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2021 Year in Review

Martin Paris, Executive Director, Nevada Cattlemen's Association

This year seemed to fly by, but not without some ups and down along the way. The Nevada livestock industry faced a drought like many of us have never seen before. If there was a silver lining, it seemed that the drought was so bad that our fire season was much less severe than in past years and that is something to be thankful for. The storms that much of Nevada saw at the end of October were much needed and hopefully continue through the winter.

I don't think I would be able to write a recap of 2021 without mentioning COVID-19. It's hard to fathom, but the first case of COVID in the U.S. was reported on January 20, 2020. I would have never thought we would still be experiencing its impact nearly two years later. While in-person meetings and events seem to be slowly but surely coming back, there is

no doubt that "normal" is taking its sweet time. As things remain out of whack, the Nevada Cattlemen's Association has taken to heart the unofficial Marine Corps mantra "improvise, adapt and overcome". I'm proud of the work that NCA has done through it all. It's not always easy, but it's always worth it.

Over the past year NCA held a successful 55th Annual Fallon All-Breeds Bull Sale. Sixty-four bulls went through the sale at an average of \$4,245. In conjunction with the sale, the Stock Dog Trials also had another successful year as well. I'd like to thank our Fallon Bull Sale Committee for all the work they put into hosting a top-notch event and look forward to the 56th Annual Sale on February 19th, 2022.

We also survived the 81st Session of Nevada's Legislature. This year's session was unlike any other

with much of the Legislative Session being conducted virtually. The format proved to be difficult for everyone involved. While we didn't win every battle, I'm happy to report that the livestock industry came out the other side relatively unscathed. I'd like to thank our lobbyist, Neena Laxalt, Legislative Affairs Committee Chair, Davy Stix, and NCA's Board of Directors and Officers for their work during this year's session. It was an all hands-on-deck operation, and we are lucky to have the group that we do.

NCA was also engaged on several different issues throughout the year with our federal and state partners. Whether it be federal tax code, animal disease traceability, habitat conservation, brand inspections

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2021 Nevada Beef Quality Assurance (BQA) Industry Progress Report

Ron Torell, NCA BQA State Coordinator

Raising "BEEF" following BQA guidelines has recently been recognized by the various segments of the feedlot and packing industries as well as our consumers as adding value to our product. The Nevada Beef Quality Assurance program (BQA), under the umbrella of the National BQA guidelines, originated in the

1990's under the direction of University of Nevada Cooperative Extension and University of Nevada College of Agriculture staff. The Nevada program certified over 1,200 Nevada beef producers from BQA's origination in the 1990's up to 2020. With the retirement of Nevada BQA Coordinators on and around 2010, the Nevada BQA program now relies on NCBA and its on-line BQA certification resources.

As Nevada's current BQA state coordinator, I am happy to report that BQA training and certification is alive and well. In 2021, largely thanks to the Nevada and National Cattlewomen's sponsored Stockmanship and Stewardship in-person cattle handling training session, an additional eighty-one individuals joined the list of BQA certified Nevada producers.

What is BQA?

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PRESIDENT'S PERSPECTIVE

Tom Barnes, President, Nevada Cattlemen's Association

This will be my last article as my tenure comes to an end. It has been an honor for me to serve as president for the Nevada Cattlemen's Association.

There certainly were challenges but anything that is rewarding comes with trials and tribulations.

The great thing about this organization is that as president, you don't serve alone. I want to thank the office staff for all they do to keep this association running smoothly. I also want to thank the other officers as well as the executive committee for providing direction for our organization; I appreciate their support and knowledge. We are very lucky to have such loyal volunteers, who feel so passionate about our industry, willing to step up and dedicate their time and resources to benefit all of us.

The issues facing our industry will continue to come fast and furious at the state and federal levels. Each legislative session seems to be harder to navigate through and I don't see that changing any time soon.

Even with the challenges facing us in the future, I feel confident that we will continue to succeed. This association has been working for our industry for generations and it will continue for years to come.

Incoming president Jon Griggs and his leadership team have a tremendous amount of knowledge and talent and are ready to address forth coming challenges. Thank you for your confidence in me and allowing me to serve as your president.

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or the many other topics that arose; NCA had a seat at the table to ensure that we can continue doing what we love, raising high quality beef. We also had representation in Nashville, Tennessee for the NCBA Cattle Industry Convention and the Public Lands Council Annual Meeting held earlier this fall. Both of which provided an opportunity for livestock producers to come together to learn new things and create paths forward regarding many of the issues the industry is facing today.

