

08/11/2020

Committee Meeting PCJLC

Call to Order: 6:51 by Michelle Powell

Roll Call: 18 Present

Kristen Coates, Alana Sanchez, Emily Schmitt, Jamie Bechtel, Corey Brown, Michelle Powell, Danielle Tucker, Jadee Rohner, Paige Gangloff, Tracy Anders, Drake Gall, Michael Campbell, Jake Myers, Misti Todd, Kenny Salinas, David Stambaugh, John Nevitt, and Chris Corbett.

Board of Directors Report:

- None

Treasurers Report

- None

Fair Director Report

- None

Call to Public

- None

Bylaw Amendments- Proposed by Drake Gall June 10, 2020, emailed to Committee.

Amendment to the PCJLC Bylaws, Article 3, Section 1- Membership: h, i, j-

Current:

h.) Two (2) Youth representatives from the FFA division

i.) Two (2) Youth representatives from the 4-H division

j.) Two (2) Youth representatives from the Youth Association division 6 youth members of

Amendment PCJLC Bylaws Article 3, Section 1- Membership: Remove h) i) j), replace with "Six (6) Youth representatives from FFA or 4-H or Association".

Vote: 16 favor, 2 opposed. Motion Passed

Amendment to the PCJLC Bylaws, Article 3, Section 4- Membership Term-

Current:

As a clarification, newly elected members will begin serving in their respective positions following the adjournment of the annual meeting. Newly elected members will therefore be ineligible to be elected to the board of directors.

Amendment PCJLC Bylaws Article 3, Section 4- Membership Term:

To replace the word ineligible with the word eligible, so the newly revised amendment would read. "For the purposes of voting, serving as a committee member, and nominations; membership shall begin at the adjournment of the annual meeting at which a member was elected to membership or office and conclude at the adjournment of the following annual meeting. As a clarification, newly

elected members will begin serving in their respective positions following the adjournment of the annual meeting. Newly elected members will therefore be ~~ineligible~~ **eligible** to be elected to the board of directors.”

Vote: 9 favor, 6 opposed. Amendment Failed.

Election

Board of Directors

President: Expired- Michelle

Nominated: (1) Corey Brown, **Vote: Unanimous**

1st Vice President: Expired- Corey

Nominated: (1) Kenny Salinas, **Vote: Unanimous**

2nd Vice President: Expired- Danielle

Nominated: (1) Danielle Tucker, **Vote: Unanimous**

Treasurer: Expired- Carlos

Nominated: (1) Carlos Gamez, **Vote: Unanimous**

Secretary: Expired- Jadee

Nominated: (1) Jadee Rohner, **Vote: Unanimous**

Superintendents/Committee Positions

Member at Large: Current- Michelle Weese, Chris Corbett, Kenny Salinas & Danielle Tucker

Expired: Danielle 2 Yr

Newly Vacated: Kenny Salinas- Committee will be given 30 day notice of vacancy, and applications accepted, selected at next regularly scheduled meeting.

(1) Dana Conway (#2 Choice), Vote: 7

(2) Kristen Coates (#5 Choice), 2 Yr Term Vote: 10 → Elected Committee Member

~~(3) Gary Dale Rescinded application 08/11/20~~

Association: Expired- James Bechtel 2 Yr

Note: (1) One Year/ (1) Two Year

(1) Denny Daniels, 2 Yr Term Vote: 17 → Elected Committee Member

~~(2) Kristen Coates (#1 Choice) Ineligible due~~

Carcass: Expired- Elizabeth 2 Yr & Reagan 1 Yr

(1) Ben Newton (#1), 1 Yr Term Vote: 5, **2 Yr Term: 0**

~~(2) Kristen Coates (#4 Choice)~~

(3) Michael Campbell, 1 Yr Term Vote: 5, 2 Yr Term: 16 → Elected Committee Member

(4) Dan Benedict, 1 Yr Term Vote: 7 → Elected Committee Member

Swine: Current- Jake Myers, Expired 2 Yr- James Bechtel

~~(1) Kristen Coates (#2 Choice)~~

(2) James Bechtel :14→ Elected Committee Member

(3) Ben Newton (#2 Choice): 2

(4) Beth Woehlecke (#3): 1

Lamb- Current- Michael Campbell, Expired- Tracy Hampton 2 Yr

Newly Vacated 1 Yr: Michael Campbell- Committee will be given 30 day notice of vacancy, and applications accepted, selected at next regularly scheduled meeting.

