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## FOUNDATION FACTS

### WHAT FBA NEEDS IS A LOT OF GOOD NEW MEMBERS!

The purpose of FBA is to foster, promote and advance the improvement of the Beefmaster breed throughout the world. It follows that the more people we have fostering, promoting and advancing these goals, the more we can accomplish.

Look around at your fellow members – you'll always find several who really put out a lot of effort to make FBA a success. But they cannot do it all on their own.

A successful organization should enjoy steady and wholesome growth. Toward this end, each of us needs to work to recruit members, especially those we feel would be an asset to our association. A good starting spot is when we sell animals to a non-member, always tell them about FBA. Make our literature and video available to

them, and encourage them to join FBA. We should not feel that we need to be in a numbers race with other breed associations; instead, gaining good members who share our breeding principles should be our goal.

Each year, there are breeders who do not renew. Mary sends them a letter encouraging them to reinstate; perhaps a personal contact would be effective. Check your new 1994 FBA membership book to see if any breeders in your area failed to renew. You can have a positive effect on our membership if you contact them and encourage them to reinstate in our association. Membership is an area where the efforts of all of us count.

Bob Boswell  
Membership Committee

### HEART-OF-AMERICA HELD THEIR 16TH ANNUAL BEEFMASTER PRODUCTION SALE AT MT. VERNON!

The Heart-Of-America Beefmaster Association held their 16th Annual Production Sale in Mt. Vernon, Missouri on April 9th.

Charles and Edna Rainwater had the Grand Champion Futurity Bull and Reserve Grand Champion Futurity Heifer.

The thirteen month old bull weighed in at 1,210 pounds and was the highest selling yearling bull in the 16 year history of H.O.A.

This is the third year in a row Rainwater Beefmasters have had a Grand Champion in the Heart-Of-America Beefmaster Association sale.



*Grand Champion Futurity Bull in the H.O.A.'s 16th Annual Production Sale. Owned by Charles & Edna Rainwater.*



## Editor's Mail

Dear Mary,

Enclosed are two certificates. This fella bought two bulls and all we had was his check. Well the check got deposited before we realized we had no address for him. So we've kept the papers and waited for him to call.

He finally called so we can now transfer.

Received the flyers and posters for our H.O.A. Field Day, they really turned out nice. Thank you!

Our H.O.A. sale turned out good. Gerry Holmes was there and we met him for the first time. He is such a nice pleasant man.

We have a sale this weekend with MO KAN (Jack Gregory). Hope it is as good as the weekend before.

Thanks for your help!!

Sincerely,  
Roy & Iris Ratliff  
CRIB Creek Beefmasters

Dear Mary

It was nice seeing you and Bob. I will remember him in my prayers

I have enclosed the photo of the bull Gerry Holmes and I purchased at the Lasater Ranch. He was a spring 93 calf. He weaned at 679 pounds, with a yearling weight of 1,056 pounds.

Gerry and I believed that to purchase the bull as a partnership, we would maximize our investment. He is presently grazing the green grasses in Alabama.

Love to all,  
Ron Freeman



*Bull purchased by Gerry Holmes and Ron Freeman from Lasater Ranch.*

*Our condolences to the  
Kuykendall family.  
Spencer Kuykendall  
passed away and was  
buried at  
Vaughan, New Mexico on  
April 21, 1994.*

*Congratulations to  
David & Susan Wilganowski  
they are the proud parents of a 8  
1/2 pound baby boy born on  
April 25, 1994!*

# RANCHERS CALL ON BABBITT TO CHANGE GRAZING PROPOSAL

**New Advisory Council Memberships Are Stacked Against Ranchers, Roughly 8-2**

WASHINGTON – Leaders of America's ranching industry today called on Secretary of the Interior Bruce Babbitt to make major changes to his proposed rangeland reforms. Without the changes, they said, many family-run ranches throughout the West will be forced out of business, damaging local economies and harming the rangeland environment.

