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Voluntary Movement Controls

To support the Canadian Food Inspection Agency (CFIA), the Feather Board Command Centre (FBCC) is strongly recommending that all movement of poultry, poultry products and poultry-related equipment into or out of the buffered zone areas be limited as much as possible until CFIA movement controls are in place.

As a reminder, the links to the buffered zone maps can be found here:

Waterloo/Wellington area Thamesford

If movements into or out of the buffered areas cannot be averted, the following procedures should be implemented:

- 1. Heightened biosecurity protocols completed by all personnel involved on-farm and in vehicles moving within zone/between farms.
- 2. Flock health records (changes in water and/or feed consumption, flock health, production data or any veterinary advice) need to be maintained.
- 3. All details of travel route(s) followed should be logged and kept on file.

Please be aware that the Canadian Food Inspection Agency may put any placements within these two 10km zones under quarantine.

FBCC is committed to providing timely communications to Ontario's poultry industry and will continue to keep you updated as the situation develops.

In the meantime, we encourage anyone witnessing birds showing any signs of illness, to contact their veterinarian, immediately. It is also recommended that you contact the 24-hour Feather Board Command Centre (FBCC) support line, 1-877-SOS-BYRD.

Visit the Feather Board Command Centre's website at www.fbcc.ca for more information.

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