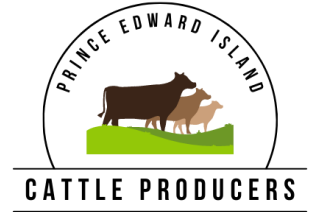


Beef Genetics Program (Agriculture Livestock Strategy)

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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 15, 2025

**Applications accepted at anytime and will be processed as received.
Funds are limited and payments may be prorated based on program uptake.**

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:

Seedstock Evaluations Page 2

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2 SEED STOCK EVALUATIONS

2.1 Test Station Bulls

Name of Test Station: _____

Tattoo #1 _____ Tattoo #2 _____ Tattoo #3 _____

Tattoo #4 _____ Tattoo #5 _____ Tattoo #6 _____

Available Funding & Criteria:

- \$500 for consignment of bull to test station for genetic evaluation. To be eligible, evaluations must include:
 - Residual Feed Intake
 - Genetic evaluation for production and carcass traits,
 - DNA evaluation for genetic potential,
 - Ultrasound evaluation for muscling, marbling, tenderness and fat cover,
 - Full breeding soundness exam

Document Checklist:

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

2.2 Home Test Bulls

Tattoo or ID #	Genomic Testing (\$50)	Carcass Ultrasound (\$50)	Breeding Soundness (\$100)	Mature Bull
1 _____	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
2 _____	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
3 _____	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
4 _____	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
5 _____	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
6 _____	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

Available Funding & Criteria:

- \$50 for DNA Genetic Evaluation
- \$50 for Carcass Ultrasound Evaluation for ribeye, backfat and marbling
- \$100 for full breeding soundness evaluation
- \$100 for breeding soundness evaluation for Home Test or Mature Bulls

Document Checklist:

- This application completed and signed.
- Proof of DNA Genetic Evaluation including:
 - proof of payment – invoice as well as proof of payment such as cancelled cheque or credit card receipt
 - evaluation results – tattoo and/or ID # must match application
- Proof of Carcass Ultrasound Evaluation including:
 - proof of payment – invoice as well as proof of payment such as cancelled cheque or credit card receipt
 - evaluation results – tattoo and/or ID # must match application
- Proof of Breeding Soundness Evaluation including:
 - proof of payment – invoice as well as proof of payment such as cancelled cheque or credit card receipt
 - evaluation results – tattoo and/or ID # must match application

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 or commercial heifer retained. To be eligible, heifers must:
 - be confirmed pregnant or proof of first calf at side must be provided
 - be a minimum of 825 lbs adjusted yearling weight (365 days)
 - have at least three (3) production or carcass traits above average using either EPDs or Carcass Evaluation
- Bonus: \$50 for heifers with DNA evaluation (either through breed association or Neogen Igenity Beef)

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
- Proof of 825 lb adjusted yearling weight (365 days)
- 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 (\$450)	Bonus 1 (\$300)	Bonus 2 (\$200)	Bonus 3 (\$50)
Breed: _____				
Tattoo: _____	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Breed: _____				
Tattoo: _____	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

Available Funding & Criteria:

- \$450 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.
 - Proof of purchase meaning invoice/receipt and copy of cashed cheque or credit card receipt
 - Breeding Soundness evaluation showing satisfactory potential breeder
 - Record showing adjusted yearling weight
 - 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:
 - Carcass ultrasound results showing intermuscular fat **OR** ribeye area meet requirements **OR**
 - EPDs will be pulled from the breed website unless provided with application
 - Bonus 3:DNA Evaluation results
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4.2 Hybrid F1 Bulls

	Base Funding (\$400)	Bonus 1 (\$300)	Bonus 2 (\$200)	Bonus 3 (\$50)
Breed: _____				
Tattoo: _____	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
 Breed: _____				
Tattoo: _____	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

Available Funding & Criteria:

- \$400 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 weaning weight 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.
- Proof of purchase meaning invoice/receipt and copy of cashed cheque or credit card receipt
- 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**
- EPDs will be pulled from the breed website unless provided with application
- Bonus 3:DNA Evaluation results

5 ELITE FEMALE PURCHASES

Breed: _____ Breed: _____ Breed: _____
Tattoo: _____ Tattoo: _____ Tattoo: _____
5.1 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 applicants name
 - Adjusted yearling weight (365 days) of at least 825 lbs.
 - A minimum of three (3) production or carcass traits above average
 - Specialty breeds that do not have EPDs will be evaluated on a case-by-case basis
- Bonus: \$50 for above average genomic evaluation scores for marbling, ribeye or tenderness
- Female is only eligible once in her lifetime

The maximum number of heifers eligible will be five (5) or 10% of the number for mature females in the existing herd, whichever is greater.

Document Checklist:

- This application completed and signed.
- Proof of purchase meaning invoice/receipt and copy of cashed cheque or credit card receipt
- Proof of veterinary confirmed pregnancy **OR** coordinate visual verification of calf at side with PEICP office
- Record showing adjusted yearling weight
- Carcass traits can be verified through:
 - EPDs that will be pulled from the breed website unless provided with the application **OR**
 - Carcass evaluation results
- Proof of registration and ownership transfer will be pulled from breed website unless provided with application
- Bonus 1: DNA Evaluation results

6 TOTALS

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

Note: funding is limited and may be prorated based on program uptake.

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
- Mail to:
 - Prince Edward Cattle Producers
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 - Charlottetown, PE C1A 7Z5