One last thank you goes out to outgoing NCA President, Tom Barnes. Tom took the reins of the Association during a tumultuous time and has led the charge with poise and grace. We recognize and appreciate all of his countless hours spent for the betterment of Nevada's beef industry.

As we move into 2022 there will undoubtedly be new challenges. Now more than ever it's important that we protect, promote, and preserve our heritage and the ranching way of life. We encourage you to invite your friends, neighbors, and associates to join the Nevada Cattlemen's Association and learn more about our association and what we do. Please feel free to contact the NCA office for more information at 1-775-738-9214 or visit our web page at www.nevadacattlemen.org. I look forward to seeing you all in 2022!

UPCOMING EVENTS

Nevada Cattlemen's Association Annual Convention & Trade Show

— December 9–11, 2021 —
Elko Conference Center
Elko, Nevada
nevadacattlemen.org

Silver State Classic Feeder Sale

— December 11, 2021 —
Fallon Livestock LLC
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<http://www.fallonlivestock.com>

NCBA Cattle Industry Convention & Trade Show

— February 1–3, 2022 —
George R. Brown Convention Center
Houston, Texas
<https://convention.ncba.org>

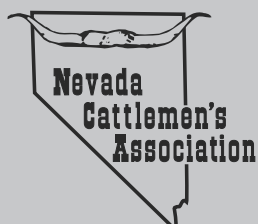
NCA 56th Annual Fallon All Breeds Bull Sale

— February 17–19, 2022 —
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MEMBERSHIP UPDATE

We would like to thank the following people for joining or renewing their membership with Nevada Cattlemen's Association between October 26 and November 25, 2021.
(New members are in bold.)

- Flying R J Ranch, Rick & Jerrie Libby
- **Lewis Cattle Oilers, Adriane McPhail**
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- Steve Neff Company, Steve & Nancy Neff
- Nevada Department of Agriculture
- The Wheeler Ranch, Frank R. Wheeler
- UNR Mineral County Cooperative Extension, Staci Emm
- USDA-APHIS Wildlife Services, Mark Ono
- **USDA NASS, Nevada Field Office, Curt Stock**
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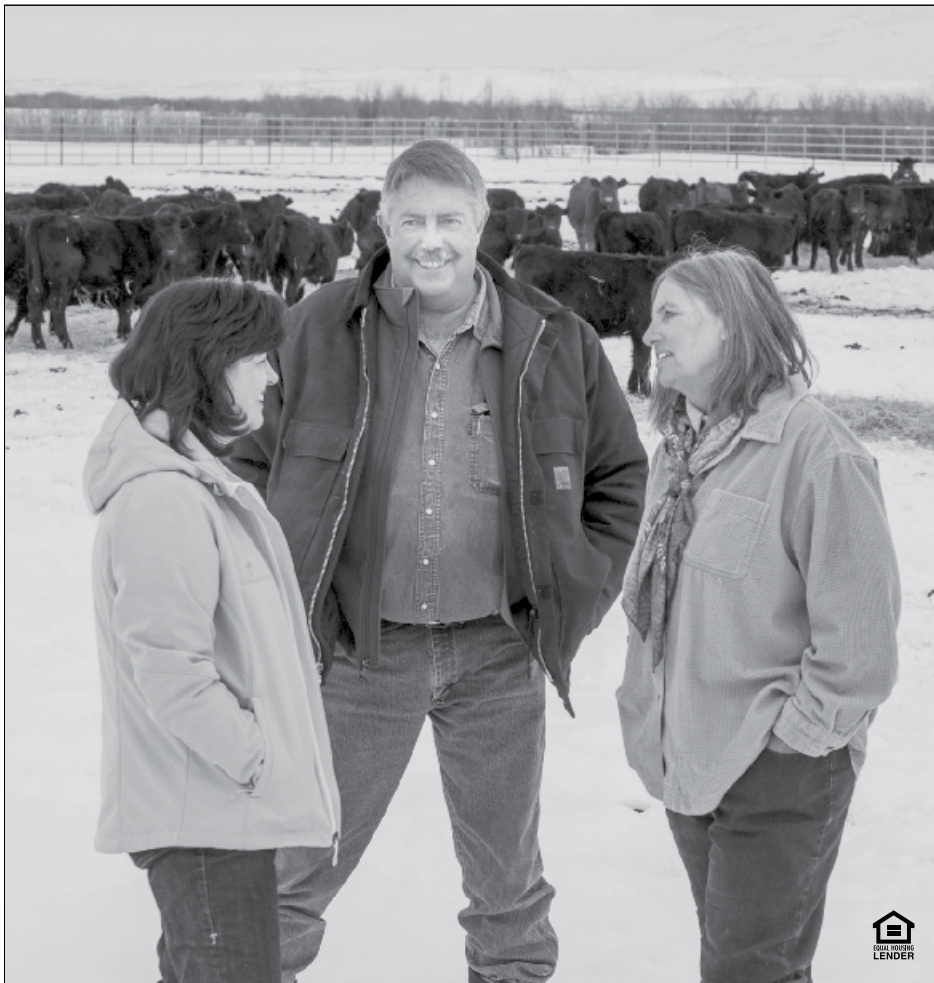


