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Form ETA-790A  
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**A. Job Offer Information**

1. Job Title * Winter Herder								
2. Workers Needed *		a. Total		b. H-2A		Period of Intended Employment		
		1		1				
3. Begin Date * 11/29/2022						4. End Date * 5/1/2023		
5. Will this job generally require the worker to be on-call 24 hours a day and 7 days a week? * If "Yes", proceed to question 8. If "No", complete questions 6 and 7 below.							<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	
6. Anticipated days and hours of work per week *							7. Hourly work schedule * a. ____ : ____ <input type="checkbox"/> AM <input type="checkbox"/> PM b. ____ : ____ <input type="checkbox"/> AM <input type="checkbox"/> PM	
a. Total Hours		c. Monday		e. Wednesday		g. Friday		
b. Sunday		d. Tuesday		f. Thursday		h. Saturday		
<b>Temporary Agricultural Services and Wage Offer Information</b>								
8a. Job Duties - Description of the specific services or labor to be performed. * (Please begin response on this form and use Addendum C if additional space is needed.) See Addendum C								
8b. Wage Offer *		8c. Per *		8d. Piece Rate Offer \$		8e. Piece Rate Units/Special Pay Information \$		
\$ 2231.50		<input type="checkbox"/> HOUR <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> MONTH		\$ _____				
9. Is a completed <b>Addendum A</b> providing additional information on the crops or agricultural activities and wage offers attached to this job offer? *							<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	
10. Frequency of Pay. * <input type="checkbox"/> Weekly <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Biweekly <input type="checkbox"/> Monthly <input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify): <u>N/A</u>								
11. State all deduction(s) from pay and, if known, the amount(s). * (Please begin response on this form and use Addendum C if additional space is needed.) See Addendum C								



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**B. Minimum Job Qualifications/Requirements**

1. Education: minimum U.S. diploma/degree required. *			
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> None <input type="checkbox"/> High School/GED <input type="checkbox"/> Associate's <input type="checkbox"/> Bachelor's <input type="checkbox"/> Master's or Higher <input type="checkbox"/> Other degree (JD, MD, etc.)			
2. Work Experience: number of <u>months</u> required. *	6	3. Training: number of <u>months</u> required. *	0
4. Basic Job Requirements (check all that apply) *			
<input type="checkbox"/> a. Certification/license requirements		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> g. Exposure to extreme temperatures	
<input type="checkbox"/> b. Driver requirements		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> h. Extensive pushing or pulling	
<input type="checkbox"/> c. Criminal background check		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> i. Extensive sitting or walking	
<input type="checkbox"/> d. Drug screen		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> j. Frequent stooping or bending over	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> e. Lifting requirement <u>50</u> lbs.		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> k. Repetitive movements	
5a. Supervision: does this position supervise the work of other employees? *	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	5b. If "Yes" to question 5a, enter the number of employees worker will supervise. \$	
6. Additional Information Regarding Job Qualifications/Requirements. (Please begin response on this form and use Addendum C if additional space is needed. If no additional skills or requirements, enter " <b>NONE</b> " below) *			
See Addendum C			

**C. Place of Employment Information**

1. Address/Location *			
Work site 1055 Lands End Road			
2. City *	3. State *	4. Postal Code *	5. County *
Whitewater	Colorado	81527	Mesa
6. Additional Place of Employment Information (If no additional information, enter " <b>NONE</b> " below) *			
From Hwy 50 turn left on Kannah Creek Road. Travel 3 miles to fork in the road -- stay left on Lands End Road -- travel 1 mile to 1055 Lands End Road on right hand side. Owner owned and controlled			
7. Is a completed <b>Addendum B</b> providing additional information on the places of employment and/or agricultural businesses who will employ workers, or to whom the employer will be providing workers, attached to this job order? *			<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No

**D. Housing Information**

1. Housing Address/Location *			
Mobile housing located at Lands End Road			
2. City *	3. State *	4. Postal Code *	5. County *
Whitewater	Colorado	81527	Mesa
6. Type of Housing *		7. Total Units *	8. Total Occupancy *
Mobile Camp		2	2
9. Housing complies or will comply with the following applicable standards: *		<input type="checkbox"/> Local <input type="checkbox"/> State <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Federal	
10. Additional Housing Information. (If no additional information, enter " <b>NONE</b> " below) *			
See Addendum C			
11. Is a completed <b>Addendum B</b> providing additional information on housing that will be provided to workers attached to this job order? *			<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No



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**E. Provision of Meals**

1. Describe how the employer will provide each worker with 3 meals a day or furnish free and convenient cooking and kitchen facilities. \* (Please begin response on this form and use Addendum C if additional space is needed.)

**Meals:**

Employer will provide, at no cost to the worker, food according to grocery list from worker or provide the worker with an opportunity to choose their own food at no cost to the worker. The employer will also provide at no cost to the worker, provisions, utensils, utilities and facilities for use in preparing their own meals. Food for the worker to include a daily source of protein, vitamins and mineral; Employer may provide prepared meals at times when workers are gathered for work such as shipping and/or branding.

**Water Supply:**

The employer will provide at least 4.5 gallons of potable water, per day, for drinking and cooking, delivered at least 2x per week

When at the ranch, state inspected housing is provided with facilities to provide cooking and drinking running water.

