



Deadlines and Schedule 2020 Beef Replacement Heifer Project

- ✓ Must have ownership of heifer on or before December 15th, 2019. Bill of Sale must be reflective of this date.
- ✓ Project Agreement Form must be completed and returned to the California Mid-State Fair Administration Office no later than 4:00p.m. Thursday, January 9th, 2020.
- ✓ Heifers must be bred to calve between September 1st, and December 1st, 2020, Therefore, they must be bred no later than March 1st, 2020.
- ✓ If you have met the first ownership deadline of December 15th, 2019, and subsequently, received approval from Fair Management, a substitute heifer may be allowed only if a health or breeding problem occurs; and, is owned by the exhibitor on or before the 120 day ownership deadline, which is March 27th, 2020.
- ✓ **Note:** The Fair Administration Office will be closed from Saturday, December 21st, 2019 through Sunday, January 5th, 2020. Office will reopen from the holidays on Monday, January 6th, 2020.
DNA testing of all animals will be done, with kits available on Feb. 1st, 2020 for Steers and Heifers. DNA kits will be due at the same time as the 120-day paperwork Deadline, which is due in the Fair Office no later than Friday March 27th, 2020 by 4:00 p.m.

Enclosed is the Project Agreement Form. If you have any questions, please call the Fair Office at (805) 239-0655 or email joannswitzer@hotmail.com.