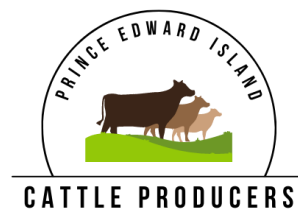


Beef Genetics Program (Agriculture Livestock Strategy)

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1 APPLICANT INFORMATION

Full Name:

Farm Name:

Mailing Address:

Email:

Telephone:

Home:

Cell:

Business Number or SIN:

Required under the Income Tax Act.

APPLICATION DEADLINE: February 28, 2027
All required documentation is required prior to that date.

Applications are accepted at any time and will be processed as received. Funds will be allocated first come first served according to date that COMPLETE application has been received.

Claimable activities must have occurred between April 1 and February 28 of the program year.

To be eligible for ANY funding, the following must be true:

- PEICP levies are paid and reported for the current year.
- Deadstock fees are paid for the current year.
- I/We are identified under Premises Identification Regulations. PID: PE99_____ *# required

Programs:

All available funding and required documents are listed under each program:

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Heifer Retention Page 3

Elite Sire Purchases Page 3-4

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2 SEED STOCK EVALUATIONS

2.1 Test Station Bulls or Heifers

Name of Test Station: _____

Tattoo #1	Tattoo #2	Tattoo #3
_____	_____	_____
Tattoo #4	Tattoo #5	Tattoo #6
_____	_____	_____

Available Funding & Criteria:

\$500 for consignment of bulls or heifers to Test Station for genetic evaluation. To be eligible, evaluations must include:

- ☐ Residual Feed Intake
- ☐ Growth traits measured (Average Daily Gain, Weight per day of Age)
- ☐ Carcass Ultrasound evaluation for ribeye area, backfat and intramuscular fat
- ☐ Full breeding soundness exam for bulls on test

Document Checklist:

- ☐ This application completed and signed.
- ☐ Proof of bulls or heifers on test (i.e. Maritime Beef Test Station weight report)
- ☐ *If Test Station is not Maritime Beef Test Station, proof that the evaluations listed above are completed

2.2 Home Test Bulls

Tattoo or ID #	Genomic Testing (\$50)	Carcass Ultrasound (\$50)	Breeding Soundness (\$100)	Mature Bull (\$100)
1 _____	☐	☐	☐	☐
2 _____	☐	☐	☐	☐
3 _____	☐	☐	☐	☐
4 _____	☐	☐	☐	☐
5 _____	☐	☐	☐	☐
6 _____	☐	☐	☐	☐

Available Funding & Criteria:

- ☐ \$50 for DNA Genetic Evaluation
- ☐ \$50 for Carcass Ultrasound Evaluation for ribeye, backfat and intramuscular fat
- ☐ \$100 for breeding soundness evaluation (Mature bulls eligible for breeding soundness only)

Document Checklist:

- ☐ This application completed and signed.
- ☐ On test weight report for home test
- ☐ Proof of DNA Genetic Evaluation results – tattoo and/or ID # must match application (Note: ensure sample is submitted to have results by deadline date)
- ☐ Proof of Carcass Ultrasound Evaluation results – tattoo and/or ID # must match application
- ☐ Proof of Breeding Soundness Evaluation results – tattoo and/or ID # must match application

Summary of Section 2:

2.1	Number of Test Station Bulls or Heifers applied for =	_____	x \$500 =	_____
2.2a	Number of Home Test Bulls applied for =	_____	x \$	_____
2.2b	Number of Mature Bulls for breeding soundness =	_____	x \$100 =	_____
TOTAL FOR SECTION 2 = (2.1 + 2.2a + 2.2b) =				_____

3 HEIFER RETENTION

CCIA Number and Herd ID Tag

3.1 Herd Numbers

Number of mature females (cows that have already had one calf) in your herd: _____

Number of Heifers requested: _____ x amount eligible (\$250 or \$300) = _____

Available Funding & Criteria:

- \$250 for eligible purebred heifer retained. To be eligible, heifers must:
 - be confirmed pregnant or proof of first calf at side must be provided
 - have at least three (3) production or carcass traits above average (EPDs)
- Bonus: \$50 for heifers with DNA evaluation (either through breed association or Neogen Igenity Beef)
- Animals are only eligible for this program once
- This program cannot be combined with any other grants or programs

The maximum number of heifers eligible will be ten (10) or 20% of the number of mature females in the existing herd (whichever is greater). Additional heifers could be eligible but may be prorated based on funding availability.