(1) Damian Murrieta, 2 Yr Term Vote: 12 → Elected Committee Member

(2) Tracy Hampton, 2 Yr Term Vote: 3

(3) Tracy Anders (#2), 2 Yr Term Vote: 2

(4) Ben Newton (#5 Choice), 2 Yr Term Vote: 0

(5) Beth Woehlecke (#2), 2 Yr Term Vote: 0

Goat: Expired- Tracy Anders

Note: (1) One Year/ (1) Two Year

~~(1) Kristen Coates (#3 Choice)~~

(2) Tracy Anders (#1) applied for 2 yr position, 2 Yr Term: 12 → Elected Committee Member

(3) Ben Newton (#3 Choice) 1 Yr Term Vote: 7, 2 Yr Term: 5

(4) Beth Woehlecke (#4) 1 Yr Term Vote: 9 → Elected Committee Member

Beef: Current- David, Expired- John

~~(1) David Stambaugh~~ Rescinded application 08/11/20. Committee will be given 30 day notice of vacancy, and applications accepted, selected at next regularly scheduled meeting.

(2) John Nevitt 2 Yr Term Vote: 16 → Elected Committee Member

~~(3) Beth Woehlecke (#5)~~

(4) Mike Norris 2 Yr Term Vote: 1

Motion: Beef Interim Superintendent elected from existing list of applicants.

Motion Maker: Jaime Bechtel, 2nd: Tracy Anders

Discussion:

John: Doesn't feel that an interim is needed.

Misti: Going to schedule a special meeting in 30 days to vote for positions? Yes, we will.

Kenny: After the 30 days would he become the superintendent? Yes, if there were no other applicants. If there were other applicants. If there were other applicants it would go to a vote.

Vote: Favor-1, Opposed- 8. Motion Fails

Holstein Calf: Current- Drake Gall, Expired: Heidi

(1) Dana Conway (#1 Choice), 2 Yr Term Vote: 7

(2) Ben Newton (#4 Choice), 2 Yr Term Vote: 2

(3) Travis Hartman, 2 Yr Term Vote: 8 → Elected Committee Member

Auction Chair: Expired- Carlos Gamez

~~(1) Tracy Anders (#3)~~ Rescinded application 08/11/20- Tracy Hampton & Tracy Anders would like to shadow Carlos in position, and learn ins and outs.

(2) Carlos Gamez, Vote: Unanimous → Elected Committee Member

~~(3) Gary Dale~~ Rescinded application 08/11/20.

BBQ Chair: Expired- Greg Homol

(1)

(2)

Contest Chair: Expired- Meghan Marcum

- (1) Beth Woehlecke (#1)
(2) Kristen Coates (#6 Choice) which ever.

Standing Committee Reports **Rule Change Committee- Michael Campbell**

Proposals Made By: Michael Campbell

Section #: 1.F

Current Rule Wording

F. Each exhibitor will be allowed to tag up to three (3) animals with no more than three (3) animals of a single species or combination of any species in the market division. Official designation of each animal as a market or carcass or no show must be made with the exhibitors club leader advisor prior to the carcass receiving date.

Official designation of each animal as a market or carcass or no show must be made with the exhibitor's club leader or chapter advisor by Monday, February 24, 2020, prior to the carcass receiving date.

1) Each exhibitor may show two (2) animals of single species in the market division or a combination of any species in the market division. However, only one animal may be sold at the Jr. Livestock Auction. The animal eligible for sale must be declared by the exhibitor unless both animals are both of the same species, in this case the exhibitors choice will be sold at the Jr. Livestock Auction. The animal eligible must be declared by Thursday of fair by 10:00am to the PCJLC Office.

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Rule Change Proposal

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Rule Change Committee Note:

- None

Motion to Pass first passage of proposal "F. Each exhibitor will be allowed to tag up to three (3) animals with no more than ~~three (3)~~ two (2) animals of a single species or combination of any species in the market division. ~~Official designation of each animal as a market or carcass or no show must be made with the exhibitor's club leader advisor prior to the carcass receiving date.~~" : Corey Brown, 2nd: Kenny Salinas, **Motion Passed.**

Proposal Made By: Michael Campbell

Section #: 3.H

Current Rule Wording

H. A 3% shrink will only be applied to animals weighing below the minimum weight requirement for beef, goat, lamb and swine entries. For entries a 5% shrink will be applied to animals weighing below the minimum weight requirement.

