

# CLSDD Market Steer Division Rules & Regulations

1. This division is subject to the CSLDD General Rules & Regulations and these Division Rules & Regulations.
2. All exhibitors must abide by all rules and regulations to be eligible to show.
3. Official tag-in and weigh-in will be at specified times on Schedule of Important Dates and Deadlines at the CSLDD Show Grounds.

## A. Tag-In second Tuesday of November:

1. Steers must weigh a minimum of 500 pounds at the November 2019 tag-in/weigh-in. There is NO longer a maximum weight.
2. All Market Steer's must have a halter on before walking onto scales at tag-in in November.
3. Market Steer will be weighed only one time – if animal does not make the weight it may be (at exhibitor's request) backed off the scales; scales will be re-balanced, and animal will be re- weighed immediately.
4. No weight tolerance will be allowed.
5. Steers will be ear tagged in each ear, and a hair sample will be pulled at weigh-in. If the animal loses one tag, the exhibitor must contact the Market Steer Chairman immediately. If the steer loses both ear tags, it will not be eligible to show. (In other words, if a steer loses an ear tag, exhibitors must contact the above mentioned person to get tag replaced before the second tag is lost.)

## B. Weigh-In at Show April:

1. There is NO daily rate of gain, steers must weigh a minimum of 900 pounds at the official weigh-in/check-in during show week. Steers not weighing the minimum 900 pounds must immediately be loaded back on the trailer and leave CLSDD Show grounds.
2. Market Steers must weigh- in on scales at CSLDD Show Grounds and be tied in place at the time specified in the Schedule of Important Dates and Deadlines.
3. At weigh-in in April, steers will have one opportunity to go across the official scales, if animal does not make the weight it may be (at exhibitor's request) backed off the scales; scales will be re-balanced, and animal will be re-weighed immediately.
4. No weight tolerance will be allowed.
5. Steer must have tag in both ears when returning to the show in April.
6. Market Steers will be shown with halter and proper showing paraphernalia is encouraged.
7. All ethical techniques of proper grooming and fitting steers for show will be permitted.
8. Exhibitors must remove sweat collars from their steers when they weigh-in.
9. Steers must be dehorned before weigh-in at show.

## C. Judging at Show April:

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1. Each exhibitor must be able to show his/her steer unassisted.
  2. The classes will be determined after all Market Steers have been weighed.
    - a. Steers will be divided into 3 Classes:
      1. Light Weight
      2. Medium Weight
      3. Heavy Weight
  3. All steers will be brought back into the arena to select the Grand and Reserve Champion Steer. As well as for the purpose of selecting sale order.
  4. Exhibitors not present with their steer when the sale order is called will be scratched from the sale.
  5. Amount of Steers Sold – See Premium Auction Rules.
- D. Additional Market Steer Division Awards:
1. Highest-ranking In-County Bred Steer
    - a. There will not be a separate show for Highest-ranking In-County Steer; it will be in conjunction with the Market Steer Show.
    - b. To be eligible for this award exhibitor must have filled out an In-County Steer Affidavit at time of Tag-in in November.
  2. Rate of Gain
    - a. Will be calculated by Committee Chair after show weigh-in.
  3. These awards will be presented at the Premium Auction Buyers Dinner.
- E. Stomach pumping is not allowed.