2. If meals are provided, the employer: \*

☒ **WILL NOT** charge workers for such meals.

☐ **WILL** charge workers for such meals at \$ \_\_\_\_ . \_\_\_\_ per day per worker.

**F. Transportation and Daily Subsistence**

1. Describe the terms and arrangement for daily transportation the employer will provide to workers. \*

(Please begin response on this form and use Addendum C if additional space is needed.)

Transportation will be in the form of horse back, ATV or pickup at no cost to the worker -- Workers mobile camp will be located at the work sites.

2. Describe the terms and arrangements for providing workers with transportation (a) to the place of employment (i.e., inbound) and (b) from the place of employment (i.e., outbound). \*

(Please begin response on this form and use Addendum C if additional space is needed.)

See Addendum C

3. During the travel described in Item 2, the employer will pay for or reimburse daily meals by providing each worker \*

a. no less than \$ 14 . 00 per day \*

b. no more than \$ 59 . 00 per day with receipts



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**G. Referral and Hiring Instructions**

1. Explain how prospective applicants may be considered for employment under this job order, including verifiable contact information for the employer, or the employer's authorized hiring representative, methods of contact, and the days and hours applicants will be considered for the job opportunity. \*

(Please begin response on this form and use Addendum C if additional space is needed.)

Referrals will be accepted from local Workforce Center offices. All applicants should be thoroughly familiarized with the terms and conditions of employment on the job order. Workers meeting all qualifications of the job orders should be referred to the employer. Employer will recruit through word of mouth efforts and will accept walk in applicants. Employer will receive referrals of qualified applicants, interview workers, and make hiring commitments. The employer will not accept collect calls from the applicants.

A MINIMUM OF SIX MONTHS EXPERIENCE AS A WINTER HERDER IS REQUIRED. Prospective workers must provide a reference from an employer reference who can verify the workers experience and satisfactory work performance. If related experience is older than 1 year, a second reference with contact information is required. Applicants must provide the name, address and telephone number of their references

Qualified applicants may phone Travis Kruckenberg at (970) 216-9694 8am-5pm m-f (leave message for return call if necessary) or mail to PO Box 3365, Grand Junction, Colorado 81502 or apply direct at 1055 Lands End Road, Whitewater, CO 81527

PROOF OF CITIZENSHIP: Documentation of legal right to work in the U.S. must be in the possession of the worker at the time worker reports for work and will be examined by employer as a condition for completing the hiring process. The employer or agent for the employer will complete the INS EMPLOYMENT ELIGIBILITY VERIFICATION (I-9 FORM) on all workers.

AGRICULTURAL WORK AGREEMENT: A copy of the agricultural work agreement contract or the ETA790 and attachments will be provided to the worker by the employer no later than on the day the work commences. The employer will follow all of the assurances and obligations set forth in 20 CFR 655.135.

2. Telephone Number to Apply \*

+1 (970) 216-9694

3. Email Address to Apply \*

traviskruckenberg@live.com

4. Website address (URL) to Apply \*

www.connectingcolorado.com

**H. Additional Material Terms and Conditions of the Job Offer**

1. Is a completed **Addendum C** providing additional information about the material terms, conditions, and benefits (monetary and non-monetary) that will be provided by the employer attached to this job order? \*

☒ Yes ☐ No



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**I. Conditions of Employment and Assurances for H-2A Agricultural Clearance Orders**

By virtue of my signature below, I **HEREBY CERTIFY** my knowledge of and compliance with applicable Federal, State, and local employment-related laws and regulations, including employment-related health and safety laws, and certify the following conditions of employment:

1. **JOB OPPORTUNITY:** Employer assures that the job opportunity identified in this clearance order (hereinafter also referred to as the "job order") is a full-time temporary position being placed with the SWA in connection with an H-2A *Application for Temporary Employment Certification* for H-2A workers and this clearance order satisfies the requirements for agricultural clearance orders in 20 CFR 653, subpart F and the requirements set forth in 20 CFR 655.122. This job opportunity offers U.S. workers no less than the same benefits, wages, and working conditions that the employer is offering, intends to offer, or will provide to H-2A workers and complies with the requirements at 20 CFR 655, Subpart B. The job opportunity is open to any qualified U.S. worker regardless of race, color, national origin, age, sex, religion, handicap, or citizenship.
2. **NO STRIKE, LOCKOUT, OR WORK STOPPAGE:** Employer assures that this job opportunity, including all worksites for which the employer is requesting H-2A labor certification does not currently have workers on strike or being locked out in the course of a labor dispute. 20 CFR 655.135(b).
3. **HOUSING FOR WORKERS:** Employer agrees to provide for or secure housing for H-2A workers and those workers in corresponding employment who are not reasonably able to return to their residence at the end of the work day. That housing complies with the applicable local, State, or Federal standards and is sufficient to house the specified number of workers requested through the clearance system. The employer will provide the housing without charge to the worker. Any charges for rental housing will be paid directly by the employer to the owner or operator of the housing. If public accommodations are provided to workers, the employer agrees to pay all housing-related charges directly to the housing's management. The employer agrees that charges in the form of deposits for bedding or other similar incidentals related to housing (e.g., utilities) must not be levied upon workers. However, the employer may require workers to reimburse them for damage caused to housing by the individual worker(s) found to have been responsible for damage which is not the result of normal wear and tear related to habitation. When it is the prevailing practice in the area of intended employment and the occupation to provide family housing, the employer agrees to provide family housing at no cost to workers with families who request it. 20 CFR 655.122(d), 653.501(c)(3)(vi).

