



## 94<sup>TH</sup> ANNIVERSARY SALE



**TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 1, 2022**  
**CRESTON LIVESTOCK MARKET**  
**CRESTON, IOWA**



# HOOVER ANGUS

94th Anniversary

## THIRTY-SECOND ANNUAL PRODUCTION SALE

**Tuesday, February 1, 2022 12:00 Noon CST**

**at the Creston Livestock Market, Creston, Iowa 50801**

Sale Day Phone: 641-782-7025 (Creston Livestock) Landi: 641-344-7684

### - 180 HEAD SELL -

- ★ 81 Spring Coming Yearling Bulls, p. 2-36 ★ 21 Fall Bulls, p. 37-43  
★ 45 Spring Bred Heifers, p. 44-59 ★ 23 Fall Bred Heifers, p. 60-67  
★ 10 Open Heifers, p. 67-72 ★ 1 Embryo Lot, p. 72 ★ 1 Pregnancy, Inside Back Cover

### GENERAL INFORMATION

**Storm Date:** Wednesday, February 2. Listen to 101.3 FM Creston Radio or visit [www.hooverangus.com](http://www.hooverangus.com) for weather announcement.

**Headquarters:** Creston Livestock Market, 201 N. Cherry Street, Creston, IA 50801. 641-782-7025

**Sale Barn Location:** From the East side of Creston on Hwy. 34: Go North on Osage past the grain elevator. Turn West on Howard Street, go to Cherry Street and turn South. Livestock barn straight ahead on the left.

**Accommodations in Creston, IA:** Quality Inn, 641-782-6541; Supertel Inn, 641-782-7873; Moonlite Motel, 641-782-4422; Holiday Motel, 641-782-1644.

**Transportation:** Creston, Iowa is located on the junction of Iowa Hwys 34 and 25. This is 34 miles South of I-80 at Exit 86 or 28 miles West of I-35 at the Osceola Exit 33. The Des Moines International Airport, Des Moines, Iowa is located 73 miles from Creston.

**Trucking:** If notified ahead of time or at conclusion of sale, Hoover Angus will be glad to assist in finding reliable trucking. Transportation costs are the responsibility of the buyer.

**Herd Health:** Cattle will have proper health papers available. For out-of-state buyers, please be aware of your state's health testing requirements (if any) for imports. All bred females are ultrasound safe with calf. Ultrasound dates are approximate with no guarantee of an AI calf. We have tried to determine AI or natural calf to the best of our ability. Bulls will be tested prior to the sale. Please check back closer to sale date for a list of bulls awaiting a passing semen test. If buyer takes bull home sale day, semen check is recommended prior to turn-out. The herd practices a calfhood vaccination program. Dams of all animals in this sale have been tested negative for Johne's disease on a yearly basis. We use clean needle procedures whereby a sterile needle is used for every injection.

**Insurance:** Insurance will be available sale day.

**Terms and Conditions:** Cash or good check. Registration certificates will be transferred to new owner(s) after payment is made in full. All cattle will sell according to the terms and conditions of the American Angus Association, a copy of which may be picked up in the office sale day. Except for those stated in the American Angus Association Suggested Sale Terms and Conditions, there are no warranties either expressed or implied, as to merchantability or fitness for a particular purpose, with respect to the cattle being sold at this auction. The warranties and guarantees set forth in the "Suggested Sale Terms and Conditions" are

in lieu of all other warranties, either expressed or implied and the remedies provided therein shall be the sole and exclusive remedy of the buyer, or any party claiming through the buyer, for any breach or warranty or guarantee therein provided and all other obligations or liabilities.

**Lunch:** The restaurant at the sale barn will be open and serving throughout the sale.

**Inspection of Sale Cattle:** Cattle may be seen any time at the farm prior to Sunday, January 30. We will be in the process of moving the cattle to the sale barn on Sunday. All cattle will be available to see at the sale barn Monday morning, January 31, through the conclusion of the sale. Sale cattle videos will be available by visiting [www.hooverangus.com](http://www.hooverangus.com)

**Liability:** All persons who attend this sale do so at their own risk, legal or otherwise. The owner and the sale staff assume no liability for property loss or any accidents that may occur.