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Exact Proposed Rule Change Wording

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2) **CARCASS Divisions** Minimum weights accepted with the shrink percentage applied are: Beef –970 lbs., Goat – 63 lbs., Lamb – 97 lbs., Swine – ~~203~~ **218** lbs., Market Holstein– 237 lbs.

Rule Change Committee Note:

- By changing this, it would also change the minimum weight of swine. Minimum weight would become 225lbs.

Discussion:

Tracy Anders: Exhibitors have difficulty making weight it'd be unreasonable to

Jamie: Does any member remember why it was lowered in the first place? Michelle thought that

Corey: Quality of product putting into the marketplace, the minimum weight is not a quality product.

Tracy Anders: Eliminate shrink all together.

Motion to Pass: Corey Brown, 2nd Danielle Tucker, Motion Passed.

Proposal Made By: Michael Campbell

Section #: 15.4C

Current Rule Wording

Minimum weight requirement for market swine is 210 lbs. Maximum weight requirement for market swine is 285 lbs. Weight will be determined at official weigh-in.

Exact Proposed Rule Change Wording

Minimum weight requirement for market swine is ~~210~~ 225 lbs. Maximum weight requirement for market swine is 285 lbs. Weight will be determined at official weigh-in.

Rule Change Committee Suggestion:

- By changing this, it would also change the shrink weight to 218 from 203.
- Maricopa County Fair minimum weight also 225lb.

Motion to Pass: Corey Brown, 2nd Drake Gall, Motion Passed.

Proposal Made By: Michael Campbell

Section #: 17.1D

Current Rule Wording

D. Carcass exhibitors are REQUIRED to attend the Evaluation AND the Awards Program for the Carcass Division which includes a mandatory picture. This includes the Carcass evaluation portion at both CAC and Miller's SW Processing Exhibitors are required to wear proper show attire for the awards program. For more information on proper show attire please see Section 6: Market/Showmanship Rules and Requirements, Item D.

E. All carcass animals will be judged on the Danish (purple, blue, red, or white) system. Only those animals which yield carcasses of necessary quality, as defined in Section 17.2 below, will be awarded Champion or Reserve Champion. Depending upon carcass quality, a division may not have a Champion or Reserve Champion Carcass.

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Rule Change Committee Suggestion:

- None

Motion to Pass: Jamie Bechtel, 2nd Drake Gall, Motion Passed.

Proposal Made By: Michael Campbell

Section #: 17.2

Current Rule Wording

17.2: QUALIFICATIONS FOR GRAND & RESERVE CHAMPION CARCASS LIVESTOCK

The following qualifications are standard and are necessary for an animal to be designated as Grand and Reserve Champion Carcass and thus allowed to be sold at the Pinal County Junior Livestock Auction:

BEEF Carcass Qualifications for Grand and Reserve Champion

Minimum Live Beef Weight: 1,000 lbs.

Maximum Live Beef Sale Weight: 1,250 lbs.

Carcass beef have a MAXIMUM SALE WEIGHT of 1,250 lbs. Thus, at auction, carcass beef will sell for a maximum weight of 1,250 lbs. Animals weighing more than 1,250 lbs are eligible to compete. Minimum Carcass Weight: 600 lbs.

Maximum Carcass Weight: 900 lbs.

Yield Grade: Grade not to exceed 4.0 (The Price grid base on quality & yield grade will be used.)

Final Carcass Grade: Minimum Select 70

1.6 square inch Rib Eye Area per 100 lbs of Carcass Weight

GOAT Carcass Qualifications for Grand and Reserve Champion

Minimum Live Goat Weight: 65 lbs

Maximum Live Goat Weight: 125 lbs Minimum

Carcass Goat Weight: 30 lbs

Percent Semi-boneless, Trimmed Primals (SBTP) leg, sirloin, loin, rack, shoulder

$\%SBTP = 60.6933 - (0.23174 \times HCW) + (1.96202 \times REA) - (1.57832 \times BWT)$

LAMB Carcass Qualification for Grand and Reserve Champion

Minimum Live Lamb Weight: 100 lbs. Maximum Live Lamb Weight: 165 lbs. Minimum Carcass Lamb Weight: 50 lbs. Carcass Grade Minimum: Choice 50

Percent Boneless Trimmed Retail Cuts (BCTRC)

$\%BCTRC = 49.936 - (.0848 \times HCW) - (4.376 \times AFT) - (3.530 \times BWT) + (2.456 \times REA)$

SWINE Carcass Qualifications for Grand and Reserve Champion

Minimum Live Hog Weight: 220 lbs. Maximum Live Hog Weight: 285 lbs. Minimum Carcass Weight: 150 lbs.