*Request for Conditional Access to Intrastate or Interstate Clearance System:* Employer assures that the housing disclosed on this clearance order will be in full compliance with all applicable local, State, or Federal standards at least 20 calendar days before the housing is to be occupied. 20 CFR 653.502(a)(3). The Certifying Officer will not certify the application until the housing has been inspected and approved.

4. **WORKERS' COMPENSATION COVERAGE:** Employer agrees to provide workers' compensation insurance coverage in compliance with State law covering injury and disease arising out of and in the course of the worker's employment. If the type of employment for which the certification is sought is not covered by or is exempt from the State's workers' compensation law, the employer agrees to provide, at no cost to the worker, insurance covering injury and disease arising out of and in the course of the worker's employment that will provide benefits at least equal to those provided under the State workers' compensation law for other comparable employment. 20 CFR 655.122(e).
5. **EMPLOYER-PROVIDED TOOLS AND EQUIPMENT:** Employer agrees to provide to the worker, without charge or deposit charge, all tools, supplies, and equipment required to perform the duties assigned. 20 CFR 655.122(f).
6. **MEALS:** Employer agrees to provide each worker with three meals a day or furnish free and convenient cooking and kitchen facilities to the workers that will enable the workers to prepare their own meals. Where the employer provides the meals, the job offer will state the charge, if any, to the worker for such meals. The amount of meal charges is governed by 20 CFR 655.173. 20 CFR 655.122(g).

For workers engaged in the herding or production of livestock on the range, the employer agrees to provide each worker, without charge or deposit charge, (1) either three sufficient meals a day, or free and convenient cooking facilities and adequate provision of food to enable the worker to prepare his own meals. To be sufficient or adequate, the meals or food provided must include a daily source of protein, vitamins, and minerals; and (2) adequate potable water, or water that can be easily rendered potable and the means to do so. 20 CFR 655.210(e).

7. **TRANSPORTATION AND DAILY SUBSISTENCE:** Employer agrees to provide the following transportation and daily subsistence benefits to eligible workers.

**A. Transportation to Place of Employment (Inbound)**

If the worker completes 50 percent of the work contract period, and the employer did not directly provide such transportation or subsistence or otherwise has not yet paid the worker for such transportation or subsistence costs, the employer agrees to reimburse the worker for reasonable costs incurred by the worker for transportation and daily subsistence from the place from which the worker has come to work for the employer, whether in the U.S. or abroad to the place of employment. The amount of the transportation payment must be no less (and is not required to be more) than the most economical and reasonable common carrier transportation charges for the distances involved. The amount the employer will pay for daily subsistence expenses are those amounts disclosed in this clearance order, which are at least as much as the employer would charge the worker for providing the worker with three meals a day during employment (if applicable), but in no event will less than the amount permitted under 20 CFR 655.173(a). The employer understands that the Fair Labor Standards Act applies independently of the H-2A requirements and imposes obligations on employers regarding payment of wages. 20 CFR 655.122(h)(1).

**B. Transportation from Place of Employment (Outbound)**

If the worker completes the work contract period, or is terminated without cause, and the worker has no immediate subsequent H-2A employment, the employer agrees to provide or pay for the worker's transportation and daily subsistence from the place of employment to the place from which the worker, disregarding intervening employment, departed to work for the employer. Return transportation will not be provided to workers who voluntarily abandon employment before the end of the work contract period, or who are terminated for cause, if the employer follows the notification requirements in 20 CFR 655.122(n).



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If the worker has contracted with a subsequent employer who has not agreed in such work contract to provide or pay for the worker's transportation and daily subsistence expenses from the employer's worksite to such subsequent employer's worksite, the employer must provide for such expenses. If the worker has contracted with a subsequent employer who has agreed in such work contract to provide or pay for the worker's transportation and daily subsistence expenses from the employer's worksite to such subsequent employer's worksite, the subsequent employer must provide or pay for such expenses.

The employer is not relieved of its obligation to provide or pay for return transportation and subsistence if an H-2A worker is displaced as a result of the employer's compliance with the 50 percent rule as described in sec. 655.135(d) of this subpart with respect to the referrals made after the employer's date of need. 20 CFR 655.122(h)(2).

C. *Daily Transportation*

Employer agrees to provide transportation between housing provided or secured by the employer and the employer's worksite(s) at no cost to the worker. 20 CFR 655.122(h)(3).

D. *Compliance with Transportation Standards*

Employer assures that all employer-provided transportation will comply with all applicable Federal, State, or local laws and regulations. Employer agrees to provide, at a minimum, the same transportation safety standards, driver licensure, and vehicle insurance as required under 29 U.S.C. 1841 and 29 CFR 500.105 and 29 CFR 500.120 to 500.128. If workers' compensation is used to cover transportation, in lieu of vehicle insurance, the employer will ensure that such workers' compensation covers all travel or that vehicle insurance exists to provide coverage for travel not covered by workers' compensation. Employer agrees to have property damage insurance. 20 CFR 655.122(h)(4).