**NOTE:** Please read about our bull boarding policy on page 1. EPD's printed current as of December 10, 2021.

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### Announcements from the block take precedence sale day.

#### Auctioneer:

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to get to Hoover Angus.**

**Please call or email  
for directions.**



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Four generations of the Hoover Angus Family: David & Joy McFarland; Andrew, Landi, Gwen & Ty Livingston; John Kiburz.

## Welcome to our 94<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Sale!

It is certainly an exciting time to be in the cattle business if you are fortunate enough to be in a part of the country that hasn't faced extreme drought! Factors look highly favorable for cow-calf producers as we come into 2022! The demand for high quality Angus genetics this past fall has been unbelievable.

The cattle selling today represent up to 18 consecutive generations of females bred by the Hoover family. Although the industry has seen vast advancements since Walt Hoover began the Angus herd 94 years ago, our commitment to producing functional, profitable cattle for commercial cattlemen has not. Our toolbox of ways we can measure, evaluate, and make genetic selections continues to grow. All animals in this sale are genomically tested, with this genetic information incorporated into their EPDs. Throughout the catalog you will see how we put selection pressure towards things not measured by EPDs – such as udder quality and mothering ability – things that are very important to a cattleman!

We will be hosting an open house all of January – instead of choosing a certain date, it's all month long! Come at your convenience! Please call Landi at 641-344-7684 and we will show you the cattle. **As a token of our appreciation, we'll give a \$100 credit toward your total purchase if you come view the cattle prior to the sale and then make a purchase.**

As always, we try to be prompt with the start of our sale. Pre-sale commentary will begin at 11:45 in order to get the auction underway at 12:00.

Thank you for your interest in Hoover Angus genetics. We very much appreciate our customers who allow us to continue the Hoover tradition!

*The Hoover Angus Family*

*Creating genetics with an optimum balance  
of phenotype, maternal, and EPD strength  
through the art and science of a  
disciplined breeding program.*

## Bull Boarding

### Sale Bulls

Take your bull(s) sale day or Wednesday, February 2 directly from Creston Livestock to receive a **\$100** discount per bull! Females not included in this discount. Trucking is the responsibility of the buyer, but we can assist in finding reliable transportation if requested. Bulls that return home to Hoover Angus after the sale for any reason are not eligible for this discount.

OR

We will board bulls free of charge until May 1. Bulls must be picked up on or before May 1. On May 1, we bring in 250 females to begin AI, and our lot space cannot accommodate cycling females next to bulls of breeding age. *Bulls left after May 1 will be assessed a \$5/day room and board fee.*

### Sale Females

We are extremely appreciative of females that leave from the sale barn sale day or Wednesday, February 2 with their new owners or reliable trucking. On the morning of Sunday, January 30, sale cattle are transported to the sale barn. That afternoon we bring in ~150 heavy females to calve in our lots, and therefore our lot space cannot accommodate sale females coming back to the farm. If the forecast predicts inclement weather for sale day, please talk to Joy or Landi in advance if transportation may be a challenge.

This sale will be broadcast live on the internet.

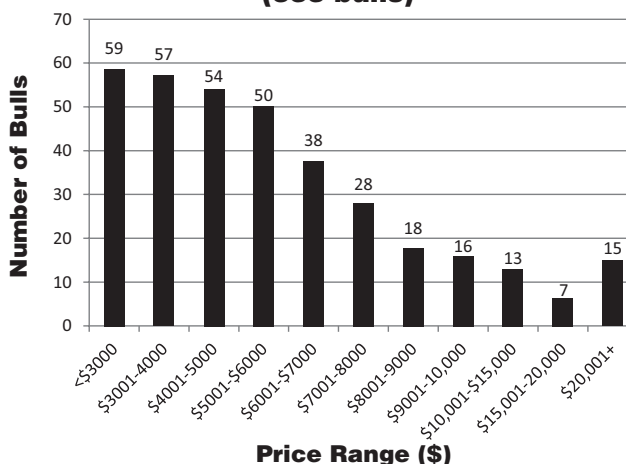
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### Bull Prices from the 2018-2021 Hoover Angus Sales (355 bulls)







