

Public Notification

To: Interested Parties

From: SCS Global Services

Re: Notification of AWS Certification at Miltrim Farms, Athens, Wisconsin

AWS Site reference number: AWS-010-INT-CAB-00-01-00015-0101

Summary: Miltrim Farms is seeking Alliance for Water Stewardship™ (AWS) certification for their facilities in Athens, Wisconsin. Miltrim Farms, Inc. consists of two (2) livestock facilities located west of Athens, WI.

The location of the facilities includes:

- Headquarters Facility: The address of the headquarters is 1715 W. Townline Road.
- Heifer Facility (Old Dairy): The address of the Old Dairy (heifers) is 2056 W. Townline Road.

Please contact SCS Global Services with any comments regarding this certification (contact information below).

Miltrim Farms will be undergoing an AWS Certification Audit on **July 22 and 23**. The Farm houses approximately 4,205 animal units at the two livestock facilities. Animal types include 2,200 dairy cows and 1,100 dairy replacement heifers. The dairy controls approximately 5,280 cropland acres to produce livestock feed and distribute manures. The certification evaluation will be conducted by SCS Global Services (SCS), an AWS-accredited Conformity Assessment Body. AWS certification evaluates whether the use of water at a particular site is socially equitable, environmentally sustainable, and economically beneficial.

Performance shall be evaluated against the AWS International Water Stewardship Standard (Version 1.0; 2014). A copy of the standard and more information about AWS is available at: <http://www.allianceforwaterstewardship.org/aws-standard-system.html#aws-standard>

SCS welcomes public participation in the form of in-person or written commentary. When possible, SCS will arrange to meet with interested parties; ideally, all comments should be submitted before the evaluation commences. All submissions should be supported with objective evidence, whenever possible. Comments will be kept confidential upon request.

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