June 20, 2024

ATTENTION, PLEASE READ

The USDA Federal Order on testing and reporting Influenza A in cattle, must be followed in order to show Dairy Cattle at the New Jersey State Fair/Sussex County Farm & Horse Show. The Federal Order is as follows:

Mandatory Testing for Interstate Movement of Dairy Cattle

- Prior to interstate movement, non-clinical lactating dairy cows are required to receive a negative test for influenza A virus at an approved National Animal Health Laboratory Network (NAHLN) laboratory in addition to meeting the import state's testing requirements and a certificate of veterinary inspection (CVI).
- Nonlactating dairy cattle, including bull calves, dry cows, and heifers; and beef cattle are exempt from Influenza A testing for interstate movement.
- Movement tests are valid for seven (7) days from date of sample collection.
- For imported cattle attending a New Jersey Fair/Show, Influenza A testing is required for lactating dairy cattle in addition to meeting requirements in 2024 fair and show letter.
- Owners of herds in which dairy cattle test positive for interstate movement will be required to provide epidemiological information, including animal movement tracing.
- Sick Cattle are not eligible for movement. Dairy cattle herds tested positive for influenza A must wait 30 days and retested negative to be eligible for movement.

Also, all milk must only be disposed of in the bulk holding tank that is located in the Milking Parlor, or the additional bulk holding tank, supplied by the New Jersey State Fair[®]/ Sussex County Farm & Horse Show.

I acknowledge that I have read the above.

Date_____

Print Name_____

Signature _____

Farm Name_____