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NOTICE OF EXEMPTION

To: County Clerk, County of Glenn
516 W. Sycamore Street, 2nd Floor, Willows, CA 95988
From: Glenn County Planning and Community Development Services Agency
225 North Tehama Street, Willows, CA 95988

PROJECT: Conditional Use Permit 2024-002, Black Rock Cattle LLC Feedlot

APPLICANT: Michael T. Feeney dba Black Rock Cattle LLC

PROJECT DESCRIPTION: Black Rock Cattle Co. LLC has applied for a Conditional Use Permit to continue the use of a feedlot on the existing Hillside Dairy site. The dairy was originally constructed in 1988 and then leased as a feedlot starting in 2020. The previous dairy had received coverage under the Dairy General Order and was approved for 850 mature milking cows (Holstein); which equates to 1,368 Animal Units (AU). Feedlot cattle are smaller than dairy cattle, and according to the Bovine General Order, the RWQCB- allowed animal unit conversion for calves is smaller at .35 (as opposed to 1.4 for mature milking cows), resulting in the allowable number of feedlot cattle onsite to be 3,910 head. Conditional Use Permit 2024-002 proposes to continue the operation of the site as a feedlot under lease to Black Rock Cattle, LLC. Cattle will arrive at the site at an average weight of 350 pounds and leave at a weight of approximately 650 pounds. Individual cattle will be onsite for approximately 60 to 90 days. The facility is proposed to operate seven days a week from 6:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. No new structures are being proposed.

LOCATION: The project site is 3719 County Road DD; located east of County Road C, south of County Road 25, west of County Road C, and north of County Road 28, and southwest of Orland; in the unincorporated area of Glenn County, California. **APN:** 024-200-007 (240 acres)

ZONING: "AP-80" (Agricultural Preserve Zone) **GENERAL PLAN:** "Intensive Agriculture"

Name of Public Agency Approving Project: July 16, 2025, Glenn County Planning Commission


Name of Person(s) or Agency Carrying Out Project:

Glenn County Planning and Community Development Services Agency

Exempt Status: The project of converting a dairy to a feedlot, with no new structures, can be considered exempt from the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) pursuant to CEQA Guidelines, Public Resources Code section 15061(b) (3) (the "general rule" exemption).

Lead Agency Contact:

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Signature: 
Wardy Thomas, Director
Planning and Community Development Services Agency

Date: July 17, 2025