WBA All Breed Bull Test 2023-2024 Conditions of Acceptance

The below conditions are contractual. Failure to meet these conditions will result in rejection of the consignment at the test site and/or exclusion of the consignment from the sale by the Western Breeders Association (WBA).

- 1. Consignor must have the entry form completed and fees paid prior to intake day.
- 2. The 2023-24 entry fee will be **\$1000.00** and will include the cost of feed, yardage, and presale costs. This fee must be paid by **September 17th** (Final Entry)
- 3. Bulls must be born between January 1 and March 31
- 4. Bulls must meet breed requirements for registration. All breeds must be registered as purebred except, (a) An Angus Composite breed: Bulls must be at least 25% Angus and be registered within their respected breed association. Examples would be Chiangus, Simangus, Balancer, Lim-flex, Brangus, etc. (b) Simmental bulls, which must be at least 7/8 Simmental; and (c) Red Angus, which must be category 1A or 1B and at least 7/8 Red Angus. Bulls must be entered with birth weight and weaning weight data upon intake day October 13th
- 5. Consignor must have paid a preliminary entry fee of \$100.00 per consinger. This will cover the upfront office charges.
- 6. Bulls must weigh 650 lbs off of the truck. No Shrink. No Exceptions
- 7. Bulls must have legible tattoos.
- 8. Bulls must pass a physical check.
- 9. BVD test must be negative and lab verification due no later than Sept. 16
- 10. Consignor must keep inoculation records on file showing required inoculations given.
- 11. Brand inspection and health certificate required for out of state cattle. Washington State Certificate of Permit (Haul Slip) is required for Washington cattle at the time of delivery.
- 12.Bulls being DNA tested (enhanced EPDs) must have DNA results reported to Bull Test Management by October 6th. Consignors are required to include the results of enhanced EPDs on all bulls that have enhanced EPDs in all materials published relating to the Bull Test and Sale. Consignors must provide sire verification.
- 13. All Breeds <u>MUST</u> have DNA sire verification for Al sired bulls and be verified genetic defect free <u>upon intake day</u>. No "untested" Potential Carriers and/or 'Carriers' will be allowed in the test. Genetic defect test results must be presented on intake day. Should a potential defect arise, following the start of the test, an exception will be made for that bull. This bull will be allowed to be tested at the consignors expense as long as the results of the test are received prior to indexing of bulls. <u>Bull must be defect free to qualify for test and sale.</u> We highly recommend sending tests via priority mail and obtaining a tracking number for your own records.
- 14.All weaning weights and birth weights will NEED to be submitted to the related breed association prior to intake day. This will be verified on delivery of bull(s). All registration papers MUST accompany bulls on intake day- No Exceptions!
- 15. No consignor will be allowed to have any personal testing completed within the duration of the

feed test without going through the WBA board. Any consignor shall not contact Brad Bues. All questions for Brad MUST go through Mike Wright, Jordan Cambra or Kyle Miller.

- 16.Consignors may not distribute, hand out, display or post personal supplemental sheets on Sale Day inside the sale barn. Additional advertisements are allowed on the assigned pens for your bulls. Any additional information that needs to be distributed outside of the EPDS or sales pen advertisement will need to be done so as a paid advertisement in the sales catalog. Please plan ahead to ensure your advertisements make it into the catalog.
- 17. All consignors are **required** to complete "**ONE work day**" **or** will be charged a fee of \$250.00. On Receiving day we will discuss your "work day" and finalize the schedule at that time. Work days will be established and assigned on 'Intake Day'. This will provide you plenty of time to prepare and plan.
- 18. **90 Day Bull Guarantee:** In an effort to collaborate with consignors and purchasers at the sale, we have established a new WBA minimum bull guarantee. Anything above the minimum guarantee is at the discretion of the consignor. Bulls will be guaranteed for 90 days from the date of the sale, for loss of use. Bulls will be replaced with a bull of equal value or a money back guarantee minus salvage value of the bull. Any bull with treatable conditions such as hoof rot, pinkeye will not be covered under this guarantee. All claims must be verified by an accredited veterinarian within this 90 day period and reported to the seller immediately. The buyer will be responsible for all costs related to the veterinary examinations. Veterinary examinations must be reported to the WBA board and the consignor within two days following the veterinary examinations, before a guarantee can be processed. All bulls selling for \$3,000 or more will be covered by the 90-day seller's guarantee. The guarantee will be strictly between the consignor and the buyer. Bulls sold below \$3000 are not covered by the guarantee. These bulls will need to be discussed and finalized between the buyer and seller, as the salvage value nearly covers the cost of these bulls.
- 19. Consignor agrees to these and all other terms and conditions set forth in the Rules and Regulations included in the entry packet mailed to you
- 20.Release,Indemnification and Hold Harmless Provision Read Carefully: Should the bull remain unsold at the time breach of the above conditions is discovered, it shall be excluded from the sale and seller shall release, hold harmless and indemnify WBA; Seller shall bear all costs. Should the bull have already been sold at the time breach of the conditions is discovered, Seller shall bear sole responsibility and liability (including attorney fees) for any actionable consequences of violation of the above conditions. Further, Seller shall release, hold harmless and indemnify WBA, its officers, for any and all damages to third parties or otherwise.

Read and agreed: Signed:		Date:		
Printed Name:	Address:	Phone:		
Email:				