidence of physical tampering or evidence of administration of non-approved substances will be disqualified and dismissed from the fair grounds. I understand that a violation of approved usage of animal substances may be prosecuted and that such animals will be disqualified from further exhibition or sale. I further understand that if I am found in violation of these policies, I will forfeit and return all sales receipts and premiums to the sale committee and buyer(s). Further, I understand that ANY animal at the county fair is subject to comprehensive drug tests at the option of the show management. The county fair and its officers and management will not be held legally responsible for violations of these policies.

**Exhibitor Signature** \_\_\_\_\_ **Date** \_\_\_\_\_

**Parent / Guardian Signature** \_\_\_\_\_ **Date** \_\_\_\_\_

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