Color Score: 2, 3, or 4 ONLY

Cutability: 58% or more

Minimum Average Backfat Thickness: .5 inches (average of measurements taken at last lumber, last rib, first rib) **Grand & Reserve Champion Marbling Score:** 2, 3 or 4

Blue & Red Ribbon Marbling Score: 1, 2, 3, 4, or 5

Carcass Qualifications for Grand and Reserve Champion

Minimum Live Weight: 250 lbs.

Maximum Live Weight 350 lbs.

Carcass gave a MAXIMUM SALE WEIGHT of 350 lbs.

Score on color and conformation:

Color score of 2 to 2.5 ideal, score of 3 to 4 acceptable, score of 4 or higher will be disqualified.

Conformation score: ideal conformation score #1, average conformation score #2, low conformation score #3 Average the two scores—low value places first

Tie score will be decided by lowest color score

Exact Proposed Rule Change Wording

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Market Holsten Calves Carcass Qualifications for Grand and Reserve Champion

Minimum Live Weight: 250 lbs.

Maximum Live Weight 350 lbs.

Carcass gave a MAXIMUM SALE WEIGHT of 350 lbs.

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Score on color and conformation:

Color score of 2 to 2.5 ideal, score of 3 to 4 acceptable, score of 4 or higher will be disqualified.

Conformation score: ideal conformation score #1, average conformation score #2, low conformation score #3

Average the two scores—low value places first

Tie score will be decided by lowest color score

Rule Change Committee:

- Note: If weights for market Holstein calves, and swine change- these will also change.
- Note: Swine weights will change as to prior rule change changes made.

Motion to Pass: Corey Brown, 2nd Drake Gall, Majority Vote-Motion Passed.

Proposals Made by: Jake Myers

Section #: 15.2 C

Current Rule Wording

3 photographs- three clear photos of the market swine must be submitted for entry.

Exact Proposed Rule Change Wording

2 clear photos of the market swine must be submitted for entry. Photo one a clear head shot showing the ear notches and markings on face. Photo two, a clear photo with the exhibitor in photo .

Supporting Comments for Rule Change Proposal

All hogs will be subject to classification at fair to determine the breed. Cutting out such pictures will improve the wait time at registration and make it more user friendly on the exhibitors.

Rule Change Committee:

- None

Motion to Pass: Corey Brown, 2nd Jamie Bechtel, Majority Vote- Motion Passed.

Proposal Made by: Benjamin Newton

Section #: Sec 15.2: C-3

Current Rule Wording

Maximum Swine Weight 285

Exact Proposed Rule Change Wording

Swine that weigh over 285 pounds would not be eligible to compete for grand champion and reserve champion but will be allowed to sell. No maximum weight limit on swine however the sell price will be capped at the 285 pound max weight pay out that is currently the rule.“

Supporting Comments for Rule Change Proposal

This will allow the kids to raise their project and not have to hold the animal back, it's a more natural way of raising swine that is more ethical.

Rule Change Committee:

- Rule Change Committee would like to individual who proposed rule to rephrase it to exact working for rule book and potentially different title of class. Idea “heavy weight”
- Current weight: Minimum weight requirement for market swine is 210 lbs. Maximum weight requirement for market swine is 285 lbs.

Discussion:

Jamie Bechtel: Swine Superintendent doesn't believe that having a heavy weight animal

Corey: Doesn't believe it supports the philosophy of bringing a high quality product to the market. Could also have competition issues with large swine in pen.

Kristen Coates: In agreeance with previous speaker.

Motion to Pass: Drake Gall, 2nd Danielle Tucker, Majority Vote- **Motion Fails.**

Proposals Made by: Chris Corbett

Section #: Section 1- C

Current Rule Wording

Age Requirements: Exhibitors must have had their 8th birthday before January 1, 2020 and exhibitors cannot have passed their 19th birthday prior to January 1, 2020 to be eligible to show.

