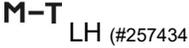




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10-2026	2/25/2026	1 – Bull, Black Angus, 2 yrs old	None	White ear tag with 431	Freeze brand 4551 / LH Circle with D in Center, LH / Iowa Brand	600 Pease Bottom Rd., near Hysham	Treasure	Alan Erickson, Clancy, MT	
9-2026	2/11/2026	50 – Cows & 45 Calves, Angus Cross, Black – Red, 2 yr old cows and 8 mo mixed calves	 	Ranch tag – Yellow w-Ranch logo and Z with 4 digit numbers	None	Gross / Redmond Unit	Big Horn	Padlock Ranch Co. Ranchester, WY	2/11/2026: 6 Cows were found / 44 cows still missing
8-2026	1/26/2026	1 – Black Angus Steer, 20 months		None	None	6641 Hwy 89, Belt, MT	Cascade	B & JJ Inc. Belt, MT	
7-2026	1/24/2026	5 – Angus cows, Black, 4+ years in age	 	Yellow Ear Tags	Possible – some had old brands	10-11 miles N of Ryegate on Hwy 238	Golden Valley	William D Burgan, Jr. or Chase Burgan, Roberts, MT	
6-2026	1/27/2026	30 – Black Angus, Mixed Females, Black or Red	 	Orange, Yellow, Red, Purple Ear Tags	Possibly	10 miles SE of Roundup, South of Bender Rd	Musselshell	Tammy Boucher, Roundup, MT	



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5-2026	1/12/2026	8 – Heifers, 2 years old, Blk Angus	LL7 RR (#153268) (4 with LL7 Brand) LB RH (#140351) (4 with LB Brand)	LL7 = GT w/Red fly tag LB = YT w/Red fly tag	None	251 Pelzman Rd., NW of Choteau on Teton Canyon Rd.	Teton	Jerry Stott, Leonard Blixrud, Choteau, MT	Resolved 1/26/2026
4-2026	1/11/2026	1 – Angus Cross, Heifer, Black, 1 yr	None		None	5 miles east of Belt	Cascade	Mark Bourdean, Belt, MT	
3/2026	1/15/2026	8 Cows, 4 Calves, 1 Bull Red Angus	3 RR (#200873)	Cow – Red ear tags Calves – Yellow/Red	None	Duck Creek Forest Service	Broadwater	Plymale Brothers, Townsend, MT	
2-2026	1/9/2026	3 – Blk Angus Heifers, coming 2 year olds	J◇ LR (#133210) ◇◇ LH (#121672)	J◇ Heifer has blue tag in right ear ◇◇ Heifers have orange tag	None	N of Brumfeld Rd T25 R19E Section 18	Stillwater	John W Griffel, Jacob E Griffel, Columbus, MT	
1-2026	1/5/2026	1 – John Mule, Chestnut, 18 years White socks on all 4 legs, brown spots on back socks, white spot on top of rump	None		None	Sundial near ranch headquarters	Custer	Charles R Harris, Jr., Miles City, MT	Resolved 1/26/2026



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28-2025	12/18/2025	1 – Bull, Blk Angus, 4-5 years	 LR (#147834)	Maybe white tag	 RS (#123087)	Missing from owner's address	Cascade	Blake Standley, Cascade, MT	
27-2025	12/4/2025	2 – Blk Angus calves, 8 months	 RH (#125377)	Yellow tag, left ear	None	6641 Hwy 89, Belt	Cascade	B & JJ Inc. Belt, MT	
26-2025	12/3/2025	8/8 – Cows, Angus, Black, Mixed ages	None	Green tags  (#200386) In top	None	South of Glasgow in Whitmeyer Valley Grazing	Valley	Mike Stuber, Washington	
25-2025	11/13/2025	1 – Haflinger Mare, Sorrel color 1 – John Mule, Black color	None		None	Rhodes Draw, Kalispell	Flathead	Tim Viano, Kalispell, MT	
24-2025	11/18/2025	10 Pair, Cow/Calves, Blk Angus, ages 3-7	 RR (#181574)  RR (#195897)  RR (#148476)	Orange tags White tags 2 or 3 digit numbers	None	S of Pine Unit Rd and E of Liberty Rd W T12N R58E Sec 23, 24, 25	Wibaux	Tim Casey, Glendive, MT	



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23-2025	11/24/2025	4 – Angus Cross Steers, 18 mo., Red or Black	Y _{LR} / South Dakota Brand		Yes – Various	Cherry Creek Wild Horse Subdivision	Rosebud	Jason Reed, Faith, SD	
22-2025	11/8/2025	6 – Yearling mixed calves	U _{LR} (#171289)			Eden Hall South	Cascade	Jeff Solomon, Winifred, MT	
21-2025	11/5/2025	1 – Angus bred heifer, coming 2-year-old, black	O _{LJ} (#159679)	Ear tag – White #2403 Bangs tattoo	None	End of Road – 2 nd Ashheldt Road	Cascade	Jessica Bliss, Fort Shaw, MT	
20-2025	11/5/2025	3 – Angus Cows, Black, 2 yrs 3 – Angus Heifer Calves, Black, 8 mo	K-◇	Yellow tags Green tags	None	Brad Schaffer pasture, west of Power, MT. on Seventh Rd NE	Teton	Kane Olsen, Dillon, MT	
19-2025	11/5/2025	3 – Yearling Bulls 1 - Yearling Heifer 5 – Mixed Calves Charolais / Charolais Cross	None		None	Not described	McCone	Clint or Gaylene Casterline, Wolf Point, MT	