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state implemented program that provides systematic information to U.S. beef producers and beef consumers of how common-sense husbandry techniques can be coupled with accepted scientific knowledge to raise cattle under optimum management and environmental conditions. BQA guidelines are designed to make certain beef consumers are able to take pride in what they purchase and, furthermore, that they can trust and have confidence in the entire beef industry.

BQA programs have evolved to include best practices around good record keeping and protecting herd health which can result in more profits for producers. When better quality cattle leave the farm and reach the market place, the producer, packer, and consumer all benefit. When better quality beef reaches the supermarket, consumers are more confident in the beef they are buying, and this increases beef consumption.

The efforts of BQA across the nation have been instrumental in recent successes that continue to re-build and sustain beef demand. Through BQA programs, producers recognize the economic value of committing to quality beef production at every level - not just at the feedlot or packing plant, but within every segment of the cattle industry.

The guiding principles of BQA are based on these core beliefs:

- **WE BELIEVE** production practices affect consumer acceptance of beef.
- **WE BELIEVE** the BQA Program has and must continue to empower beef



producers to improve the safety and wholesomeness of beef.

- **WE BELIEVE** these fundamental principles are the fabric of the BQA Program.

*Empowering people...*because producers can make a difference.

*Taking responsibility...*because it's our job, not someone else's.

*Working together...*because product safety and wholesomeness is everyone's business.

Many of the video markets are asking for BQA certification as they list truck load lots of cattle.

Do not wait until you list your cattle to become certified or re-certified. Get on-line and get it done! Not only could it add value, but "it is the right thing to do."

Nevada Cattlemen's Association recommends that you and your ranch crew become BQA certified or get re-certified at <https://www.bqa.org/bqa-certification/certification/online-certification> . In-person training is available at cost, however, due to the lack of Nevada resources, interested producers are encouraged to consider the on-line cost-free avenue.

Questions about the Nevada BQA program can be directed to Ron Torell, NCA State BQA coordinator at 775-385-7665.

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If you are planning on bringing calves to the sale, please be sure to make arrangements by calling Tommy Lee, Owner, Fallon Livestock, LLC (775) 867-2020, (775) 741-4523; or for any questions contact Martin Paris, Executive Director, Nevada Cattlemen's Association at (775) 738-9214.

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Bipartisan Infrastructure Bill is a Win for the Cattle Industry

WASHINGTON (November 6, 2021) — Late last evening, the U.S. House of Representatives passed the bipartisan Infrastructure Investment and Jobs Act of 2021. The National Cattlemen's Beef Association (NCBA) is pleased to see the passage of this bill, as infrastructure investments are fundamental to the success of the U.S. cattle industry. NCBA Executive Director of Government Affairs Allison Rivera issued the following statement in response:

"The infrastructure package includes several key provisions that NCBA has long advocated for, including funding for the modernization of roads and bridges, funding for high-speed rural broadband, congressional commitment to the improvement of the federal permitting process for critical water-related investments and an additional 150 air-mile exemption for livestock haulers on the destination of hauls, providing much needed flexibility under current hours-of-service regulations.

"Investing in critical infrastructure is consistent with NCBA's mission to increase producer profitability. The ability for cattle producers to efficiently raise cattle, haul them safely and compete in a fast-paced global marketplace has a direct link to the economic stability of rural communities and a resilient food supply chain. We look forward to the president signing the bill and stand ready to ensure proper implementation."