8. **THREE-FOURTHS GUARANTEE:** Employer agrees to offer the worker employment for a total number of work hours equal to at least three-fourths of the workdays of the total period beginning with the first workday after the arrival of the worker at the place of employment or the advertised contractual first date of need, whichever is later, and ending on the expiration date specified in the work contract or in its extensions, if any. 20 CFR 655.122(i).

The employer may offer the worker more than the specified hours of work on a single workday. For purposes of meeting the three-fourths guarantee, the worker will not be required to work for more than the number of hours specified in the job order for a workday, or on the worker's Sabbath or Federal holidays. If, during the total work contract period, the employer affords the U.S. or H-2A worker less employment than that required under this guarantee, the employer will pay such worker the amount the worker would have earned had the worker, in fact, worked for the guaranteed number of days. An employer will not be considered to have met the work guarantee if the employer has merely offered work on three-fourths of the workdays if each workday did not consist of a full number of hours of work time as specified in the job order. All hours of work actually performed may be counted by the employer in calculating whether the period of guaranteed employment has been met. Any hours the worker fails to work, up to a maximum of the number of hours specified in the job order for a workday, when the worker has been offered an opportunity to work, and all hours of work actually performed (including voluntary work over 8 hours in a workday or on the worker's Sabbath or Federal holidays), may be counted by the employer in calculating whether the period of guaranteed employment has been met. 20 CFR 655.122(i).

If the worker is paid on a piece rate basis, the employer agrees to use the worker's average hourly piece rate earnings or the required hourly wage rate, whichever is higher, to calculate the amount due under the three-fourths guarantee. 20 CFR 655.122(i).

If the worker voluntarily abandons employment before the end of the period of employment set forth in the job order, or is terminated for cause, and the employer follows the notification requirements in 20 CFR 655.122(n), the worker is not entitled to the three-fourths guarantee. The employer is not liable for payment of the three-fourths guarantee to an H-2A worker whom the Department of Labor certifies is displaced due to the employer's requirement to hire qualified and available U.S. workers during the recruitment period set out in 20 CFR 655.135(d), which lasts until 50 percent of the period of the work contract has elapsed (50 percent rule). 20 CFR 655.122(i).

**Important Note:** In circumstances where the work contract is terminated due to contract impossibility under 20 CFR 655.122(o), the three-fourths guarantee period ends on the date of termination.

9. **EARNINGS RECORDS:** Employer agrees to keep accurate and adequate records with respect to the workers' earnings at the place or places of employment, or at one or more established central recordkeeping offices where such records are customarily maintained. All records must be available for inspection and transcription by the Department of Labor or a duly authorized and designated representative, and by the worker and representatives designated by the worker as evidenced by appropriate documentation. Where the records are maintained at a central recordkeeping office, other than in the place or places of employment, such records must be made available for inspection and copying within 72 hours following notice from the Department of Labor, or a duly authorized and designated representative, and by the worker and designated representatives. The content of earnings records must meet all regulatory requirements and be retained by the employer for a period of not less than 3 years after the date of certification by the Department of Labor. 20 CFR 655.122(j).
10. **HOURS AND EARNINGS STATEMENTS:** Employer agrees to furnish to the worker on or before each payday in one or more written statements the following information: (1) the worker's total earnings for the pay period; (2) the worker's hourly rate and/or piece rate of pay; (3) the hours of employment offered to the worker (showing offers in accordance with the three-fourths guarantee as determined in 20 CFR 655.122(i), separate from any hours offered over and above the guarantee); (4) the hours actually worked by the worker; (5) an itemization of all deductions made from the worker's wages; (6) If piece rates are used, the units produced daily; (7) beginning and ending dates of the pay period; and (8) the employer's name, address and FEIN. 20 CFR 655.122(k).

For workers engaged in the herding or production of livestock on the range, the employer is exempt from recording and furnishing the hours actually worked each day, the time the worker begins and ends each workday, as well as the nature and amount of work performed, but otherwise must comply with the earnings records and hours and earnings statement requirements set out in 20 CFR 655.122(j) and (k). The employer agrees to keep daily records indicating whether the site of the employee's work was on the range or off the range. If the employer prorates a worker's wage because of the worker's voluntary absence for personal reasons, it must also keep a record of the reason for the worker's absence. 20 CFR 655.210(f).





