

## Market Animal Tagging/Validation:

- Market animals will be tagged by the exhibitor. There will be no validation sites. Below is a timeline on market cattle tagging and small animal (sheep, swine and goats).
  - Market Cattle:
    - Order form opens (tags will be ordered online at KY State Fair website) – **January 26<sup>th</sup>**
    - Deadline to order tags – **February 26<sup>th</sup>**
    - DNA Envelopes must be in hand (Mallory Trenkamp, KY State Fair) – **March 26<sup>th</sup>** *or before first preview/district show exhibitor wants to attend.*
  - Small Animal (Sheep, Swine and Goats):
    - Order form opens (tags will be ordered online at KY State Fair website) – **March 29<sup>th</sup>**
    - Deadline to order tags – **April 30<sup>th</sup>**
    - DNA Envelopes must be in hand (Mallory Trenkamp, KY State Fair) – **May 28<sup>th</sup>** *or before first preview/district show exhibitor wants to attend.*
- An instructional video to order tags and tag/pull DNA on exhibitor's animals will be sent out in the coming weeks. Notice that order forms are open for tags will be sent out via email and posted on Kentucky State Fair social media accounts.