4-H (8-19)

Association (8-19)

FFA: FFA member in good standing not exceeding 19

Exact Proposed Rule Change Wording

Age Requirements:

4-H exhibitors must have had their 8th birthday before January 1, **2021** and exhibitors cannot have passed their 19th birthday prior to January 1, **2021** to be eligible to show.

Association exhibitors must have had their 7th birthday before January 1, 2021 and exhibitors cannot have passed their 19th birthday prior to January 1, 2021 to be eligible to show.

4-H (8-19)

Association (**7**-19)

FFA: FFA member in good standing not exceeding 19

Supporting Comments for Rule Change Proposal: Re-establish the 1 year age difference between association and 4-H before the age change of 4-H (9 to 8) and expand the opportunity to a new age class of kids to show livestock with Pinal County Junior Livestock.

Rule Change Committee:

- None

Discussion

Corey: Association allowed to show one year younger than the 4H requirement, purpose of rule change is to see this similar philosophy reflected again in Rule Book.

Chris: believes that younger exhibitors are responsible enough to show swine, open up door for younger exhibitors.

Drake: stated that it wouldn't just effect swine but all species.

Corey & Mike: Liability would be greater having younger exhibitors

Misti: 7 year old developmentally would be hard to explain the purpose of a project, with fears that older siblings and parents would have a greater hand in raising project other than exhibitor.

Michelle: Unsure of liability placed on organization, and fair grounds of lowering age requirement.

Motion to Fail: Drake Gall, 2nd: Tracy Anders, Majority Vote- Motion Fails

Proposal Made By: Tracy Anders

Section #: 2.F

Current Rule Wording

Best Arizona Bred. This is for all species. To be eligible to enter the Best Arizona Bred Class, animals must be bred, conceived, born, raised and fed on Arizona soil. A receipt of verification will be needed. To enter this class, you must submit a completed Best Arizona Bred Form for your qualified animal on the day of ear tagging. For Swine, you must submit a completed Best Arizona Bred Form for your qualified animal on paperwork submission day. The Best Arizona Bred Form must include the name of the exhibitor the animal was sold to, the name of the breeder, the breeder's national or state premise identification number, the animal's permanent identification number if applicable and physical markings on animal. (Appendix I – Official Best Arizona Bred Verification Form)

Exact Proposed Rule Change Wording

I nominate they we discontinue Arizona Breed Classes for Every Species of the 2021 junior livestock show,

Supporting Comments for Rule Change Proposal: This is the biggest lairs class of them all, breeders and owners change ear tags to be able to show in Arizona bred classes, this need to be done away with, if

we want honest showman than do away with this class, previous showman have changed tags to be Arizona bred from animals bought out of state, we dont need this, we need to show our showman to be honest about there animals

Rule Change Committee:

- Striking all Az Bred & Fed rule from Rule Book.

Discussion:

Corey Brown: In swine barn, the highest placing Arizona bred animal won Best Arizona Bred & Fed. Agrees that there is a lack of structure amongst species for the contest.

John: Beef barn takes the best Arizona Bred fed out of every class, and have a class. Which he believes how it should be done. Agrees it shouldn't be Arizona it should be Pinal.

Mike Norris: Holly & Mike started this award area 20 years ago, for the purpose to award exhibitors that purchased their animals in state. Would hate to see this program go away from a sponsor perspective.

Beth Woehlecke: Breeder herself gives them the chance to show their high quality

Misti Todd: incentive to start their own breeding program

Jadee Rohner: Creation of committee? No, each superintendent should run their own show.

Motion Withdrawn by Tracy Anders.

Proposal Made By: Tracy Anders

Section #: Multiple

Current Rule Wording

All rules pertaining to showing swine by breeds.

Exact Proposed Rule Change Wording

No showing by breeds, just by weights

Supporting Comments for Rule Change Proposal

- How is it fair for swine to be shown by breeds and not by weights, if this is the case than we need to have breed classes for every Species of livestock shown, plus it causes more money donations for buckles and banners , when we are having a hard time getting donations for these awards this eliminate the cost of awards also where we can use it in other places such as to our showmen pens, sand, shavings, and auction needs, we need to pull back cost where there not needed

Rule Change Committee:

- Species swine only.
- Committee believes it was changed about 7 years ago from weights to breeds.

