

Canadian Farm Animal Genetics Resources Foundation-Questionnaire

1. Are you aware that annually, Canadian animal agriculture accounts for slightly more farm cash receipts than plant agriculture?

Yes ____ No ____

2. In spite of this fact, did you know that Research funding at Agriculture and Agri-Food Canada is invested disproportionately at a ratio of more than 3:1 in favour of plant agriculture?

Yes ____ No ____

3. The Foundation proposes a national conference be held in the first half of 2011 to define the future of livestock agriculture in Canada and the scientific and infrastructure research investments needed by the Federal government to achieve this goal.

Would you and/or your organization support and participate in such a conference?

Yes ____ No ____

4. Are there other issues that should be discussed at such a conference?

5. Any additional comments:

Please return this questionnaire by mail, fax or email to:

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Thanks for your input.

Note: we urge all organizations involved in the agriculture and food industry to review the Spring 2010 report of the Auditor General: Chapter #5-Scientific Research –Agriculture and Agri-Food Canada Office of the Auditor General- www.oag-bvg.gc.ca.