



Utah Department of Agriculture and Food

NRAE Interim Committee
May 15, 2024



Livestock Brand Board

(1) There is created the Livestock Brand Board consisting of seven members appointed by the governor as follows: (a) one feeder operator recommended by the Utah Cattlemen's Association; (b) three cattle ranchers, one from each of the state's brand districts; (c) one dairyman recommended by the Utah Dairymen's Association; (d) one livestock market operator recommended jointly by the Utah Cattlemen's Association and the Utah Dairymen's Association; and (e) one horse breeder recommended by the Utah Horse Council.



Brand Board Meetings Since 2020

Jun. 6, 2020

- Updates of the Online Brand Renewal application and registerable Brand locations.
- Review of slaughter inspection. Reviews of fees with consignment and online sales and rodeo.

Aug. 24, 2020

- Discussed Brand Fees and Voted upon changes.

Dec. 2, 2020

- Program Reviews. Updates to Trich and Brand Rules.
- Reviewed Board Positions and Receive Nominations.

Jan. 6, 2021

- Introduction of new Commissioner.

May 6, 2021

- Department updates and Reviewed Legislation.

Oct. 28, 2021

- Discussed agenda for December Meeting and discussed brand Inspector of the year award.

Dec. 2, 2021

- Voted in a New Chairman. Discussed the impacts and voted upon extending brand registration.

Mar. 17, 2022

- Discussed and voted upon annual Rodeo Stock Inspections and Inspection Fees.

June 28, 2022

- Demoed New Brand recording, investigation and inspection Program.

Dec. 1, 2022

- Updates and Reviews of Programs.
- Overview of RFID



Brand Board Meetings since 2023

June 26, 2023

- Reviewed and voted on beef check-off percent to UDAF
- Discussed getting an electronic way to collect brand inspection fees
- Discussed Horse travel permits and sale barn requirements
- Changing the brand book from a printed copy to a digital copy

Nov. 30, 2023

- Overview from all programs who deal with livestock and brands for the year
- Voted on Brucellosis Vaccination Requirements for the state







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Thank You