## HOOVER 38 SPECIAL Z2 – Lot 1



### HOOVER 38 SPECIAL Z2

Reg. #20128762

Tattoo: L/R Z2

12/30/20

EF Commando 1366 #  
**BALDRIDGE 38 SPECIAL**  
Baldrige Isabel Y69

Connealy Counselor #  
**ERICA OF ELLSTON L5**  
Erica of Ellston G366 #

EF Complement 8088 #  
Riverbend Young Lucy W1470  
Styles Upgrade J59 #  
Baldrige Isabel T935  
Connealy Mentor 7374 #  
Jaze of Conanga 234  
SydGen C C & 7 #  
Erica of Ellston D184

BW	88
ADJ. 205/WR	869/114
ADJ. 365/YR	
%IMF/RATIO	
RE/RATIO	
ADJ. SCR.	

CED	BW		WW		YW		RADG		YH		SC		\$W	
+7	+1.3		+90		1% +156		2% +28		25% +1.0		10% +2.27		1% +103	
HP		CEM		Milk		Doc		Claw		Angle		\$M		
+17.1	5%		+3		+35		5% +28		10% +34		4% +59		+80	
CW		MB		RE		Fat		\$F		\$B		\$C		
+68	10%		+74		+58		+0.53		+100		20% +151		30% +276	
Dam	BWR		WWR		YWR		Sons @ Auction		Daughters @ Auction		Daughters In Herd			
	3-105		3-106		2-107		8-\$23,000		2-\$28,500		6-107			
Grandam	BWR		WWR		YWR		Sons @ Auction		Daughters @ Auction					
	9-98		9-107		7-107		15-\$9200		3-\$24,000					

- ★ Retaining 1/3 revenue sharing semen interest.
- ★ Z2 is one of my favorites! He's a meatwagon! He is really thick, big nutted, and super slick haired. Because of his stoutness, I'll err on the side of caution and recommend him for use on cows.
- ★ Z2 was the #1 weaning weight bull of the *entire* crop (ET and non-ET calves)!
- ★ Z2 is a calm bull, and on picture-taking day, we put Z2 in our decoy pen by himself. He calmly watched us taking pictures all day, and napped through part of it.
- ★ A full brother to Z2 was the 2<sup>nd</sup> top-selling bull in our 2021 auction at \$29,000 to 66 Ranch in Duchess, Alberta. Many registered breeders had found this bull prior to sale day! Another full brother works for Chance Benoit at LJC Angus.
- ★ Oh where do I start on L5? The power of this cow family just doesn't stop, and L5 sure passes the quality on to her progeny. In the boxes above you will note that L5 has 6 daughters in our herd with an average 107 WR, and it's no mistake! Five of her daughters have served as working donors!
- ★ Z2 is a full brother to the great Erica of Ellston S7 cow – she is the dam of featured bulls Lots 3-4, and feature bred heifer, Lot 106. S7 was the dam of the "Pick of the No Doubt" flush sisters in our 2021 mini online sale that garnered \$36,500 for a 9

month-old heifer calf! Read more about S7 in these bull's footnotes.

