

## MEMORANDUM

**DATE:** May 3, 2024

**RE:** Sale of Breeding Sheep

**Attached** is a list of breeding sheep the University of Kentucky is offering for sale by private treaty. Specific procedures for observation, purchase, payment, and pick-up of animals after purchase are as follows:

### OBSERVATION

1. All animals will be available for observation by appointment only from 9:30 a.m. to 2:30 p.m. (EDT), Tuesday, May 14 through Friday, May 17, 2024.
2. Potential buyers can call Matthew Hamilton (859-473-1300) or LeeAnn Jacks (859-494-8115) to schedule appointments.
3. Sheep for sale will be located in barn pens for observation.
4. Ewes, within a breed and age group, will be observed as a group. Selection of 5 or more animals from a group will be at random (gate-cut).
5. Rams, within a breed and age group, will be observed as a group. If a potential buyer requests an individual ram be sorted from the group for observation, Sheep Unit personnel will do so.

### PURCHASE

1. The sale will open at 8:00 a.m. (EDT) Tuesday, May 21 and will remain open until 3:30 p.m. (EDT) Friday, May 24, 2024.
2. To request the purchase of one or more sheep, call Matthew Hamilton (859-473-1300) or LeeAnn Jacks (859-494-8115) the day of the sale. Identification of individuals or groups of animals requested for purchase will be made during the phone call with Matthew or LeeAnn.
3. Priorities of purchase will be made on the basis of "first-come-first-serve" phone calls.

### PAYMENT / PICKUP

1. Purchased animals can be picked up, at the time of payment (**by check only**), from 9:30 a.m. until 2:30 p.m. (EDT) on Tuesday, May 28 through Friday May 31, 2024.
2. Payment and pickup of purchased animals will be done by appointment only with Matthew Hamilton (859-473-1300).
3. At pickup, buyers will drive to the loading area at the end of Lambing Barn. Sheep Unit personnel will load purchased animals.
4. After animals are loaded, drive to the front of the Sheep Unit. Sheep Unit personnel will process payments; receipts will be provided upon request.

**2024**  
**University of Kentucky Sheep Sale \***

**RAMS\***

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<u>Head</u>	<u>Breed/Type</u>	<u>Amount</u>
4	Yearling <b>Polypay</b> rams (April, 2023-born)	\$800 each
10	Fall, 2023-born <b>Polypay</b> ram lambs	\$800 each
3	Yearling <b>White Dorper</b> rams (April, 2023-born)	\$650 each
3	Fall, 2023-born <b>White Dorper</b> ram lambs	\$650 each
4	Yearling <b>Hampshire</b> rams	\$800 each
1	Mature <b>Polypay</b> ram (3 years old)	\$650
4	Fall, 2023-born <b>Polypay Teaser</b> rams	\$600 each

**EWES\***

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<u>Head</u>	<u>Breed/Type</u>	<u>Amount</u>
39**	Fall, 2023-born <b>Polypay</b> ewe lambs	\$450 each
28**	Jan. /Feb.-born <b>Polypay</b> ewe lambs	\$300 each
4	Fall, 2023-born <b>White Dorper</b> ewe lambs	\$350 each
14**	Jan. /Feb.-born <b>Hampshire</b> ewe lambs	\$300 each

\* Buyers are responsible for all registration expenses if registration papers are desired.

\*\* Gate-cuts from groups with 5 head or more.