

2026 Breeding Heifer Validation Program

Texas 4-H/FFA Spring Validation



Parental Waiver

I, _____, being the parent or legal guardian

of _____, a minor and an exhibitor (hereinafter referred to as Exhibitor) in the 2026-2027 Texas 4-H/FFA Junior Livestock Heifer Program, am unable to be present during the Heifer Validation Process and at the time hair samples will be collected for heifer identification purposes.

I hereby authorize the _____ County Level State Heifer Validation Committee to complete the validation process for Exhibitor's heifer(s) in his/her presence. I recognize that he/she is a minor child and will be acting without my parental guidance and oversight.

Finally, I agree and acknowledge that because I am not able to be present during the Heifer Validation Process, I hereby waive any and every right to challenge, question, or contest any and all actions or inactions of the County Level State Heifer Validation Committee during the Validation Process for Exhibitors heifer(s). As parent and/or legal guardian of Exhibitor(s), I fully understand and acknowledge that if the requirements for the validation of his/her heifer(s) are not completed correctly, (1) the heifer(s) will not be eligible for competition in the Junior Livestock Heifer Program at Major Livestock Shows, and (2) I hereby agree to hold harmless for any and all purposes and to relinquish any present or future claims against all members of the County Level State Heifer Validation Committee and/or other person(s) that participated in my attempted validation of Exhibitor's heifer(s).

Date

Signature of Parent or Legal Guardian

NOTE: A Parental Waiver/Hold Harmless Agreement does not substitute a parents' or legal guardians' signature on any of these forms or hair sample envelope(s)