

One of the most common questions the Meat & Poultry Bureau gets is, "Where can I take my beef to have it slaughtered and state inspected?" The answer is at one of the **state-inspected** facilities listed below. Livestock that is slaughtered and processed at a state-inspected plant can, with the proper licensing and labeling, be wholesaled or sold retail. A livestock owner could, for example, sell state-inspected meat at a farmer's market or to a local restaurant. In contrast, **"custom slaughter"** meat is stamped "not for sale," and must go back to the owner of the livestock. Meat and meat products intended for shipment across state lines must be slaughtered and processed at a **USDA federally inspected facility of CIS (Cooperative Interstate Shipping) facility**. .

State Inspected Establishments						<i>Last Update: January 8, 2026</i>
Est #	Name	Location	License Type	Dept of Livestock License #	License Status	Establishment Type
	Slaughter and Processing					
003	Lolo Locker	Lolo	Slaughter + Processing	2076	Active	State Inspected
004	School House Meats	Missoula	Slaughter + Processing	1936	Active	State Inspected
006	Double K Ranch Montana	Darby	Slaughter + Processing	2161	Active	State Inspected
007	Lower Valley Processing	Kalispell	Slaughter + Processing	1647	Active	State Inspected
009	Feddes Family Meats	Manhattan	Slaughter + Processing	1801	Active	State Inspected
012	Superior Meats	Superior	Slaughter + Processing	2011	Active	State Inspected
013	Prairie Meats	Lothair	Slaughter + Processing	2271	Active	State Inspected
014	Farm-To-Market Pork	Kalispell	Slaughter + Processing	1871	Active	State Inspected
015	UpNorth Meats	Shelby	Slaughter + Processing	3K4H	Active	State Inspected
016	L & S Meat Processing	Dell	Slaughter + Processing	1409	Active	State Inspected
018	Bar MW Meats, LLC	Corvallis	Slaughter + Processing	3K2V	Active	State Inspected
020	Elk Country Meats, LLC	Moore	Slaughter + Processing	3K4Q	Active	State Inspected
024	RomanArch DBA Hamilton Packing	Hamilton	Slaughter + Processing	1954	Active	State Inspected

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	Processing					
115	Grotto Meats	Bozeman	Processing	2059	Active	State Inspected
118	Terminal Meats	Butte	Processing	1657	Active	State Inspected
122	Discount Meats	Great Falls	Processing	1964	Active	State Inspected
126	Western Meat & Sausage Block	Butte	Processing	1661	Active	State Inspected
132	Luz's Mexican Food	Great Falls	Processing (Food Products)	1727	Active	State Inspected
138	Lil Red Caboose	Kalispell	Processing (Food Products)	1815	Active	State Inspected
144	Louie's Montana Beef Pasties	Deer Lodge	Processing (Food Products)	2043	Inactive	State Inspected
164	Craig's Meat Processing	Savage	Processing (Jerky Products)	2082	Active	State Inspected
171	MCE Food Factory	Deer Lodge	Processing (Institution Meals Only)	2150	Active	State Inspected
172	Montana State University Meat Lab	Bozeman	Processing (School Only)	2166	Active	State Inspected
173	New England Chowder DBA Yellowstone Soup Co	Big Timber	Processing (Food Products)	3K4B	Active	State Inspected and CIS
182	Sovereign Warrior	Darby	Processing (Jerky Products)	3K42	Active	State Inspected