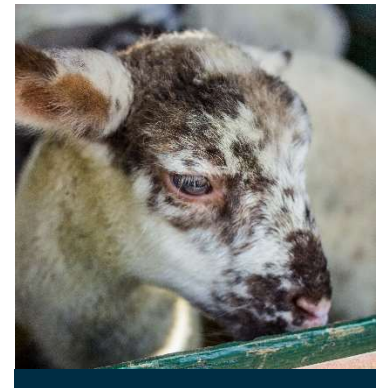




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Regulatory Authority and Program Requirements

- **State authorities:**

- Public Act 466, as Amended - Authority to create zoning orders and circles
- Zoning orders allow for implementation of the MOU requirements (MOU is required for bovine TB split-state status)

- **Federal authorities and program requirements:**

- 9 Code of Federal Regulations
- Uniform Methods & Rules 2005
- Official Notices and Memoranda



Indemnity

- Michigan's MOU with USDA specifies when USDA will provide indemnity for animals in the TB program.
- USDA does not offer indemnity for animals that are suspects or testing conducted outside the MAZ, if that testing was not required by MDARD or USDA programs.

Indemnity

- Producers are paid indemnity by USDA
- Indemnity is calculated the same, regardless of TB zone.
- The indemnity calculator changed to USDA wide table values in Nov. 2020 and that table was updated in April 2021.
- There is modification allowed for certified organic cattle

Going Forward

- We will continue to work collaboratively with USDA VS, USDA WS, MDNR, and our industries on efforts to eradicate TB.
- We routinely evaluate progress and make program changes, based upon available resources, regulatory authorities, and agreements/requirements from USDA.

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