"Unless Mr. Babbitt makes many major changes in his proposal," Randall Brewer, the President of the Public Lands Council said, "I fear that a great number of small and medium sized ranchers will be forced off the land, reversing the trend of rangeland improvement that ranchers have implemented, ending a generations old way of life that has been a hallmark of the West. I urge the Secretary to hear our voices and change his proposal."

Babbitt testified today before the Senate Energy and Natural Resources Committee on grazing issues. No other witnesses were permitted to testify, prompting ranching leaders to express hope they will be permitted to testify at the next hearing on grazing.

Among the problems cited in the Babbitt plan are the composition of the newly created Multiple Resource Advisory Councils (MRACs), the 100% hike in the grazing fee, the Federal government's ownership of improvements and water rights, the "fallback" provisions that are slated to go into effect in eighteen months and several other changes ranching leaders fear will put them out of business and lead to the environmental degradation of the range.

"While there are many provisions in the new plan that threaten America's family ranchers," said Ken Spann, Chairman of the Federal Lands Committee of the National Cattlemen's Association, "there are some that are particularly cause for concern. These provisions are unfair and don't necessarily reach the Secretary's stated goal of local empowerment."

Among these concerns are the makeup of the MRACs. While it has been widely assumed that five of the fifteen seats on these new, local councils will go to ranchers, Spann pointed out that under the language of the Babbitt proposal, chances are only one or two will go to ranchers while at least eight will go to those who have traditionally not supported ranching on federal land.

According to the proposed rule as published in the March 25th Federal Register, the five supposed "rancher" seats will go to "persons representing commodity industries, developed recreational activities, or use of public lands by off-highway vehicles."

Of the five remaining non-governmental seats, the rule states they will be reserved for "nationally or regionally recognized environmental or resource conservation groups and wild horse and burro interest groups, from representatives of archaeological and historical interests, and from representatives of dispersed recreational activities."

"The deck is stacked against ranchers," said Barbara Curti, a Nevada rancher and President of the Nevada Farm Bureau. "It's not only stacked, but because environmentalists are exempted from local residency requirements that apply to others, it contains an unfair wildcard for use only by one party at the table. The secretary needs to rework these councils."

Brad Little, an Idaho rancher and Chairman of the Public Lands Committee of the American Sheep Industry Association said, "The impact of the Secretary's proposal on the sheep industry will be devastating. The industry is already going through a very hard economic time. Without significant changes this proposal will put the final nail in the coffin of the western sheep industry."

According to Leonard Benson, the President of the Association of National Grasslands and a South Dakota rancher, "When you combine the costs of the higher grazing fees with the higher costs of the plan's additional regulations, they create a very difficult burden for the ranching community. I hope Mr. Babbitt will take advantage of this hearing and change his plan."

**Behind every  
successful rancher  
is a wife who  
works in town.**

# WELCOME NEW MEMBERS

## MISSOURI

### BRYCE BEEFMASTERS

Rosalie Bryce  
Rt. 2, Box 136A  
Conway, MO 65632  
417-468-7817  
Rendition: 4  
Origin Charles Rainwater

## RUNNING S BEEFMASTERS

Richard or Robert Squibb  
Route 1, Box 265-B  
Marionville, MO 65705  
417-258-2656  
Rendition: 7  
Origin: Chester Meyer and  
Roy & Iris Ratliff

## TEXAS

### SANDY BROWN BEEFMASTERS

Sandy Brown and Jeff Brown  
P.O. Box 511  
Lexington, TX 78947  
409-773-4409 (Home)  
409-542-3686 (Work)  
Rendition: 59  
Origin: Beard, Thorndale,  
Waggoner-Granger

