



January 16, 2024

To: Manitoba Tech Review Committee

Comments Re; Manure Management Practices at Midwest Poultry

1. Midwest Poultry (SE 5-8-4e) has for a few years been shipping all of the dry chicken broiler manure produced at the site to Loveday Mushroom Farms Ltd. Midwest Poultry has a long-term signed contract for this arrangement (see attached copy of contract. Since all of the manure produced on this site will be delivered to Loveday Mushrooms and will not be land applied as a nutrient source, Agra-Gold will not be providing any land, soil and crop yield information.
2. A copy of the "Nutrient Calculator" is attached in order to provide detail on the amount of N and P that will be produced on site and transferred to Loveday Mushrooms.
3. A copy of Midwest Poultry active Manure Management Plan Receipt number is attached. All manure will be accounted for in the "Transfer of Manure" portion of the annual plan.
4. Maps of RM Development Plan, RM Zoning ByLaw and Midwest 3 km Buffer are attached as well.

Should any additional information or details be required, please feel free to contact Cliff Loewen (see below for contact information).

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Receipt number **2024-003**
Location of operation SE-5-8-4-E
RM: Ritchot

Re: Notice of Manure Management Plan (MMP) Conditional Registration

Thank you for submitting your Manure Management Plan (MMP) for the next growing season. It has been conditionally registered and assigned an MMP receipt number indicated above.

It is recognize some information maybe unavailable at the submission deadline. For example, fields targeted for manure application would likely not be sampled yet thus the field application details will be incomplete. Please review the MMP Submission Report on the next page for information required to be completed and provided prior to manure application.

Spreading confirmations must be submitted after manure application is concluded. A confirmation sheet (page 4) must be completed including shading of the field diagram. Please note, spreading confirmations must be submitted in order to register your following MMPs.

Please be reminded, as described in the Livestock Manure and Mortalities Management Regulation, a registered MMP is required to store, handle, dispose, or apply livestock manure to agricultural lands.

The department has developed an online map that displays the density of livestock operations filing annual MMPs, as well as field audit statistics. The map does not include copies of the MMPs, names, or location of livestock operations. The map can be found at www.manitoba.ca/livestockmap.

If you have any questions regarding the MMP process, you can contact me at 204-945-3078 or mpregistration@gov.mb.ca.

Regards,

Richard Balog, MMP Coordinator

Supplier Farm Name Midwest Poultry Owner/Contact Rudi Funk
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 Farm Location 50-5-8-4E

Broiler Other - specify _____ Scale - Quota _____ kgs or Number of birds 68,000

Length of Cycle/How Often are Barns Cleaned 7 times/yr Next Cleaning May 5/23

Type of Bedding Used if Any Straw Straw is the most preferred bedding.

All litter is weighed on a commercial scale - currently Darling Ingredients. Upon completion of hauling the litter from each cycle the trucking company will send the weight to the farmer. The farmer will then invoice Loveday for the litter. The current price Loveday pays is \$21/tonne for 2023, net 30 days.

Broiler litter is the most preferred, other poultry litter may be acceptable.

Ammonia suppressants and excessive amounts of coniferous wood shavings are not acceptable.

Loveday will pay based on received weight up to a limit of 40% moisture.

The litter must be free of noticeable soil. Rocks, broken concrete etc are not acceptable.

The nitrogen level must be 3% or greater. (A large amount of bedding is usually the only reason it would not be 3% N) (Loveday has not experienced this to be an issue to date)

Loveday's contracted haulers will be quite prompt hauling litter from your farm. The sooner we get the litter the better the quality is for us. Unless something unforeseen happens, the litter should not sit at your farm longer than one or two weeks.

Loveday requires the litter continuously, procuring each cycle year round for the life of the contract.

The contract runs indefinitely to give security to buyer and seller. Terms will be reviewed annually on the anniversary of the contract to account for any changes that are mutually acceptable.

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Customer Service Rep: Ian Watson iww590505@gmail.com

Trucking Company: Skyline Harvest _____ Isaac Kwik Cut Other _____

Buyer: sign Ian Watson print Ian Watson date April 19, 2023

Seller: sign Rudi Funk print Rudi Funk date 4/18/23