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AGENDA:

THE NEW MEXICO LIVESTOCK

BOARD MEETING:

IN-PERSON

FRIDAY, MARCH 20, 2026

CONVENE AT 9:00 A.M.

In-Person:

Grant County Veterans Memorial
Business & Conference Center
3031 Highway 180 East
Silver City, NM 88062

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1. Call to Order
 2. Roll Call
 3. Discuss/Act – Approval of Agenda for March 20, 2026, Board Meeting
 4. Discuss/Act – Approval of Minutes from December 15, 2025, Board Meetings
 5. Discuss/Act – Appeal of Estray
 - Saulsberry vs Saulsberry by Special Master R. Lar Thomas – 133-9-04459
 - Albert Lopez – 234-3-00276
 6. Discuss/Act - 2026 Legislative Matters:
 - FY27 Budget
 - NMDA Budget – Special Appropriations
 7. Discuss/Act – Ratify
 - Letter of Support for Continued Brand Inspection in Nebraska and Opposition to LB 1258
 - Firearms Range Contract with Central New Mexico Corrections Facility

8. Discuss / Act – Finance
 - 2025 Audit Report
 - Disposition of Assets
9. Discuss/Act – Delegation of Authority to NMLB Executive Director to sign contracts for day-to-day operational needs and disposition of certain properties.
10. Discuss/Act – Memorandum of Understanding’s
 - New Mexico Environmental Department
 - New Mexico Tribal Nations
 - New Mexico Governmental entities and Tribal Nations-Screwworm
11. Discuss/Act –Proposed Rule Changes
 - 21.30.7 NMAC EQUINE VIRAL ARTERITIS (EVA)
 - 21.30.6 NMAC BOVINE TRICHOMONIASIS
12. Verbal Updates
 - NM State Veterinarian - Dr. Samantha Holeck
 - MPI Executive Director – Eddie Behrends
 - Chief Law Enforcement Officer – Barry Allen
 - Executive Director – Belinda Garland
13. Discuss / Act – Meeting Date: June 2026
14. Executive Session - Closed Executive Session –
 - A. Pursuant to 10-15-1 (H) (7) Threatened and Pending Litigation
 - ❖ Nancy Henry v. NMLB et al. (D-202-CV-2020-04707)
 - ❖ Michael Cude v. NMLB (D-101-CV-2024-01211)
 - ❖ Wild Horse Observers Association Inc. v. Andre Biane, et al. (D-1329-CV-2024-00831)
 - ❖ Archuleta v. David Kent et al (D-101-CV-2025-00010)
 - ❖ High Plains Livestock, LLB et al. v NMLB et al. (D-911-CV-2017-00012; A-1-CA-40463)
 - ❖ Regensberg v. NMLB et al. (1:26-cv-00319-LF-JMR)

15. Discuss- Statement required by Section 10-15-1-(J) to close executive session.

16. Board Concerns / Other

17. Adjourn