- ★ We sold ½ interest in a maternal sister to Z2 for \$35,000 to Mountain View Ranch in Morristown, TN. We will hear more from this great female in the future! This female pictured on page 3, Erica of Ellston X124, also sold six IVF embryos in our 2021 mini online sale for a total of \$13,800!
- ★ L5 served as a donor cow for Baldrige Performance Angus in North Platte, Nebraska. L5's first year at Baldriges, she weaned an 842 pound heifer calf to ratio 107 in a small contemporary group of donor cow's calves! This full sister to Z2 went on to sell ½ interest in Denver for \$35,000!
- ★ L5's top son at Baldriges was the Lot 2 bull in their 2020 sale, Baldrige Romeo F179, selling to CRV for \$20,000!
- ★ L5's first daughter to come to auction for Hoover Angus sold for \$22,000 to Moon Creek Farms and Hansine Ranch Partnership. She serves as a working donor for them and records a whopping 3-126 WR with below average birth ratios! Korey Krull of Moon Creek reports about this cow, "Her best attribute is her udder quality, teat size and placement, along with her perfect feet and legs." This cow produced the top selling pregnancy in their 2021 auction to Wilks Ranch in Texas.
- ★ L5's top son was the \$33,000 Hoover Top Notch P409 selling to Select Sires, Baldrige Performance Angus, and Ray Sikes. A flush brother to Top Notch was selected by Accelerated Genetics and Hart Farms in the same sale. Other bulls from this "Fab Five" flush were selected by Jarrod Kirk, Lyle Olson, and Travis McGee.
- ★ L5's first son, Hoover Ambition, was the 2<sup>nd</sup> top-selling bull in our 2016 auction selling to Alta Genetics for \$30,000. He was the #1 adjusted weaning weight bull of his crop.
- ★ L5 was the standout heifer of her crop – she was the #1 adjusted weaning weight heifer at 779 lbs., WR 116 and the #1 adjusted yearling weight heifer at 1160 lbs., YR 114. She turned in a superior scan with a 7.05 IMF, ratio 119, and a 14.6" ribeye, ratio 119. Among 88 contemporaries, she had the 5th largest ribeye scan. Breed average ribeye scan for heifers is currently 9.78"
- ★ A full brother to L5 resides at Select Sires – Hoover Counselor N29 was originally sold through our 2015 auction for \$23,000 for 2/3 interest to Steve Borns. In the Borns Angus dispersal sale in December 2017, ½ interest in N29 sold for \$39,000 to Select Sires!
- ★ Writing these footnotes, I am overwhelmed by the magnitude of what these Ericas have accomplished. Please read about the great impact of Pathfinder donor grandam G366 in the footnote of her son, Lot 15.
- ★ See pictures of most of the above-mentioned animals in the next column.

# YEARLING BULLS

**HOOVER**  
Angus



**HOOVER 38 SPECIAL Z147**

Reg. +20128773

Tattoo: L/R Z147

02/13/21

EF Commando 1366 #

**BALDRIDGE 38 SPECIAL**

Baldrige Isabel Y69

Connealy Counselor #

**ERICA OF ELLSTON L5**

Erica of Ellston G366 #

EF Complement 8088 #

Riverbend Young Lucy W1470

Styles Upgrade J59 #

Baldrige Isabel T935

Connealy Mentor 7374 #

Jaze of Conanga 234

SydGen C C &amp; 7 #

Erica of Ellston D184

BW	90
ADJ. 205/WR	819/108
ADJ. 365/YR	
%IMF/RATIO	
RE/RATIO	
ADJ. SCR.	

CED	BW		WW		YW		RADG		YH		SC		\$W	
+5	+1.4		+96		1% +164		1% +26		+1.1 5%		+1.99 3%		+107 1%	
HP	CEM		Milk		Doc				Claw		Angle		SM	
+20.4	1% +8		+32 15%		+20		+39 10%		+50				+94 1%	
CW	MB		RE		Fat				\$F		\$B		\$C	
+85	1% +67		+86 15%		+020		+120 4%		+174 10%		+320 2%			
Dam	BWR		WWR		YWR		Sons @ Auction		Daughters @ Auction		Daughters In Herd			
	3-105		3-106		2-107		8-\$23,000		2-\$28,500		6-107			
Grandam	BWR		WWR		YWR		Sons @ Auction		Daughters @ Auction		Daughters @ Auction			
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★ Retaining 1/3 revenue sharing semen interest.

