



A new North Dakota law made it possible for these horses to be seized without notice or hearing



Did you know if you live in North Dakota, someone from out of state, who has never been to your home can call and make an actionable complaint against you for animal abuse and neglect?

Did you know in the state of North Dakota the law reads that there is no liability for the accuser?

Did you know in North Dakota that the State's Attorney can seize your animals, write up a bill of sale and arrange for them to be sold to other parties without notifying you or providing you with even a hearing?

Did you know in North Dakota under the law, Title 36, Livestock, Chapter 36-21.1. Humane Treatment of Animals, a claim can be made against you and you are considered guilty without even the opportunity to prove your innocence?



**North Dakota
law enforcement claims
these animals are starving**



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Animal rights extremists push new law and provide training

Law enforcement claimed this yearling had a body condition of "1" only 63 days before this photo was taken



Law enforcement that knows nothing about livestock



Ex-employee responsible for livestock lies and has immunity

Stark County Sheriff's Department claimed this stud was a mare, with a body condition of "1"

Please take the time to learn about what is happening to North Dakota Rancher, Gary Dassinger. Gary is facing criminal charges and 20 years in prison. He is fighting to keep his livestock and his 40 year breeding program. He is fighting for his freedom. He is fighting for the rights of farmers, ranchers and animal owners everywhere. Gary's story is long and detailed and just getting started. His fight is the result of a perfect storm of circumstances:

- Measure 5, an initiated state statute was pushed by the Humane Society of the United States and the Humane Society Legislative Fund. It was defeated, however an amended version became law in 2013.
- Law enforcement in North Dakota that has been recently trained by the Humane Society of the United States on the enforcement of this new law.
- An employee that was not following through with his responsibilities of caring for the livestock and is now a witness with immunity.
- An out of state accuser.
- A veterinarian with a grudge and a previous defamation judgment against her to the tune of over a quarter of a million dollars.
- A Sheriff's Department with Deputies that have little to no experience with animals.
- A State's Attorney's office that clearly has no ranching or livestock background.
- Two independent veterinary assessments that were disregarded.

The results of Gary's legal fight will have an impact on farmers and ranchers and animal owners in North Dakota and around the whole country. This case has far reaching implications and it has the President of the North Dakota Farm Bureau, Daryl Lies, and North Dakota State Representative, Luke Simons very concerned. What would you do if they knocked on your door?

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