# ? INQUIRIES ?

PF	<b>ALABAMA</b> Mark E. Jones Rt. 1 Box 161 Anderson, AL 35610	BF	Mark Beasley P.O. Box 1095 Indiantown, FL 34956	DJ	<b>LOUISIANA</b> Michael R. Powell Rt. 1, Box 198 Port Barré, LA 70577	Tele	L.L. Martin 517 S. 105 East Place Tulsa, OK 74128	Tele	A. Knight P.O. Box 655 Charlotte, TX 78011	MM	Francisco Javier Cardova Roblero Ana Isabel Condeido S/N Frontera Comalapa Chis 30140 Mexico
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AA - Agricultura De Las Americas  
AC - Alabama Cattleman  
ACB - Arkansas Cattle Business  
BF - Beef  
CG - Colorado Cattle Guard  
CM - Mexican Cattleman  
CM - The Cattleman  
CSC - Cascade Cattleman  
DJ - Drivers Journal

ED - Education  
FC - Florida Cattleman  
KS - Kansas Cattleman  
LC - Louisiana Cattleman  
LMD - Livestock Market Digest  
LN - Livestock News  
MBC - Missouri Beef Cattle  
MF - Missouri Cattle Business  
MM - Mail & Miscellaneous

MR - Missouri Ruralists  
NMS - New Mexico Stockman  
NCA - Nat'l Cattleman Assn.  
OC - Oklahoma Cattleman  
PF - Progressive Farmer  
RM - Ranch Magazine  
RS - Record Stockman  
SGF - Stockman Grass Farmer  
SBP - Southern Beef Producers

TCB - Tennessee Cattleman  
Tele - Telephone  
TFS - Texas Farmer Stock  
WFS - Western Farmer Stockman  
WLJ - Western Livestock Journal  
WSF - Wyoming Stockman Farmer  
YB - Yearbook

# BUYERS' AND SELLER'S GUIDE

## ALABAMA

**For Sale:** 5 polled Beefmaster bulls, 16-18 months.

### LOVVORN BEEFMASTERS

Fred Lovvorn  
P.O. Box 117  
Rocky Branch Road  
Woodland, AL 36280  
Day: 205-568-3402  
Night: 205-449-6186

## ARIZONA

**For Sale:** Two year old herd sire. Sired by Mr. America. Size and conformation excellent.

Robert Ott

### OTT BEEFMASTERS

P.O. Box 2723  
Page, AZ 86040  
602-645-3927

## ARKANSAS

**For Sale:** 8 certified Beefmaster cows, 3 & 4 years old in second trimester of pregnancy. Four certified Beefmaster cows calving in May. Good selection of yearling and two two year olds. Delivery available.

Howard Froud & Sons

### FROUD BEEFMASTERS

4067 Hwy 157  
Step Rock AR 72081  
501-728-4267 or 728-4880

## MISSOURI

**For Sale:** 12 yearling bulls and 10 heifers.

Bill Bishop

### ST. CLAIR BEEFMASTERS

RR 4, Box 339  
El Dorado Springs, MO 64744  
417-876-2529

**For Sale:** Weaned heifers, spring pairs, bred cows for fall and winter calving.

Fall calving 3 in 1's, Purebred and commercial quality bulls.

### SANTANA RANCH BEEFMASTERS

Rick and Gail Newman  
Rt. 2, Box 117-32  
Willard, MO 65781  
417-742-2204

**For Sale:** Not just bulls, **HERD SIRE PROSPECTS.** Casey, Lasater, Buster & Hargis genetics.

### SQUIRES BEEFMASTERS

Paul C. Squires  
Rt. 4, Box 295A  
Troy, MO 63379  
314-528-8120 (Home)  
314-338-4591 (Office 8 to 12 am)