★ Z147 has lots of middle and capacity. He was the 3<sup>rd</sup> top WW ET bull calf of his crop!★ Z147 is one of the top 10 non-parent bulls of the Angus breed for high Heifer Pregnancy (HP) EPD with his accuracy or greater! Z147 is among the top 100 non-parent bulls of the Angus breed for his exceptional combination of \$M and \$W indexes – the indexes that are most important if you sell your calves at weaning and retain replacement daughters for your herd! Z147 has the 2<sup>nd</sup> highest \$W of the bulls selling!

★ Z147 has superior growth potential with one of the top WW EPD, YW EPD, CW EPD and \$C indexes in the sale!

★ Flush brother to Lot 1 – please see footnote under Lot 1.

★ Z147 is likely best suited for use on cows.

**Success from the Ericas**

Erica of Ellston R65 was the 2nd top-selling bred heifer in our 2018 auction, and she serves as a working donor for Moon Creek Farms and Hansine Ranch Partnership. R65 is a maternal sister to our Lots 1-2 bulls.

R65 records 3-96 BWR and a stunning 3-126 WR! If she were still in the Hoover herd, she would be our #1 indexing cow! Korey Krull of Moon Creek reports about this cow, "Her best attribute is her udder quality, teat size and placement, along with her perfect feet and legs." This cow produced the top selling pregnancy in their 2021 auction to Wilks Ranch in Texas and a granddaughter of R65 sold for \$9000. Korey and Travis have been so pleased with R65 they purchased a second female from the same cow family - the pick of the No Doubt heifer calves in our fall 2021 online sale for \$36,500! This female is a flush sister to Lots 3-5 in this sale.

**Erica of Ellston L5**

Dam of Lots 1-2

Grandam of Lots 3-7

Relative of Lots 8-17

**Erica of Ellston S7**

Hoover Angus Donor

Full Sister to Lots 1-2;

Relative of Lots 3-17

**Erica of Ellston X124**

Owned with

Mountain View Ranch

\$70,000 Valuation

Maternal Sister to Lots 1-2;

Relative of Lots 3-17

**Hoover 38 Special X149**

Owned with 66 Ranch

\$29,000 Full Brother

to Lots 1-2;

Relative of Lots 3-17

**Hoover Ambition**

Owned with Alta Genetics

\$30,000 Maternal Brother

to Lots 1-2;

Relative of Lots 3-17

**Hoover Top Notch P409**

Owned with Baldrige

Performance Angus, Select

Sires, and Ray Sikes

\$33,000 Maternal Brother

to Lots 1-2;

Relative of Lots 3-17

**Hoover Cut Above P427**

Owned with Accelerated

Genetics and Hart Angus

\$24,000 Maternal Brother

to Lots 1-2;

Relative of Lots 3-17

**YEARLING BULLS**





**Erica of Ellston Z40**  
Owned by Abernathy  
Ranches and William Vacek  
\$30,000 Full Sister to Lots  
3-5; Relative of Lots 1-17



**Erica of Ellston Z33**  
Flush Sister to Lots 3-5;  
Relative of Lots 1-17



**Erica of Ellston Z37**  
Owned by Hansine Ranch Partnership and Moon Creek Farms  
\$36,500 Flush Sister to Lots 3-5; Relative of Lots 1-17