NCBA and PLC Prioritize Local Conservation, Sound Science in Sage Grouse Scoping Process

WASHINGTON (November 19, 2021) — Today, the United States Fish and Wildlife Service (USFWS) announced the beginning of a scoping process on Greater Sage-Grouse management, a part of the agency's process to revise west-wide management plans through regulatory action. Public Lands Council Executive Director and NCBA Executive Director of Natural Resources Kaitlynn Glover issued the following statement:

"For years, ranchers have demonstrated that the conservation measures they have put in place on their private lands and on their federal grazing allotments have been the cornerstone of a holistic and successful conservation approach. Federal sage grouse plans have been tied up in court for years, and it's long past time that ranchers, land managers, and the agencies have a clear path forward. Ranchers' decades-long efforts across these habitats have yielded success, and future management plans must recognize their invaluable on-the-ground knowledge and expertise.

"As the Fish and Wildlife Service reviews the new information we will provide during the scoping process, they must focus on the things that will have the greatest impact on supporting the bird's habitat: sound science, partnerships with ranchers and land managers, and local efforts that prioritize 'big picture' conservation."

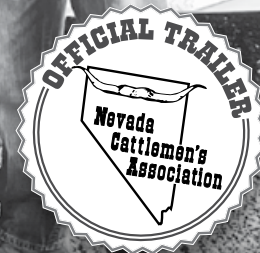
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Researcher Returns to Nevada to Make Genetic Improvements in Animal Herds

Andrew Hess joins the College of Agriculture, Biotechnology & Natural Resources

RENO, Nev. – The University of Nevada, Reno recently welcomed Assistant Professor Andrew Hess to the Department of Agriculture, Veterinary & Rangeland Sciences. Hess will be focusing his research on innovation in breeding and genetics using University herds and flocks.

As part of the University's Experiment Station, Hess will be working with cattle and the 1,800 head of Rafter 7 sheep at the Great Basin Research & Extension Center located in Eureka. The Rafter 7 sheep, initially developed about 30 years ago at the University's Experiment Station under the direction of Professor Emeritus Hudson Glimp, are famous for their fine wool and heartiness on marginal grazing lands. The Center, which opened last summer, addresses the related issues of sustainable grazing management of dryland rangelands; livestock and crop production under water-limited environments; and alternative water and irrigation strategies for crop production.

Hess will be conducting genetic research to breed animals that are more resilient and adaptable to climate change and disease. He is also collaborating with the United States Depart-

ment of Agriculture on multiple projects, including studying the litter sizes of lambs born into highly prolific sheep breeds and researching internal parasites of sheep. His research will benefit herds across northern Nevada by increasing their resilience while requiring less intervention to maintain high levels of performance.

Hess will also be continuing work that he started during his post-doctoral position at AgResearch, one of New Zealand's Crown Research Institutes. There, he worked with a variety of animals, such as goats, deer, sheep and mussels, to identify genetic markers that can be used to more accurately select animals for production traits.

He graduated from the University with his B.S./M.S. degree in biotechnology and is excited to return after having earned his doctoral degree at Iowa State University.

"I grew up in Nevada and attended UNR, so this was a great opportunity to work close to home," Hess said. "I'm excited to serve the community that helped me get where I am today."



Andrew Hess will be conducting genetic research on University herds and sheep to breed more resilient livestock.

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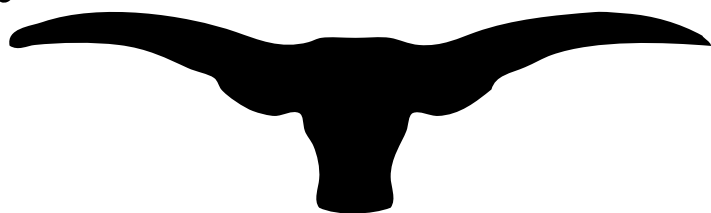
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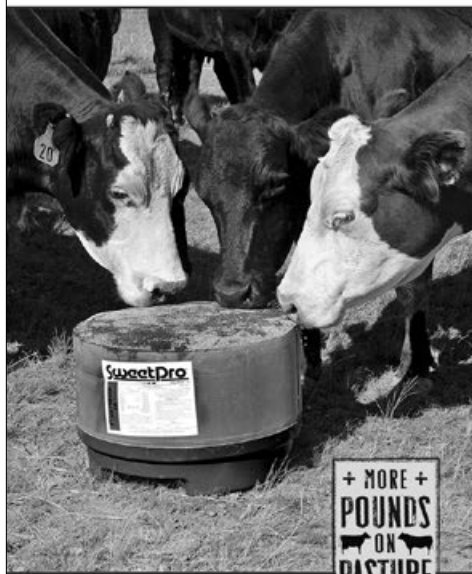
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Winter camelina, a cover crop, grows as part of research on cover crops being done at the University of Nevada, Reno Experiment Station's Valley Road Field Lab.