Document Checklist:

- ☐ This application completed and signed.
- ☐ Herd numbers completed above in 3.1
- ☐ Proof of veterinary confirmed pregnancy **OR** coordinate visual verification of calf at side with PEICP office
- ☐ EPD graph from breed website showing 3 EPDs above average OR Carcass Evaluation results
- ☐ Genomic Result (i.e IgenityBeef or ge-EPD) if applying for bonus

4 ELITE SIRE PURCHASE

4.1 Purebred Bulls

	Base Funding (\$650)	Bonus 1: RFI (\$300)	Bonus 2: Carcass Traits (\$200)	Bonus 3: DNA Eval. (\$50)
Breed: _____	☐	☐	☐	☐
Tattoo: _____				
Breed: _____	☐	☐	☐	☐
Tattoo: _____				

Available Funding & Criteria:

- \$650 for registered, purebred bulls that meet the following:
 - Registered with proof of ownership transferred to the applicant's name
 - Passed a breeding soundness exam
 - Adjusted yearling weight (365 day) of at least 950 lbs
 - A minimum of three (3) production or carcass EPDs above average
 - Specialty breeds that do not have EPDs will be evaluated on a case-by-case basis
- Bonus 1: \$300 for bulls with a negative residual feed intake (RFI)
- Bonus 2: \$200 for registered bulls with the following traits:
 - Intermuscular fat is greater than 3.5%, **OR**
 - Ribeye area is greater than 1.0 square inch per hundred pound of body weight, **OR**
 - Above breed average genomically enhanced EPDs in marbling or ribeye
- Bonus 3: \$50 for DNA evaluation (Genomic Testing – i.e. genomically enhanced EPDs)

Document Checklist:

- ☐ This application completed and signed.
- ☐ Breeding Soundness evaluation showing satisfactory potential breeder
- ☐ Record showing adjusted yearling weight of 950lbs minimum
- ☐ Proof of registration, ownership transfer and EPDs will be pulled from breed website unless provided with application
- ☐ Bonus 1: Record of Performance identifying bull and showing negative RFI
- ☐ Bonus 2 (one of the following):
 - ☐ Carcass ultrasound results showing intermuscular fat **OR**
 - ☐ Ribeye area meet requirements **OR**
 - ☐ Ge-EPDs will be pulled from the breed website unless provided with application
- ☐ Bonus 3: DNA Evaluation results

4.2 Hybrid F1 Bulls

	Base Funding (\$600)	Bonus 1: RFI (\$300)	Bonus 2: Carcass Traits (\$150)	Bonus 3: DNA Eval. (\$50)
Breed: _____	☐	☐	☐	☐
Tattoo: _____				
Breed: _____	☐	☐	☐	☐
Tattoo: _____				

Available Funding & Criteria:

- \$600 for registered, purebred bulls that meet the following:
 - Registered with proof of ownership transferred to the applicant's name
 - Passed a breeding soundness exam
 - Adjusted yearling weight (365 day) of at least 950 lbs
- Bonus 1: \$300 for bulls with a negative residual feed intake (RFI)
- Bonus 2: \$150 for registered bulls with the following traits:
 - Intermuscular fat is greater than 3.5%, **OR**
 - Ribeye area is greater than 1.0 square inch per hundred pound of body weight, **OR**
 - Above breed average genomically enhanced EPDs in marbling or ribeye
- Bonus 3: \$50 for DNA evaluation (Genomic Testing – i.e. genomically enhanced EPDs)

Document Checklist:

- ☐ This application completed and signed.
- ☐ Breeding Soundness evaluation showing satisfactory potential breeder
- ☐ Record showing adjusted yearling weight
- ☐ Proof of registration and ownership transfer will be pulled from breed website unless provided with application
- ☐ Bonus 1: Record of Performance identifying bull and showing negative RFI
- ☐ Bonus 2:
 - ☐ Carcass ultrasound results showing intermuscular fat **OR**
 - ☐ Ribeye area meet requirements **OR**
 - ☐ Genomically enhanced EPDs will be pulled from the breed website unless provided with application
- ☐ Bonus 3: DNA Evaluation results

Summary of Section 4:

4.1 Amount requested from Purebred Bull Purchase = (\$650 + applicable bonuses) = _____

4.2 Amount Requested from Hybrid Bull Purchase = (\$600 + applicable bonuses) = _____

TOTAL FOR SECTION 4 = (4.1 + 4.2) = _____

5 ELITE FEMALE & EMBRYO PURCHASES

Breed: _____ Breed: _____ Breed: _____
Tattoo: _____ Tattoo: _____ Tattoo: _____

5.1 Elite Females

Number of females in your existing breeding herd: _____

Available Funding & Criteria:

- \$250 for females with the following traits:
 - Pregnancy confirmation, or calf at side, by application deadline
 - Registered with ownership transferred to applicant's name
 - A minimum of three (3) production or carcass traits above average
 - Specialty breeds that do not have EPDs will be valued on a case-by-case basis
- Bonus: \$50 for DNA Evaluation
- Female is only eligible once in her lifetime

The maximum number of heifers eligible will be ten (10) or 20% of the number of mature females in the existing herd (whichever is greater). Additional heifers could be eligible but may be prorated based on funding availability.