**Erica of Ellston Z54**  
Flush Sister to Lots 3-5;  
Relative of Lots 1-17



**Erica of Ellston Z57**  
Flush Sister to Lots 3-5;  
Relative of Lots 1-17



**HOOVER NO DOUBT Z35 – Lot 3**

- ★ Retaining 1/3 revenue sharing semen interest.
- ★ Z35 is a favorite of visitors to the farm! He's pretty hard to miss, and pretty hard to take your eyes off! Z35 has the classic No Doubt look with style. He is wide based, long, and extended.
- ★ Flush brothers sell as Lots 4-5. These powerful No Doubt flush brothers are recommended for use on cows.
- ★ We weaned 9 live calves from this flush, and I can honestly say they were the most consistent flush we have ever had in our 12 years of flushing cows.
- ★ The 5 sisters from this flush were offered in the "Pick of the No Doubt Flush Sisters" in our 2021 mini online sale. The pick sold for \$36,500 to repeat customers Moon Creek Farms and Hansine Ranch Partnership. The 5 flush sisters averaged a WW EPD of +90 and \$C of +303, but had the hard-to-find phenotype to go along with it!
- ★ The success stories that can be told about the Ericas far out-weigh the space on this page, but pages 2-10 are filled with progeny from the Ericas this year.
- ★ Dam S7 started her career out with a bang, producing the #1 adjusted weaning weight heifer of our 2019 crop that was the lead-off, top-selling female of our 2021 sale at \$32,000 to Pine View Angus. She serves as a donor for the Wessel family. Please see her picture on the next page.
- ★ S7 serves as a working donor for us and records 3-116 IMF ratio and 3-106 Ribeye ratio.
- ★ S7's individual performance data: BW 72 lbs., WW 827 lbs., WR 107, YW 1094 lbs., YR 106, IMF 9.23, ratio 156, ribeye 13.2", ratio 103. S7 was the #1 IMF scanning heifer of her crop, and her ribeye scan was 3.5" above breed average! Among her ET contemporaries, she was the #1 adjusted weaning weight and yearling weight heifer!
- ★ Superior udders run in this cow family, and the 5 generations of cows down the dam's side of this pedigree have been excellent uddered cows, even into old age.
- ★ Grandam L5 has one of the highest progeny averages at Hoover Angus – 10 progeny sold by Hoover Angus have averaged a whopping \$24,100! Sons from Hoover Angus are on the roster of three AI studs: Alta Genetics, Select Sires, and Accelerated Genetics. Please read more about L5 in the footnote of her featured son, Lot 1 – one of the top bulls of the crop. He'll be vying for the position of lead-off bull!
- ★ Please read about great grandam G366 in the footnote of her son, Lot 15. See G366's udder on page 10.
- ★ These flush brothers are a rare combination of the 2 most famous cow families at Hoover Angus – the Ericas on the bottom and Blackcaps on the top. No Doubt's Blackcap dam is still making headlines at 11 years of age – she was the dam of the 2021 top-selling bull of all breeds at the 2021 Midland Bull Test for \$158,000. No Doubt's dam is a 10<sup>th</sup> generation Blackcap female to be bred, born, and raised in Ellston, Iowa by four generations of the Hoover family!



### **HOOVER NO DOUBT Z35**

Reg. +20128766

Tattoo: L/R Z35

01/17/21

Mogck Bullseye #  
**HOOVER NO DOUBT**  
Miss Blackcap Ellston J2

Baldrige 38 Special  
**ERICA OF ELLSTON S7**  
Erica of Ellston L5

MOGCK Sure Shot #  
Mogck Mary 1255  
SydGen C C & 7 #  
Miss Blackcap Ellston D154 #  
EF Commando 1366 #  
Baldrige Isabel Y69  
Connealy Counselor #  
Erica of Ellston G366 #

BW	82
ADJ. 205/WR	774/102
ADJ. 365/YR	
%IMF/RATIO	
RE/RATIO	
ADJ. SCR.	

CED	BW		WW		YW		RADG		YH		SC		\$W	
-1	+2.7		+83		4% +148		3% +2.7 30%		+1.0 10%		+2.16 2%		+81 10%	
HP	CEM		Milk		Doc		Claw		Angle		\$M			
+14.6	20%		+7		+29 25%		+31 3%		+32 2%		+51		+61	
CW	MB		RE		Fat		SF		\$B		\$C			
+70	10%		+82 25%		+85 20%		+0.25		+108 15%		+168 15%		+279 15%	
Dam	BWR		WWR		YWR		Sons @ Auction		Daughters @ Auction		Daughters In Herd			
	3-98		3-108		2-111		None		2-\$34,250		None			
Grandam	BWR		WWR		YWR		Sons @ Auction		Daughters @ Auction					
	3-105		3-106		2-107		8-\$23,000		2-\$28,500					