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11. **RATES OF PAY:** The employer agrees that it will offer, advertise in its recruitment, and pay at least the Adverse Effect Wage Rate (AEWR), the prevailing hourly wage rate, the prevailing piece rate, the agreed-upon collective bargaining rate, or the Federal or State minimum wage rate, in effect at the time work is performed, whichever is highest. If the worker is paid by the hour, the employer must pay this rate for every hour or portion thereof worked during a pay period. If the offered wage(s) disclosed in this clearance order is/are based on commission, bonuses, or other incentives, the employer guarantees the wage paid on a weekly, semi-monthly, or monthly basis will equal or exceed the AEWR, prevailing hourly wage or piece rate, the legal Federal or State minimum wage, or any agreed-upon collective bargaining rate, whichever is highest.
- If the worker is paid on a piece rate basis and at the end of the pay period the piece rate does not result in average hourly piece rate earnings during the pay period at least equal to the amount the worker would have earned had the worker been paid at the appropriate hourly rate of pay, the employer agrees to supplement the worker's pay at that time so that the worker's earnings are at least as much as the worker would have earned during the pay period if the worker had instead been paid at the appropriate hourly wage rate for each hour worked. 20 CFR 655.120, 655.122(l).
- For workers engaged in the herding or production of livestock on the range, the employer agrees to pay the worker at least the monthly AEWR, the agreed-upon collective bargaining wage, or the applicable minimum wage imposed by Federal or State law or judicial action, in effect at the time work is performed, whichever is highest, for every month of the job order period or portion thereof. If the offered wage disclosed in this clearance order is based on commissions, bonuses, or other incentives, the employer assures that the wage paid will equal or exceed the monthly AEWR, the agreed-upon collective bargaining wage, or the applicable minimum wage imposed by Federal or State law or judicial action, whichever is highest, and will be paid to each worker free and clear without any unauthorized deductions. The employer may prorate the wage for the initial and final pay periods of the job order period if its pay period does not match the beginning or ending dates of the job order. The employer also may prorate the wage if an employee is voluntarily unavailable to work for personal reasons. 20 CFR 655.210(g).
12. **FREQUENCY OF PAY:** Employer agrees to pay workers when due based on the frequency disclosed in this clearance order. 20 CFR 655.122(m).
13. **ABANDONMENT OF EMPLOYMENT OR TERMINATION FOR CAUSE:** If a worker voluntarily abandons employment before the end of the contract period, or is terminated for cause, employer is not responsible for providing or paying for the subsequent transportation and subsistence expenses of that worker, and that worker is not entitled to the three-fourths guarantee, if the employer notifies the Department of Labor and, if applicable, the Department of Homeland Security, in writing or by any other method specified by the Department of Labor or the Department of Homeland Security in the Federal Register, not later than 2 working days after the abandonment or termination occurs. A worker will be deemed to have abandoned the work contract if the worker fails to show up for work at the regularly scheduled time and place for 5 consecutive work days without the consent of the employer. 20 CFR 655.122(n).
14. **CONTRACT IMPOSSIBILITY:** The work contract may be terminated before the end date of work specified in the work contract if the services of the workers are no longer required for reasons beyond the control of the employer due to fire, weather, or other Act of God that makes fulfillment of the contract impossible, as determined by the U.S. Department of Labor. In the event that the work contract is terminated, the employer agrees to fulfill the three-fourths guarantee for the time that has elapsed from the start date of work specified in the work contract to the date of termination. The employer also agrees that it will make efforts to transfer the worker to other comparable employment acceptable to the worker and consistent with existing immigration laws. In situations where a transfer is not affected, the employer agrees to return the worker at the employer's expense to the place from which the worker, disregarding intervening employment, came to work for the employer, or transport the worker to his/her next certified H-2A employer, whichever the worker prefers. The employer will also reimburse the worker the full amount of any deductions made by the employer from the worker's pay for transportation and subsistence expenses to the place of employment. The employer will also pay the worker for any transportation and subsistence expenses incurred by the worker to that employer's place of employment. The amounts the employer will pay for subsistence expenses per day are those amounts disclosed in this clearance order. The amount of the transportation payment must not be less (and is not required to be more) than the most economical and reasonable common carrier transportation charges for the distances involved. 20 CFR 655.122(o).
- The employer is not required to pay for transportation and daily subsistence from the place of employment to a subsequent employer's worksite if the worker has contracted with a subsequent employer who has agreed to provide or pay for the worker's transportation and subsistence expenses from the present employer's worksite to the subsequent employer's worksite. 20 CFR 655.122(h)(2).
15. **DEDUCTIONS FROM WORKER'S PAY:** Employer agrees to make all deductions from the worker's paycheck required by law. This job offer discloses all deductions not required by law which the employer will make from the worker's paycheck and all such deductions are reasonable, in accordance with 20 CFR 655.122(p) and 29 CFR part 531. The wage requirements of 20 CFR 655.120 will not be met where undisclosed or unauthorized deductions, rebates, or refunds reduce the wage payment made to the employee below the minimum amounts required under 20 CFR part 655, subpart B, or where the employee fails to receive such amounts free and clear because the employee kicks back directly or indirectly to the employer or to another person for the employer's benefit the whole or part of the wage delivered to the employee. 20 CFR 655.122(p).
16. **DISCLOSURE OF WORK CONTRACT:** Employer agrees to provide a copy of the work contract to an H-2A worker no later than the time at which the worker applies for the visa, or to a worker in corresponding employment no later than on the day work commences. For an H-2A worker coming to the employer from another H-2A employer, the employer agrees to provide a copy of the work contract no later than the time an offer of employment is made to the H-2A worker. A copy of the work contract will be provided to each worker in a language understood by the worker, as necessary or reasonable. In the absence of a separate, written work contract entered into between the employer and the worker, the required terms of this clearance order, including all Addendums, and the certified *H-2A Application for Temporary Employment Certification* will be the work contract. 20 CFR 655.122(q).



