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STEVE NORDEN

OBJECTIVE

To utilize my extensive experience and knowledge of farming operations, animal science and machine maintenance and operation by obtaining a position at Tractor Supply.

SUMMARY

Ran own cow-calf operation for 30 years. Farmed 200 acres of hay and grass- swath and bailed. Proficient in farm machinery repair and maintenance, fence repair, farm equipment operation, doctoring and feeding cattle. Efficient and experienced in observing and doctoring sick and diseased cattle. I ran a well maintained vaccine program for my herd. Yearly semen checked my own bulls and processed my own calves, shots, branding and castrating. I would wean the calves in the fall and sell them in January of the following year.

WORK OF EXPERIENCE

Oct 2000 – Present | Town of Wellington | Wellington, Co

Code Enforcement/ Animal Control Officer

- Caught, contained, cared for and impounded animals, including sick, injured, vicious and wild animals.
- Spot checked complaints and actively observed code violations including neglect of animals. Documented citations/actions taken by issuing letters, writing reports, taking photographs. Followed-up on cases, and issued citations within established time frame guidelines.

Oct 1990 – Oct 2000 | United States Department of Agriculture | Greeley, CO

Federal Meat Inspector

- Examined animal physiology and pathology to determine if an animal may be slaughtered and if abnormal animal carcasses or parts should be held for veterinary examination.
- Exercised knowledge of the chemical, physical, and biological hazards associated with the production of meat and poultry products.
- In-depth knowledge of the rules and regulations governing meat and poultry operations, including but not limited to Colorado Statutes.

Aug 1981 – Oct 1990 | Colorado State University | Fort Collins, Co

Lab Animal Technician

- Makes daily rounds of all Laboratory Animal Medicine facilities; observes status of health of all animals, environmental conditions, temperature, humidity, and sanitation.
- Administers medicine and treatment according to prescribed instructions.
- Performs preventive medicine practices such as routine vaccinations and administration of antiparasitics.
- Performed experimental research studies within the physiology department.

EDUCATION

Associate of Arts in Animal Science
Northeastern Junior College, Sterling, CO