**YEARLING BULLS**

**HOOVER**  
Angus





**HOOVER NO DOUBT Z53 – Lot 4**



**Erica of Ellston S7**  
Hoover Angus Donor  
Dam of Lots 3-5;  
Relative of Lots 1-17

**Erica of Ellston V88**  
Owned by  
Pine View Angus  
\$32,000 Maternal Sister  
to Lots 3-5;  
Relative of Lots 1-17



## HOOVER NO DOUBT Z53

Reg. +20128768

Tattoo: L/R Z53

01/21/21

Mogck Bullseye #  
**HOOVER NO DOUBT**  
Miss Blackcap Ellston J2

Baldrige 38 Special  
**ERICA OF ELLSTON S7**  
Erica of Ellston L5

MOGCK Sure Shot #  
Mogck Mary 1255  
SydGen C C & 7 #  
Miss Blackcap Ellston D154 #  
EF Commando 1366 #  
Baldrige Isabel Y69  
Connealy Counselor #  
Erica of Ellston G366 #

BW	89
ADJ. 205/WR	804/106
ADJ. 365/YR	
%IMF/RATIO	
RE/RATIO	
ADJ. SCR.	

CED	BW	WW	YW	RADG	YH	SC	\$W
+5	+1.3	+74 15%	+137 10%	+31 10%	+7 30%	+1.11	+75 20%
HP	CEM	Milk	Doc	Claw	Angle	\$M	
+11.1	+12 15%	+27	+27 15%	+39 10%	+48	+59	
CW	MB	RE	Fat	\$F	\$B	\$C	
+61 20%	+76 30%	+95 10%	-.006 25%	+109 10%	+170 10%	+279 15%	
Dam	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters In Herd	
	3-98	3-108	2-111	None	2-\$34,250	None	
Grandam	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction		
	3-105	3-106	2-107	8-\$23,000	2-\$28,500		

- ★ Retaining 1/3 revenue sharing semen interest.
- ★ Flush brother to Lots 3 and 5. Please see footnote under Lot 3 and pictures of his flush sisters on page 4.
- ★ Z53 is a super gentle bull, and has the classic No Doubt power and thickness. He's a good rascal!
- ★ Z53 is recommended for cows.



## HOOVER NO DOUBT Z67

Reg. +20128770

Tattoo: L/R Z67

01/27/21

Mogck Bullseye #  
**HOOVER NO DOUBT**  
Miss Blackcap Ellston J2

Baldrige 38 Special  
**ERICA OF ELLSTON S7**  
Erica of Ellston L5

MOGCK Sure Shot #  
Mogck Mary 1255  
SydGen C C & 7 #  
Miss Blackcap Ellston D154 #  
EF Commando 1366 #  
Baldrige Isabel Y69  
Connealy Counselor #  
Erica of Ellston G366 #

BW	92
ADJ. 205/WR	775/102
ADJ. 365/YR	
%IMF/RATIO	
RE/RATIO	
ADJ. SCR.	

CED	BW	WW	YW	RADG	YH	SC	\$W
+1	+2.2	+82 5%	+144 5%	+28 25%	+5	+95	+68
HP	CEM	Milk	Doc	Claw	Angle	\$M	
+14.6 20%	+7	+15	+26 15%	+32 2%	+47	+66	
CW	MB	RE	Fat	\$F	\$B	\$C	
+61 20%	+65	+1.11 3%	+0.16	+107 15%	+164 15%	+279 15%	
Dam	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters In Herd	
	3-98	3-108	2-111	None	2-\$34,250	None	
Grandam	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction		
	3-105	3-106	2-107	8-\$23,000	2-\$28,500		

- ★ Retaining 1/3 revenue sharing semen interest.
- ★ Flush brother to Lot 3 and 4. Please see footnote under Lot 3 and pictures of his flush sisters on page 4. Picture of his dam is to the left.
- ★ Z67 is a little more moderate and meaty. He is really deep sided and good footed. Z67 is recommended for use on cows.
- ★ Z67 is the 2<sup>nd</sup> top Ribeye EPD bull selling!