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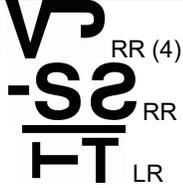
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18-2025	10/20/2025	1 – Angus Bull, Black, 4 years	 LH (#259342)	Earmarks: Yellow "5", Pink "5"	 LR	Chippewa Creek Rd	Fergus	Walter & Kelly Wichman, Hilger, MT	
17-2025	9/8/2025	1 – Charlois Bull, White, 3 years	 RH (#218086)	Yellow ear tag, left ear	None	Dry Creek, Hwy 384, MM 8-10	Big Horn	Elauna Nelson, Hardin, MT	
16-2025	9/4/2025	13 – Black Angus, Cow/Calf Pairs, various ages	 RH (#125377) Calves - No Brand	1 Cow – tag #640	None	Unknown	Cascade	B & JJ Inc. Belt, MT	
15-2025	7/23/2025	1 – AQHA Gelding, Black/Dark Brown, 13 years					Rosebud	Avalee Little Whirlwind, Lame Deer, MT	Reported as Found
14-2025	7/7/2025	98 head, Females, Mixed breed, 12-15 months, Black – Reds, Baldy	Rafter Star / LR / Freeze	Orange EID tags	 LS or RR, LS	8 Miles North on Dry Crk Rd – 9 Mile Creek	Big Horn	Rafter Star Ranch, Banner, WY	



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13-2025	7/21/2025	3 – Black steers / Yearlings	 LH Brand registered to Michael Wallewein / COO 3/2025	Yellow ear tags – right ear	None	2 West & 1 Northwest of Ledger	Pondera	Hank Zomer	
12-2025	6/23/2025	6 – Angus 1 – Jersey Milk cow 2 yr + Females	 RR (4) RR LR	Tattoo left ear: K24, K1, K694, K1, K80	None	Missouri Breaks	Garfield & Petroleum	Tim or Sarah Browning, Winnett, MT	
11-2025	6/23/2025	1 – Black Angus – Holstein Cross Bull 1 – Red Angus X Jersey Heifer Age: 11 months	None	Heifer – dark lines on face	None	Romine Sub Division – Rock Creek Lane	Treasure	John or Darcy Peck, Hysham, MT	
10-2025	6/4/2025	2 – Angus (Black) / 1 6-yr old Cow and 1 bull calf	 RR	957 Yellow tag Frozen ears and tail	None	31577 Highway 81	Fergus	David A or Stella A Weinheimer, Lewistown, MT	
09-2025	5/19/2025	1 – AQHA Sorrel Gelding, 5 years old	 RT	None	None	Powderville near Spring Creek School	Custer	Cole Trexler, Powderville, MT	



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08-2025	4/1/2025	1 – Black Cow	PT RR	None	None	7 mi N of Geyser	Judith Basin	Thompson Family Trust, Geyser, MT	
07-2025	4/17/2025	1 – Angora Mix Goat, yearling female, White with gray freckles	None	Green tag 0402 (Herd ID 3961)	None	49 Yellowstone Drive, Columbus T2S R20E Section 21	Stillwater	Myah Tymon, Coumbus, MT	
06-2025	3/31/2025	1 – Quarter Horse Gelding, 21 years, Color: Cremello Approx 1000 lbs, 14 Hands (Barrel Horse)	None	None	Other: Surgery marks under chin, left upper lip from sarcoid removal, tatoo lower eye lid, right side neck under mane 5 spots, sarcoid on left shoulder	Unknown	Unknown	Tara Moore, Rosebud, MT	Resolved 6/12/2025
05-2025	3/2025	9 – Angus (red and black) spayed heifers, 18-20 mo	DS LH (#167773)	Spay tags	Various from public auctions	West Creek Ranch	Park	Sargent Ranches, Shawmut, MT	
04-2025	3/1/2025	10 – Black Angus heifers and young cows (Owners ran cows together on this lease)	FA RH (#131160) Feddes (2) (v) RR (#225535) Hofner (3) RB RH (#151417) Van Dyke (2) g RR (#182854) Van Dyke (2) W LH (#172180) Van Dyke (1)	Number freeze brand	None	Greely Creek Ranch – S of I-90, East of Livingston	Park	Paul or Nathaniel Feddes Phillip Hofner Lee Van Dyke Ron Van Dyke David Van Dyke)



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03-2025	2/20/2025	1 – Red Angus Cow (5-6yo)	 RH (#259284)	Tag #026 / Red / Both ears	 RR	W of Joliet-Fromberg Rd / T5S R22E Section 34&35	Carbon	Bar WR Brand LLC dba Whiskey Ranch Land & Cattle Joliet, MT	
02-2025	1/8/2025	2 – Angus (Bull & Steer)	 RH (#125377)	None	None	6641 Hwy 89, Belt Upper Pasture	Cascade	B & JJ Inc. Belt, MT	
01-2025	1/9/2025	10 – 1 yr old Black Angus Heifers (possible missing an additional 10 head)	 LR (#137350)	White or Yellow tags, Left ear notch	None	South of Augusta, 1/2 mile, Hwy 287	Lewis & Clark	Rhett Young, Augusta, MT	