



2019 NDBA Consignment Sale

*The 2019 NDBA annual consignment sale will take place under the format of a Simulcast Auction hosted by Quality Auction Services on **Dec. 14th, 2019** at The Radisson Hotel in Downtown Bismarck, ND. Bidding on the animals will be both live in the banquet room and also online simultaneously for the duration of the sale. Here is what you need to know before consigning or buying animals through this new sale format. **All Consignors will receive a free NDBA Membership and Commission is set at 3% for the sale.**

Consignors:

1. All animals must be consigned by **December 4th, 2019** so the NDBA can schedule to come video and photograph the animals being consigned.
2. Consignors will have sale animals penned separately from their other animals to create a clear visual of what the ranch is offering for sale.
3. Consignors will provide the NDBA with a list of the dangle tag numbers and colors to be cataloged for the sale.
4. **ALL ANIMALS MUST have some form of (Bangs tag, Federal Metal Tag, RFID Tag) permanent ID TAG that correlates with the Dangle Tag.**
5. Consignors are encouraged but *NOT* required to do additional testing on their animals to appeal to more buyers. All information in regards to testing will be posted ahead of the sale for buyers to have full disclosure on the animals offered and the potential for additional required testing that may be needed.
6. Consignors will notify at time of consigning whether they are open to providing additional testing on animals after the sale at the buyer's expense.
7. Consignors agree to holding animals for up to 7 days after the conclusion of the sale.. Any additional time needed by the buyer will be agreed upon outside of the realm of the NDBA between the buyer and seller.
8. Consignors will try to provide weights on their animals to the best of their ability with full disclosure as to how the weights were obtained and the type of scale used. If no weights are available, animals will be sold without weight data.
9. Consignors will guarantee healthy animals at load out. Transfer of risk will take place once the trailer gate is shut.
10. NDBA commission will be **3%** which covers auctioneers, marketing and production costs for the sale.

Buyers:

1. METHOD OF PAYMENT: Terms of sale are cash, cashier's check or bank money order. Personal checks will be accepted only if accompanied by a bank Letter of Credit or with prior approval of the sale management. Bidders using Quality Auction Services' online services must make payment arrangements prior to the auction and must register for bidding prior to the auction. Please go to <https://qas.hibid.com/> for details and instructions. Payment must be made in full on auction day. Animals will not be loaded until payment is made in full.
2. If additional testing on animals for travel is required, it must be agreed to with the consignor and will be the buyer's expense upon completion.
3. Buyer's are responsible for making arrangements with the consignor for load out date and time. If additional time over 7 days is needed, buyer must work that out with the consignor.
4. Buyers agree that weights provided to the NDBA are from the consignors and the NDBA has no way to verify that information.

Sale Terms:

1. NDBA acts only as agent and will assume NO RESPONSIBILITY in the event of injury or death to an animal or of a discrepancy between the buyer and the consignor. The consignor bears all risk of injury or loss for each buffalo until the loaded trailer gate is closed. Thereafter the buffalo is the property of the buyer and the buyer thereafter bears all risk of injury or loss.
2. All animals are guaranteed as represented by owners. All females vet checked with calf will be announced sale day. The NDBA, Auctioneer and Sale Management act only as agents. Any guarantees are strictly between the consignor and the buyer.
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