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**17. ADDITIONAL ASSURANCES FOR CLEARANCE ORDERS:**

- A. Employer agrees to provide to workers referred through the clearance system the number of hours of work disclosed in this clearance order for the week beginning with the anticipated date of need, unless the employer has amended the date of need at least 10 business days before the original date of need by so notifying the Order-Holding Office (OHO) in writing (e.g., e-mail notification). The employer understands that it is the responsibility of the SWA to make a record of all notifications and attempt to inform referred workers of the amended date of need expeditiously. 20 CFR 653.501(c)(3)(i).
- If there is a change to the anticipated date of need, and the employer fails to notify the OHO at least 10 business days before the original date of need, the employer agrees that it will pay eligible workers referred through the clearance system the specified rate of pay disclosed in this clearance order for the first week starting with the originally anticipated date of need or will provide alternative work if such alternative work is stated on the clearance order. 20 CFR 653.501(c)(5).
- B. Employer agrees that no extension of employment beyond the period of employment specified in the clearance order will relieve it from paying the wages already earned, or if specified in the clearance order as a term of employment, providing transportation from the place of employment, as described in paragraph 7.B above. 20 CFR 653.501(c)(3)(ii).
- C. Employer assures that all working conditions comply with applicable Federal and State minimum wage, child labor, social security, health and safety, farm labor contractor registration, and other employment-related laws. 20 CFR 653.501(c)(3)(iii).
- D. Employer agrees to expeditiously notify the OHO or SWA by emailing and telephoning immediately upon learning that a crop is maturing earlier or later, or that weather conditions, over-recruitment, or other factors have changed the terms and conditions of employment. 20 CFR 653.501(c)(3)(iv).
- E. If acting as a farm labor contractor (FLC) or farm labor contractor employee (FLCE) on this clearance order, the employer assures that it has a valid Federal FLC certificate or Federal FLCE identification card and when appropriate, any required State FLC certificate. 20 CFR 653.501(c)(3)(v).
- F. Employer assures that outreach workers will have reasonable access to the workers in the conduct of outreach activities pursuant to 20 CFR 653.107. 20 CFR 653.501(c)(3)(vii).

*I declare under penalty of perjury that I have read and reviewed this clearance order, including every page of this Form ETA-790A and all supporting addendums, and that to the best of my knowledge, the information contained therein is true and accurate. This clearance order describes the actual terms and conditions of the employment being offered by me and contains all the material terms and conditions of the job. 20 CFR 653.501(c)(3)(viii). I understand that to knowingly furnish materially false information in the preparation of this form and any supplement thereto or to aid, abet, or counsel another to do so is a federal offense punishable by fines, imprisonment, or both. 18 U.S.C. 2, 1001.*

1. Last (family) name * Kruckenberg	2. First (given) name * Travis	3. Middle initial \$
4. Title * Owner/Operator		
5. Signature (or digital signature) * Digital Signature Verified and Retained By <i>Certifying Officer</i>		6. Date signed * 10/15/2022

**Employment Service Statement**

In view of the statutorily established basic function of the Employment Service (ES) as a no-fee labor exchange, that is, as a forum for bringing together employers and job seekers, neither the Department of Labor's Employment and Training Administration (ETA) nor the SWAs are guarantors of the accuracy or truthfulness of information contained on job orders submitted by employers. Nor does any job order accepted or recruited upon by the ES constitute a contractual job offer to which the ETA or a SWA is in any way a party. 20 CFR 653.501(c)(1)(i).

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**D. Additional Housing Information**

1. Type of Housing *	2. Physical Location *	3. Additional Housing Information §	4. Total Units *	5. Total Occupancy *	6. Applicable Housing Standards *
mobile housing	1055 Lands End Road Whitewater, Colorado 81527 MESA		2	2	<input type="checkbox"/> Local <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> State <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Federal
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**H. Additional Material Terms and Conditions of the Job Offer**

a. Job Offer Information 1

1. Section/Item Number *	A.8a	2. Name of Section or Category of Material Term or Condition *	Job Duties
<p>3. Details of Material Term or Condition (<i>up to 3,500 characters</i>) *</p> <p>One temporary position opening. \$2231.50 per month + free food &amp; housing. Three quarter time guarantee. On call 24/7. Work tools, supplies and equipment will be provided at no cost to the worker. Transportation &amp; subsistence expenses to worksite provided by employer or paid by employer upon completion of 50% of the work contract. Must have 6 months experience and provide (1) reference from previous employer with knowledge of applicants skills. Must be able to lift 75 pounds. Qualified applicants will have 6 months experience as a Winter Herder. On call 24 hours/day 7 days/week. Performs a combination of the following duties on open range and will also perform duties on the ranch: protect pregnant ewes from harsh winter conditions. Move pregnant ewes to areas designated by rancher using methods to avoid undue stress on sheep. Prevent hypothermia, abortion &amp; death. Move ewes at a pace &amp; distance sufficient to ensure they have enough water available &amp; forage during daylight hours to arrive at natural shelters by nightfall to protect flocks during blizzards, high winds extreme cold. Ride unmarked perimeters of range area designated by rancher. Assist with supplemental feeding (when weather limits us of range forage). Assure viable water sources, use axe to chop large holes in frozen creeks and rivers. Move sheep to ranch when range conditions prevent natural foraging. Report to rancher water, forage &amp; weather conditions as well as wind &amp; storm &amp; changes in health conditions of sheep. Administer minor medical care to sick/injured pregnant sheep without causing undue stress when dealing with ewes. Must be able to ride and handle horses in the movement of flock while assuring the safety of the worker, co-workers, livestock and horses. Maintain healthy hooves on horses for the duration of the winter. Assist with the maintenance of meadow lands &amp; the repair of fences. Employee will work outdoors in all types of weather, including blizzards, high winds, extreme cold as well as predators. Must be willing to work under climatic conditions common to Colorado. Workers must be willing to perform all duties according to the employer's requirements during the contract period. Majority of total workdays (51%) will be on the range beginning with the first workday after the arrival of the worker at the place of employment or the advertised contractual first date of need, whichever is later, and ending on the expiration date specified in the work contract or departure of worker from USA.</p>			

