Breed Association Contact List

Breed associations provide beef cattle producers a variety of benefits and services. Breed associations work in the areas of breed promotion, marketing, member education, performance recording, and performance evaluation. While all services are important, one that receives much attention is performance recording and the evaluation of animals.

To remain competitive in the beef cattle industry, producers must continually strive to identify and retain genetically superior animals for use in future generations. To accomplish this task, producers must take advantage of available tools and resources, such as expected progeny differences (EPD). EPDs are an evaluation of an animal’s genetic worth (value as a parent). EPDs are reported in sire summaries, which are published by several breed associations.

Following is a list of breed associations and their contact information.

**AMERIFAX**  
Amerifax Cattle Association  
400 N. Minnesota Ave.  
P.O. Box 149  
Hastings, NE 68901  
(402) 463-5289

**ANGUS**  
American Angus Association  
3201 Frederick Ave.  
St. Joseph, MO 64506  
(816) 383-5100  
(816) 233-9703 fax  
web: www.angus.org

**BARZONA**  
Barzona Breeders Association of America  
604 Cedar St.  
Adair, IA 50002  
(641) 745-9170  
(641) 343-0927 fax  
web: www.barzona.com

**BEEFALO**  
American Beefalo Association  
P.O. Box 295  
Benton City, WA 99320  
9824 E. YZ Ave.  
Vicksburg, MI 49097  
(800) 233-3256  
web: americanbeefalo.org

**BEEFMASTER**  
Beefmaster Breeders United  
6800 Park Ten Blvd., Ste. 290W  
San Antonio, TX 78213  
(210) 732-3132  
(210) 732-7711 fax  
web: www.beefmasters.org

**BLONDE D’AQUITAINE**  
American Blonde D’Aquitaine Association  
57 Friar Tuckway  
Fyffe, AL 35971  
(256) 996-3142  
web: www.blondecattle.org