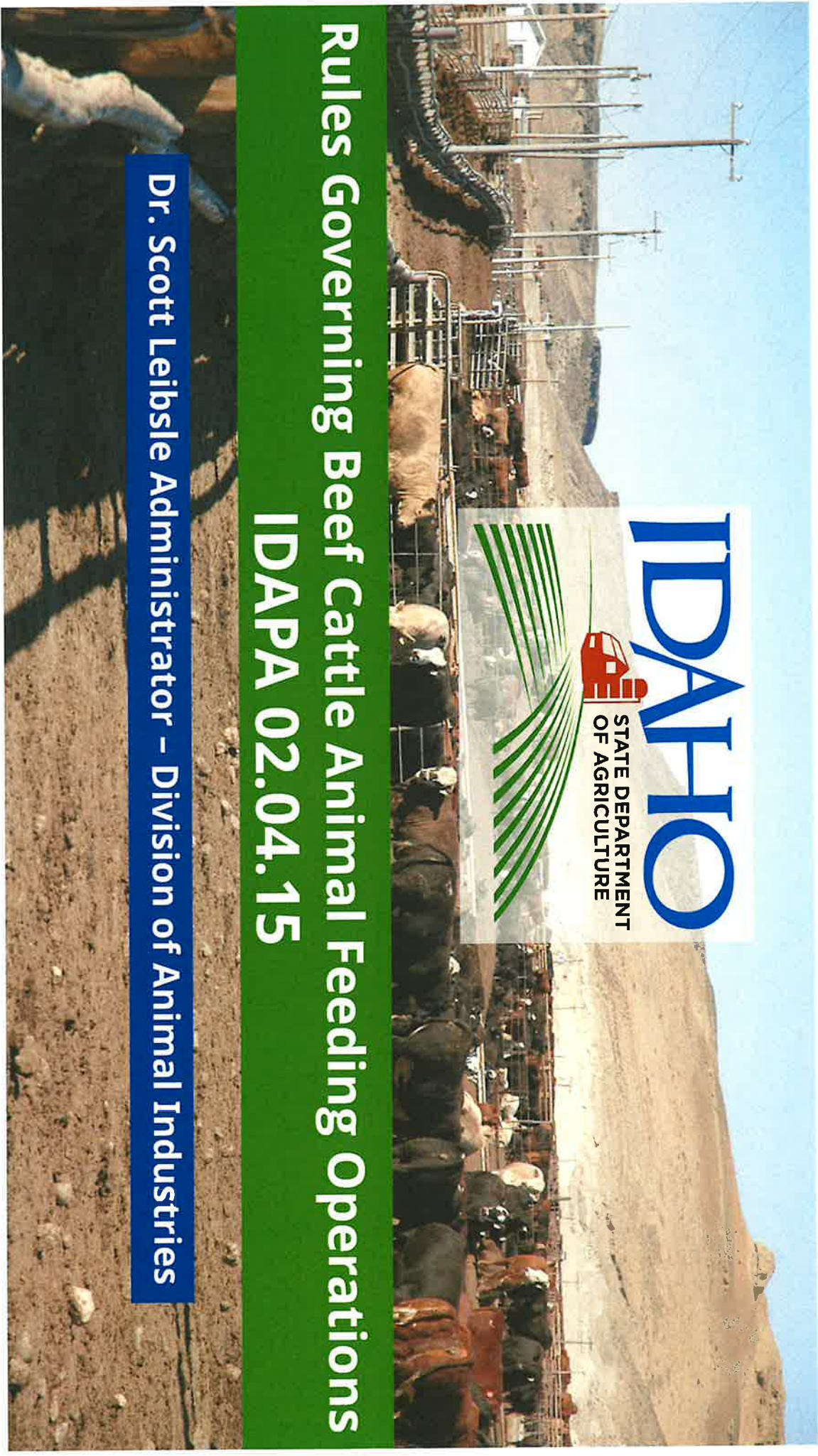


Rules Governing Beef Cattle Animal Feeding Operations IDAPA 02.04.15

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Regulatory Scope

This rule governs the storage and management of manure & nutrients produced on a beef CAFO facility to minimize impact to public health and the environment.

Beef CAFOs are required to:

- Maintain up-to-date **Nutrient Management Plan** that is reviewed annually

Manure & Nutrients must be:

- Stored in an **approved lagoon** that is inspected twice per year
- Land applied in an **agronomic** manner to the crop that will **prevent run-off**



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Program Summary

Concentrated Animal Feeding Operations (CAFOs)

- Feed cattle for a minimum of **45 days** in a **12-month period** (feeder/slaughter cattle; dairy replacements)
- Designated feedlot area cannot sustain vegetation or seasonal crop growth (feedlot vs. grazing)



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Large CAFO: >700 mature dairy cows; >1000 non-dairy cattle and/or veal calves (**NMP is mandatory**)

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Small CAFO: <200 mature dairy cows; <300 non-dairy cattle and/or veal calves

Idaho CAFO Inventory:

- Large CAFOs: 162 (29 CAFOs >10,000 head)
- Medium CAFOs: 384
- Small CAFOs: 937

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- Public meetings were conducted via video conference
- Multiple industry stakeholders participated in both meetings
- One written comment was submitted to the rulemaking record outside of the rule meetings, in support of the proposed changes

March 14, 2022

April 5, 2022

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Summary of Rule Changes

- IBR - Added Phosphorus Site Index Standard (PSI)
- Section 005.04 (pg 2) - Clarified definition of CAFO pertaining to multiple CAFOs under common ownership
- Section 005.12 (pg 2) - Defined Phosphorus Site Index
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- Red Tape Reduction (multiple sections)

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Regulatory Scope

- ▶ This rule governs the storage and management of manure & nutrients produced on a beef CAFO facility to minimize impact to public health and the environment
- ▶ Beef CAFOs must:
 - ▶ Maintain up-to-date, approved Nutrient Management Plans (NMP)
 - ▶ Review NMP annually
- ▶ Manure & Nutrients must be:
 - ▶ Stored in an approved lagoon that is inspected twice per year
 - ▶ Land applied in a responsible manner that is agronomic for the crop and will prevent run-off



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Program Summary

- ▶ **Concentrated Animal Feeding Operations (CAFOs)**
- ▶ Feed cattle (usually **feeder/slaughter cattle** or **dairy replacements**) for a minimum of 45 days in a 12-month period
- ▶ The designated feedlot area cannot sustain vegetation or seasonal crop growth (feedlot vs. grazing)



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- ▶ Definitions:
 - ▶ Large CAFO: >700 mature dairy cows; >1000 non-dairy cattle and/or veal calves (NMP is mandatory)
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