

March 1, 2009

Dear Cattlemen,

What a winter! Calving is just around the corner for us. Before we get busy and tied down with that, we wanted to update you on the bulls.

They are doing well at Pesek Farms and are scheduled to be weighed off test, ultra sounded for carcass traits and receive their breeding soundness exams within the next month (by the first or second week of April). At that time, we will be sending out an updated bull sheet with the addition of this data.

To ensure you are clear on what our private treaty bull purchases include for you as a buyer of Best Angus bulls, this has been and will continue to be our commitment to your purchases:

- If you have selected a bull from the pen and he does not pass his breeding soundness exam performed by High Plains Vet Clinic (Dr. JJ Hovde) or is injured or dies at Pesek Farms after you have purchased him, you will be offered your money back or credit (your purchase price) to the current years selection of bulls or a future selection – your choice. We will notify you if any of these things happen immediately so you can make alternate arrangements for your bull battery.
- Our pen at Pesek Farms is available to us until turn out time. We will continue to cover the feed and yardage and any management / vet expenses on the bulls until delivery to you.
- We offer free delivery in North Dakota, South Dakota, Montana and Minnesota provided that we can arrange multiple animal deliveries (multiple purchases from you or a combination of your and other individual's cattle). We will work on an individual case by case basis to arrange other delivery options for buyers outside our delivery area or individual animals traveling further distances.
- If you choose to bring your trailer and take the bull(s) home with you (after they have completed their performance test and breeding soundness exams), we will deduct \$50.00 per head from your purchase price.
- We offer a first year breeding guarantee. If the bull does not breed cows or is injured and cannot breed cows his first breeding season, we will offer you a credit of your purchase value on him toward a future selection of bulls or females from Best Angus. We will also do our best to find a replacement for him for the current breeding season if need be.

We hope that you will be able to look through the bulls. They have been healthy and are gaining well. There is one group of full brothers that are standouts in the pen across the board. They are the Right Time's out of the '149' cow. If you have multiple bull pastures and seek consistency in your calf crop, this set of full brothers would work really well for you. There are just a handful of bulls that are sold.... there are very good beef bulls still in the pen. To view them, call Pete or me any time.

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Sincerely,
Pete, Vawnita and Kyle Best