



NOTICE OF PUBLIC RULEMAKING HEARING

FOR AMENDMENTS TO

**Administration and Enforcement of the Alternative Livestock Act
§§ 35-41.5-101-117 C.R.S.**

8 CCR 1205-2

Notice is hereby given pursuant to § 24-4-103 C.R.S. that the Department of Agriculture will hold a public rulemaking hearing:

DATE: December 16, 2015
TIME: 9:00 am
LOCATION: Colorado Department of Agriculture
Big Thompson Conference Room
305 Interlocken Parkway
Broomfield, Colorado 80021

The purpose of this rulemaking is to provide clarification that make the rule easier to read and understand; update language; terms; and definitions. Revisions will also reflect changes in industry practice, address board concerns, and clarify the rules while encouraging the development of the alternative livestock industry within Colorado. These amendments incorporate changes as a result of the Department's Regulatory Efficiency Review Process.

The statutory authority for these rules is §§ 35-41.5-105 (2) (a) through (g), 105 (3), C.R.S.

Any interested party may file written comment with the Commissioner's office prior to the hearing, or present at the aforementioned hearing written data, views or arguments. A copy of the proposed rule is available on the Department of Agriculture's website at www.colorado.gov/ag or may be obtained by calling 303-869-9002. The proposed rule shall be available for public inspection at the Colorado Department of Agriculture at 305 Interlocken Parkway, Broomfield, Colorado during regular business hours.