b. Job Offer Information 2

1. Section/Item Number *	A.11	2. Name of Section or Category of Material Term or Condition *	Deductions from Pay
<p>3. Details of Material Term or Condition (<i>up to 3,500 characters</i>) *</p> <p>Workers will be paid 2X per month by check. The employer will make the following deductions: FICA (if applicable); loans and advances (if any); long distance telephone charges (if any); the reasonable repair or replacement cost of willful or negligent damage to housing, tools and equipment caused by the worker (other than normal wear and tear). No deductions except those required by law will be made which bring the worker's earnings below the Federal minimum wage.</p> <p>Per 20 CFR 655.122(k) The employer must furnish to the worker on or before each payday in one or more written statements the following information:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"><li>1. The worker's total earnings for the pay period;</li><li>2. The worker's hourly rate and/or piece rate of pay;</li><li>3. The hours of employment offered to the worker(showing offers in accordance with the Three-fourths guarantee as determined in paragraph (i) of this section, separate from any hours offered over &amp; above the guarantee);</li><li>4. The hours actually worked by the worker;</li></ol>			

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c. Job Offer Information 3

1. Section/Item Number *	B.6	2. Name of Section or Category of Material Term or Condition *	Additional Information Regarding Job Qualifications/Requirements
3. Details of Material Term or Condition ( <i>up to 3,500 characters</i> ) *			
<p>The employer will provide workers compensation coverage for injury and disease arising out of and during the workers employment and no cost to the worker. The employer assures that the workers compensation coverage will be in effect not later than the beginning date of this job order and will be renewed prior to its expiration in order to provide coverage for the entire contract period of time.</p> <p>The employer will provide at no cost to workers an effective means of communicating, specifically cell phones and radios, with persons capable of responding to the workers need in case of an emergency. These means are necessary to perform the work and can include, but are not limited to, satellite phones, cell phones, wireless devices, radio transmitters, or other types of electronic communication systems for emergency or business use only. If the worker is in an area with no cell phone service, the employer plans to provide radios or contact the workers in person 2 times per week</p>			

d. Job Offer Information 4

1. Section/Item Number *	D.10	2. Name of Section or Category of Material Term or Condition *	Additional Housing Information
3. Details of Material Term or Condition ( <i>up to 3,500 characters</i> ) *			
<p>Mobile camps and utilities will be provided, at no cost to the worker. Housing will be clean and in compliance with applicable standards when occupied. Worker will be responsible for maintaining housing in a neat, clean manner. Reasonable repair costs for damage other than that caused by normal wear and tear, will be deducted from the earnings of the worker's found to be responsible for damage to housing and/or furnishings. Mobile housing will follow flocks and worker.</p>			

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e. Job Offer Information 5

1. Section/Item Number *	F.2	2. Name of Section or Category of Material Term or Condition *	Inbound/Outbound Transportation
3. Details of Material Term or Condition ( <i>up to 3,500 characters</i> ) * The employer will advance transportation and subsistence costs from place of recruitment to place of work to both U.S. and H2A workers being recruited and extend the same benefit to workers in corresponding employment, consistent with 20 CFR 655.122(h). These costs will be deducted from worker's wages until 50% of contract is completed. After worker has completed 50% of work contract period, the employer will reimburse worker for cost of transportation and subsistence from place of recruitment			

f. Job Offer Information 6

1. Section/Item Number *	F.2	2. Name of Section or Category of Material Term or Condition *	Inbound/Outbound Transportation -
3. Details of Material Term or Condition ( <i>up to 3,500 characters</i> ) * to place of work. The employer will pay the worker the allowable meal charge per day of \$14.00 and the CONSUS meal rate of \$59.00 per day for workers who qualify for travel reimbursement when they provide receipts. Upon completion of work contract, the employer will provide or pay for transportation and reasonable subsistence to place of recruitment by the most economical common carrier or other transportation except when the worker will not be returning to the place of recruitment due to subsequent employment with another employer who agrees to pay such costs. DOL regulations at 20 CFR 655.122(o): If, before the expiration date specified in the work contract, the services of the worker are no longer required for reasons beyond the control of the employer due to fire, weather, or other Act of God that makes the fulfillment of the contract impossible, the employer may terminate the work contract. Whether such an event constitutes a contract impossibility will be determined by the CO. In the event of such termination of a contract, the employer must fulfill a three quarter guarantee for the time that has elapsed from the start of the work contract to the time of its termination, as described in paragraph (i)(1) of this section. The employer must make efforts to transfer the worker to other comparable employment acceptable to the worker, consistent with existing immigration law, as applicable. If such transfer is not affected, the employer must: (1) Return the worker, at the employer's expense, to the place from which the worker (disregarding intervening employment) came to work for the employer, or transport the worker to the worker's certified H-2A employer, whichever the worker prefers; (2) Reimburse the worker the full amount of any deductions made from the worker's pay by the employer for transportation and subsistence expenses to the place of employment; and (3) Pay the worker for any costs incurred by the worker for transportation and daily subsistence to that employer's place of employment. Daily subsistence must be computed as set forth in paragraph (h) of this section. The amount of the transportation payment must not be less (and is not required to be more) than the most economical and reasonable common carrier transportation charges for the distances involved. The employer, at no cost to the worker, will provide transportation between the worker's on-site housing and the worksite per regulation 20 CFR 655.122			