Motion Withdrawn by Tracy Anders.

Name: Mike & Holly Norris

Section #: 12.3 E

Current Rule Wording

Section 12.3, Item E - Market beef have a MAXIMUM SALE WEIGHT of 1,250 lbs.

Exact Proposed Rule Change Wording

Section 12.3, Item E - Market beef have a MAXIMUM SALE WEIGHT of **1,350 lbs.**

Supporting Comments for Rule Change Proposal:

Most premium junior auctions do not have a maximum sale weight or it is higher than 1,250 lbs. Most steers entered into the PCF weigh more than 1,250 lbs. Increasing the maximum sale weight will also be beneficial to both the exhibitor as well as the PCJLC program.

Rule Change Committee:

- None

Motion to Pass: Jamie Bechtel, 2nd: Kristen Coates, Motion Passed.

Proposal Made By: Mike & Holly Norris

Section #: 12.1 A

Current Rule Wording

All animals must be beef-type steers.

Exact Proposed Rule Change Wording

All animals must be beef-type cattle. **Both steers and heifers may be entered into the market beef division.**

Supporting Comments for Rule Change Proposal

Market heifers are becoming more common in the show industry. Many other county fairs allow market heifers into their market beef shows. Arizona is limited in the number of cattle breeders breeding quality show cattle for our 4-H and FFA cattle exhibitors, If these breeders have a majority of heifers the ability for our exhibitors to purchase market steers is diminished significantly. In a division

that have diminished numbers of participants we should be doing everything we can encourage and assist in helping more kids participate in this division.

Rule Change Committee Note:

- None

Corey: What is the maximum weight of a steer? None. What is the maximum sale weight? 1250.

Motion to Pass: Drake Gall, 2nd: John Nevitt, Motion Passed.

Proposal Made by: Drake Gall

Section #: 16.3 A

Current Rule Wording

Minimum weight requirement for market is 250 lbs. Maximum weight requirement for market is 350 lbs. Weight will be determined at official weigh-in.

Exact Proposed Rule Change Wording

Minimum weight requirements for market is 250 lbs. Maximum weight requirement for market is 425 lbs. Weight will be determined at official weigh-in.

Supporting Comments for Rule Change Proposal

- Being that they are no longer classified as veal and are allowed to be grain fed, higher weights are more practical and achievable, allowing for a more quality product. Subsequently we may want to alter Section 16.3 Subsection C to a 425 lbs maximum sale weight.

Rule Change Committee Notes:

- If weight change does change, we will need to revisit rest of rules that pertain to weight.
- Note: Will reflect change

Discussion:

Mike: Feeders or calves?

Emily: Had to hold off calf, and would like to see the rule change

Mike Norris: Would increase days of project at least 60 days. Knows that the current floor buyer would not purchase these animals if this rule was passed. Kids fight at low weight, and at max weight. Still wouldn't be a good quality product for the producer.

Motion to Pass amendment to 375lbs vs 425: Drake Gall, 2nd: Jamie Bechtel. Motion Passed.

Proposal Made By: Kristine Schroeder

Section #: 16.3.D

Current Rule Wording

Market Holstein calves shall be fed primarily with milk or a milk replacer for the feeding ration. Calves must be bottle or bucket fed during the fair. No nursing animals will be allowed on the fair grounds.

Exact Proposed Rule Change Wording

Market Holstein calves shall be fed primarily with milk or a milk replacer for the first **30 - 60 days and then fully weaned before fair.**

Supporting Comments for Rule Change Proposal

Holstein calves are not veal and not steer; this would help categorize the animal. 4H children would learn even more by weaning their calves by transitioning them to a different food. It would reduce investment cost and risk and could attract more children into participating in the project.

Rule Change Committee Notes:

- None

Discussion:

Drake: Disagrees that milk shouldn't fed at fair.

Emily: Discussed feed strategies of calves.

Motion to Fail: Drake Gall, 2nd: Emily Schmitt, Motion Fails.

- **Meeting Adjourned @ 9:25pm**
- Motion: Corey Brown 2nd: Danielle Tucker, Motion Pass

Notes:

Open Positions:

- Member at Large 2 Yr Position
- Lamb Superintendent 1 Yr Position
- Beef Superintendent 1 Yr Position
- Contest Chair
- BBQ Chair

Next Meeting: September 15 @ 6:00pm