Document Checklist:

- ☐ This application completed and signed.
- ☐ Proof of registration and ownership will be pulled from breed website unless provided with application
- ☐ Proof of veterinary confirmed pregnancy **OR** coordinate visual verification of calf at side with PEICP office
- ☐ EPDs that will be pulled from the breed website unless provided with the application
- ☐ For Bonus: DNA Evaluation results

5.2 Embryos

Available Funding & Criteria:

- 50% up to \$300 per embryo whose parents have the following traits:
 - Both parents of embryos must have a minimum of three production and/or carcass trait EPD above breed average to be eligible.
 - Only the purchase of viable embryos from genetically superior parents will be considered for assistance.
- Proof of purchase is required
- Proof of embryo implant is required

Document Checklist:

- This application completed and signed.
- Proof of purchase
- Vet confirmation that embryos have been implanted
- Sire and Dam Tattoos (Both parents of embryos must have a minimum of three production and/or carcass trait EPDs above breed average to be eligible.)

Breed: _____ Breed: _____ Breed: _____
Tattoo: Sire: _____ Sire: _____ Sire: _____
Dam: _____ Dam: _____ Dam: _____

Summary of Section 5:

5.1 Amount requested from Elite Female Purchase (\$250 + applicable bonuses) = _____

5.2 Amount requested from Embryo Purchase (50% up to \$300 per embryo) = _____

TOTAL FOR SECTION 5 = (5.1 + 5.2) = _____

6 TOTALS

	Total Funding Requested
Section 2: Seedstock Evaluations	\$ _____
Section 3: Heifer Retention	\$ _____
Section 4: Elite Sire Purchases	\$ _____
Section 5: Elite Female/Embryo Purchase	\$ _____
TOTAL	\$ _____

7 DECLARATIONS AND CONSENT TO USE PERSONAL INFORMATION

- The Recipient acknowledges that this Agreement, and information provided in respect of this Agreement may be subject to release under the Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy Act R.S.P.E.I. 1988, Cap. F-15.01. The Recipient may be consulted prior to release of any information.
- The Recipient acknowledges and agrees that in the event of the Work involves collection or use of personal information, it is subject to the Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy Act and that personal information may not be released to any third party or unauthorized individual.
- Personal information is collected under Section 31(c) of the Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy Act R.S.P.E.I. 1988, Cap. F-15.01 as it relates directly to and is necessary for the Prince Edward Island Livestock Strategy Program being delivered as part of the Canada - Prince Edward Island Sustainable Canadian Agricultural Partnership Framework and Bilateral Agreements. It will be used for determining eligibility for program assistance and will be shared with the Canada Revenue Agency regarding the taxable benefit and Agriculture and Agri-Food Canada regarding program management claims, audits, and evaluations of this program. Recipients of funding under the Prince Edward Island Livestock Strategy Program consent to the public release by Canada of their name, the amount of funding received, and the general nature of the project.
 - The Recipient agrees that information provided for purposes of the Prince Edward Island Livestock Strategy Program may be shared with the Canada Revenue Agency as it pertains to any potential taxable benefits, as well as with Agriculture and Agri-Food Canada or its agent regarding claims, audits, and evaluations as it relates directly to and is necessary for this contract being delivered as part of the Canada - Prince Edward Island Sustainable Canadian Agricultural Partnership Framework and Bilateral Agreements.
 - The Recipient agrees to participate in an evaluation and/or audit of the Prince Edward Island Livestock Strategy Program Understand that the Social Insurance Number, Business Number and/or Charity Registration Number is collected under the authority of *the Income Tax Act* for the purposes of reporting income;
- acknowledge that my/our completing this application form and by receiving advice from PEIDA or other program delivery agent does not oblige PEIDA or other delivery agents to provide funding;
- understand that failing to comply with all application requirements may delay the processing of the application, or may render me ineligible for receiving assistance under the program;

I, certify that the information given on this application is to the best of my knowledge complete, true and accurate.

Printed Name of Applicant

Signature of Applicant

Date

Submitting your application:

- Email Applications to: info@peicattleproducers.com
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