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g. Job Offer Information 7

1. Section/Item Number *	E.1	2. Name of Section or Category of Material Term or Condition *	Meal Provision - Bathing, Laundry & hand washing
3. Details of Material Term or Condition ( <i>up to 3,500 characters</i> ) * The employer will provide additional water (may be non-potable) sufficient to meet the worker's laundry and bathing needs when on the range Containers will be provided, small enough to allow storage in the housing unit to prevent freezing. When at the ranch, state inspected housing is provided with facilities to provide bathing, laundry and hand washing with hot and cold running water.			

h. Job Offer Information 8

1. Section/Item Number *	B.6	2. Name of Section or Category of Material Term or Condition *	Tools provided by the employer at no cost to the worker
3. Details of Material Term or Condition ( <i>up to 3,500 characters</i> ) * Worker will be directed and controlled by the ranch operator and/or designated foreman. However, workers are often required to work alone for long periods without supervision and to perform the required work reliably and properly. Six months' prior experience as a winter herder and one satisfactory reference is required. The name and address or telephone number of the employer reference that can verify the worker's experience and performance or letter of reference will be required at the time of application.  Employer Provided Tool List at No Cost to the Worker If in the future, if other tools are needed to complete the work duties, they also will be provided at no cost to the worker. Sorting stick Hot shot Sheep hook Veterinary bag \Vith vaccination supplies; Syringes & needles for doctoring; medicine, paint stick Hoof trimming tool Lariat Ax Wood hand saw Shovel Pliers Crescent Wrench Banding tool Leather punch Leather stitching ole Hammer Fence stretchers Horse bridle Saddle			



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i. Job Offer Information 9

1. Section/Item Number *	A.8a	2. Name of Section or Category of Material Term or Condition *	Job Duties - Electronic Communication
3. Details of Material Term or Condition ( <i>up to 3,500 characters</i> ) * <b>Electronic Communication</b> 20 CFR 655.210(d)(2) The employer will provide at no cost to the workers an effective means of communicating with persons capable of responding to the worker's need in case of an emergency throughout the entire period of employment. This employer will specifically provide cell phones and/or radios to be used for emergency or business use only. If the worker is in an area with no cell phone service, the employer will provide radios. The employer or his designated manager or foreman will be in contact in person with the worker to a minimum of 2 times per week to assure the worker's well-being and to resupply the worker's camp.			

j. Job Offer Information 10

1. Section/Item Number *	A.11	2. Name of Section or Category of Material Term or Condition *	Pay Deductions -
3. Details of Material Term or Condition ( <i>up to 3,500 characters</i> ) * 5. An itemization of all deductions made from the worker's wages; 6. If piece rates are used, the units produced daily; 7. Beginning and ending dates of the pay period; and 8. The employer's name, address, and FEIN 9. The worker's home address  The employer will pay the worker at least the monthly AEWR, as specified in CFR 655.211, the agreed-upon collective bargaining wage, or the applicable minimum wage imposed by Federal or State law or judicial action, in effect at the time work is performed, whichever is highest, for every month of the job order period or portion thereof. Employer will provide qualified worker referred through the Interstate Clearance system 24 hours per day/ 7 days per week including Sundays and Holiday on call hours of work for the week beginning with the anticipated date of need, unless employer has amended the date of need by notifying the local office no later than 10 days before the date of need. If employer fails to notify the order holding office, then employer shall pay an eligible worker referred through the clearance system \$411.37 for the first week starting with the originally anticipated date of need. Employer will require worker to perform alternative work if the guarantee cited in this action is invoked. The alternative work and pay are: \$2231.50 per month-workers will work on call 24 hours per day/ 7 days/week including Sundays and Holidays as a shepherd. If worker referred fails to notify the order-holding office of continued interest in the job at least 5 days before date of need, worker will be disqualified from the above-mentioned assurance.			

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k. Job Offer Information 11

1. Section/Item Number *	G.1	2. Name of Section or Category of Material Term or Condition *	Referral and Hiring Instructions cont'd
3. Details of Material Term or Condition ( <i>up to 3,500 characters</i> ) * My positive recruitment plan will be to advertise through the Workforce Center in Craig and run ads pursuant to previous labor certification practices to recruit U.S. workers who are qualified to perform the work required to work with sheep. I will make inquiries of previous U.S. employees qualified for rehire.			

l. Job Offer Information 12

1. Section/Item Number *		2. Name of Section or Category of Material Term or Condition *	
3. Details of Material Term or Condition ( <i>up to 3,500 characters</i> ) *			