Photo by
Maninder K. Walia.

University Offers Series of Online Workshops on Soil Health Soil Health Key to Successful Food Production

RENO, Nev. – Whether growing crops for commercial agriculture or for a home garden, without healthy soil, crops will struggle. University of Nevada, Reno Extension is offering an online series of six workshops to help growers understand and manage soil health.

“Healthy soil is key to successful crop production,” said Maninder K. Walia, Extension assistant professor and field crop specialist, who has put the workshop series together. “By knowing the composition of your soil, how soils function, and ways to manage soil to promote short-term and long-term soil health, growers can prevent a lot of problems and make their job easier, as well as make their harvests more bountiful.”

The soil health workshops are Tuesdays and Thursdays, 9:30 – 11 a.m., Nov. 30 – Dec. 16. Presenters include faculty and researchers from the University’s College of Agriculture, Biotechnology & Natural Resources, as well as specialists from the Natural Resources Conservation Service and the Nevada Division of Environmental Protection. The workshops are free, but registration is required for each event. The workshops include:

Fundamentals of Soil Health, Nov. 30, presented by Walia. Walia will discuss basics of soil health, including soil properties and principles, and indicators of soil health. Register at <https://soil-health-online-series-1-fundamentals.eventbrite.com>.

How Soil Works, Dec. 2, presented by James Komar, Natural Resources Conservation Service state soil scientist. Komar will discuss how soils work, the ecological frame for soil function, soil behavior and responses to disturbance, and methods for optimizing soil function to meet both ecological and human objectives. Register at <https://soil-health-online-series-2-howsoilwork.eventbrite.com>.

Cover Crops – Nature’s Way, Dec. 7, presented by Marlon Winter, Natural Resources Conservation Service Soil Health Division regional soil health specialist. Winger will discuss cover crop functional groups, feed quality of several species and the attributes they provide, as well as give examples of grazing covers in the Intermountain West. Register at

<https://soil-health-online-series-3-covercrops.eventbrite.com>.

Soil Salinity: Causes, Effects and Management Options, Dec. 9, presented by Paul Verburg, University of Nevada, Reno associate professor of soil science in the Department of Natural Resources & Environmental Science. Verburg will discuss what processes cause soils to become saline, how soil salinity can impact soil health and crop production, and options to help manage saline soils. Register at <https://soil-health-online-series-4-soil-salinity.eventbrite.com>.

Winter Annual Cover Crop Systems for Soil Health Restoration and Forage Benefits, Dec. 14, presented by Juan Solomon, University of Nevada, Reno associate professor of agronomy in the Department of Agriculture, Veterinary & Rangeland Sciences. Solomon will discuss the dual-purpose benefits of different winter annual cover crop systems (both ecosystem and soil health benefits), and their forage potential that can offset cover crop establishment costs in Nevada. Register at <https://soil-health-online-series-5-winterannual.eventbrite.com>.

Preventing Soil Erosion on Agricultural Lands: Implementing Soil Conservation Practices to Improve Soil Health and Water Quality, Dec. 16, presented by Chuck Schembre, Nevada Division of Environmental Protection environmental scientist. Schembre will discuss common soil erosion issues on agricultural lands, the impact of erosion on watersheds, nutrient leaching to water bodies, best management and soil health practices for preventing and mitigating detrimental impacts of erosion, and how soil health can be used to improve watersheds while increasing farm and ranch resilience. Register at <https://soil-health-online-series-6-preventerosion.eventbrite.com>.

Registration is required for each workshop. An email with the Zoom link will be sent after a participant registers for a workshop. For more information, contact Linda Brown at Extension, 775-423-5121, ext. 221, or brownl@unr.edu. Persons in need of special assistance should notify the organizers three days prior to the event.

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