

Lakeland County V.S.I. (1980) Ltd. Program

Lakeland County has implemented a Veterinary Health Program for livestock producers residing within Lakeland County starting on **January 1, 2007**. The program will cover 30% of approved veterinary procedures when performed by a qualified veterinarian on livestock that are **owned** by or **controlled** by producers.

To be eligible to take advantage of this program, producers must register with Lakeland County. Once registered the producer will receive an ID card with an identifying number, this number must be provided to the veterinarian each time he/she performs an approved procedure on livestock. The number will be assigned to you by Lakeland County and will be your **own** personal ID number that **only you** can use for obtaining benefits under this program.

The program is available for most types of livestock raised for meat purposes

including beef and dairy cattle, swine, sheep, goats and non-traditional species such as bison, elk, deer, alpacas, llamas and ostrich; **horses are not included**. Please note that only 30% of the cost of approved vet procedures will be covered by this program and producers are responsible to pay the other 70% of the fees directly to the vet. Procedures such as castration, dehorning, hoof trimming, vaccinations, drugs & medicine and mileage are not covered by this program and must be paid at 100% by producers.

If you reside within Lakeland County and would like to register please contact the Lakeland County office, or complete and sign the attached form below to obtain a V.S.I. number as soon as possible if you plan on using veterinary services in 2007.

If you require additional information, please contact Vanessa Rayko, Public Services Clerk or Rick Ennis, Agricultural Fieldman at 623-1747.

To: Lakeland County
Rick Ennis, Agricultural Fieldman
P.O. Box 1679, Range Rd 4135 SH 663
Lac La Biche, AB T0A 2C0

Name: _____

Address: _____

Telephone: _____

Land Location(s): Qtr _____ Sec _____ Twp _____ Range _____ W4M
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Signature: _____