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Weekly Price Summary for August 8, 2019

Canadian Finished Bison Prices Soften as U.S prices Decline

With the Canadian dollar fluctuations, please confirm prices offered by buyers as they may change daily.

With the ample supply of market ready bison, Canadian buyers are offering \$4.90 – \$5.10/lb. HHW for Grade “A” bison bulls with some previously contracted prices being higher. Prices are being driven by US demand and exchange rates favoring the U.S. Carcasses that do not fall within buyers’ specifications are discounted. U.S. buyers are offering up to \$4.00/lb. US HHW for Grade “A” bulls - down 30 – 40 cents per pound compared to a month ago with a portion of the decline being driven by limited returns on hides as well reduced prices on product destined for the pet food market. Heavier carcass bulls are being discounted. Returns to the producers are dependent on exchange rates, quality, and export costs.

Grade “A” bison heifers in the desirable weight range are selling for \$4.70 - \$4.80 /lb. HHW. US buyers are offering up to \$3.80/lb. HHW in US dollars.

***Producers should research what parameters the prices are based on. Parameters such as Canadian or US delivery, weight ranges, age etc. This will assist them in comparing prices on an even basis. ***

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