**For Sale:** Yearling and 2-Year old FBA Certified bulls, call for details.

### RS RANCH BEEFMASTERS

Roy & Tanya Schoenbeck  
Rt. 1, Box 158  
Bourbon, MO 65441  
314-732-4590

**For Sale:** 23 Ziler Beefmaster yearling bulls. Performance tested and guaranteed.

### ZILER BEEFMASTERS

Mike Ziler  
Route 1  
Reeds, MO 64859  
417-246-5604

## NEW MEXICO

**For Sale:** Yearlings; Coming two-year olds; four bulls; four years old and older.

### SHOCKEY BEEFMASTERS

Pete and Wanda Shockey  
Rt. 2, Box 532  
Alamogordo, NM 88310  
505-437-7630 (Evenings)

**For Sale:** Two five year old herd sires. Casey genetics, from Casey semen bull 1/107. Excellent genetics.

### KUYKENDALL BEEFMASTERS

P.O. Box 436  
Vaughn, NM 88353  
505-584-2813

## SOUTH DAKOTA

**For Sale:** 5 pairs; 2 ten year olds and 3 eight year olds; cows with calf at side.

### Paul M. Juel

RR3, Box 21  
Canton, SD 57013  
605-987-5872

## TEXAS

**For Sale:** 6 Bulls quality bloodlines. Three sired by the grandson of Robert E. Lee and Millcreek. Three sired out of Golden Pride and Schexnayider. 15 months to 4 years.

Kenneth & Linda Schexnayider

### CRESCENT J RANCH

### BEEFMASTERS

Route 4, Box 427  
Temple, TX 76501  
817-985-2204

**For Sale:** Pairs and Bred Females.

Watt M. Casey, DVM

### CASEY BEEFMASTERS

Box 458  
Albany, TX 76430  
915-762-2440  
915-762-2605

**For Sale:** 26 purebred 2-4 year old females to begin calving September 1.

Bred to our top herd sires.

Skipper & Blake Duncan

### DUNCAN BEEFMASTERS

4124 Sherwood Way  
San Angelo, TX 76901  
915-942-8040

**For Sale:** Two and three year old bulls, Casey genetics. Bangs free herd. Prices from \$1,000 to \$1,500.

Bunky and Floy Smith

### LAZY S BEEFMASTERS

Route 1, Box 79  
Detroit, TX 75436  
903-632-5760

**For Sale:** 3 year old AI son of Lasater #513.

### SALT CREEK BEEFMASTERS

Don Fields  
P.O. Box 98  
Robert Lee, TX 76945  
915-453-2638

## UTAH

**For Sale:** Two long yearling bulls. Lasater genetics. 100% guaranteed.

### SORENSEN BEEFMASTERS

Jerry Sorensen  
4128 S. 5500 W.  
Hooper, UT 84315  
801-731-2908

# CORRAL OF EVENTS

- May 13-14, 1994** FBA Board of Directors meet in Denver office.
- May 21, 1994** SPBB Annual Field Day to be held at Scheller Ranch at Los Alamos, California  
Call Carson Scheller for details at (805) 344-5901 (See ad page 6)
- June 4, 1994** BEEF "ON" FORAGE Field Day to be held in Lexington, Texas  
For details call: Gary J. Frenzel (817) 983-2901 or Clifton Marek (409) 884-4931
- August 20, 1994** SWBB will hold their Annual Field Day at Snowflake, Arizona.  
Details available later.
- September 13, 1994** Lasater Ranch - 10:00 am Bred Cow & Heifer selection  
4:00 pm retired herd sire auction
- September 14-15, 1994** Lasater Ranch - 8:00 am Yearling Bull Selection
- September 24, 1994** HOA Field Day at Crib Creek in Kansas City. More details available later.
- October 1, 1994** 1994 San Angelo Beefmaster Fiesta at San Angelo, Texas. - 10:00 am - Producers Auction  
300 Performance-tested bulls; 200 Pairs and heavy springers.  
Contact Laurie Lasater (915) 949-3763
- October 15, 1994** CTBB Beef "On" Forage Bull sale will be held in Brenham, Texas.  
Details available later.
- November 3, 4 & 5, 1994** **FBA ANNUAL CONVENTION IN SPRINGFIELD MISSOURI**

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