## HOOVER NEXTGEN Z259

Reg. 20128829

Tattoo: L/R Z259

02/27/21

V A R Generation 2100 #  
**SYDGEN NEXTGEN**  
SydGen Rita 4387

Baldrige 38 Special  
**ERICA OF ELLSTON V46**  
Erica of Ellston L5

Connealy Consensus 7229 #  
Sandpoint Blackbird 8809  
SydGen FATE 2800 #  
EXAR Rita 1885  
EF Commando 1366 #  
Baldrige Isabel Y69  
Connealy Counselor #  
Erica of Ellston G366 #

BW	75
ADJ. 205/WR	789/104
ADJ. 365/YR	
%IMF/RATIO	
RE/RATIO	
ADJ. SCR.	

CED	BW	WW	YW	RADG	YH	SC	\$W
+5	+2.0	+86 3%	+147 4%	+29 20%	+9 15%	+2.02 3%	+79 15%
HP	CEM	Milk	Doc	Claw	Angle	\$M	
+11.3	+5	+20	+18	+45 30%	+62	+50	
CW	MB	RE	Fat	\$F	\$B	\$C	
+67 10%	+1.08 10%	+88 15%	+0.28	+109 10%	+181 5%	+285 10%	
Dam	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters In Herd	
	1-97	1-104	None	None	None	None	
Grandam	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction		
	3-105	3-106	2-107	8-\$23,000	2-\$28,500		

- ★ Z259 is a younger calf out of a first calf heifer. He is level topped, correct in his structure, and good footed. His best quality is likely his laid back disposition. Strangers can put their hands on him out in the middle of the bull pen! If disposition is important to you and you want to save daughters, consider this bull!
- ★ Z259 is the 4<sup>th</sup> top Marbling EPD bull to sell, so if you feed out your steers or want to sell well-marbled freezer beef, check him out!
- ★ The indicators I look at tell me Z259 would be safe for heifers. His genomics came back a little less favorable for calving ease than I would have expected, so I'll recommend him for large framed, well-developed heifers or cows.
- ★ Dam V46 is a full sister to the great S7 donor cow – please read about her in the footnote of her son, Lot 3. Grandam L5 is the great Hoover and Baldrige donor cow – her featured son sells as Lot 1, please read about her there. See many pictures of this cow family, including S7 and L5, on pages 2-5.

Yearling bulls have blank boxes for yearling weight, ultrasound data, and scrotal. This data will be available 1 week prior to the sale at  
<http://hooverangus.com/sales.html>.

Sale order should be posted online by the evening of January 28 at the same location, or on our page at DVAAuction where our videos will be located.



# YEARLING BULLS



**HOOVER INCREDIBLE Z121**

Reg. 20128786

Tattoo: L/R Z121

02/09/21

Panther Cr Incredible 6704  
**JAR INCREDIBLE 6104 808**  
 Jar Erica 6104

Musgrave Invision  
 Panther Cr JH Blackbird 409  
 TC Total 410 #  
 JAR Ava Lee 048 3202  
 Connealy Commander  
 Queenmere of Ellston K189 #  
 SydGen C C & 7 #  
 Erica of Ellston D184

BW	77
ADJ. 205/WR	774/102
ADJ. 365/YR	
%IMF/RATIO	
RE/RATIO	
ADJ. SCR.	

Hoover Chief  
**ERICA OF ELLSTON T65**  
 Erica of Ellston G366 #

CED	BW	WW	YW	RADG	YH	SC	\$W
+6	+1.3	+68	25%	+116	+26	+5	+1.07
HP	CEM	Milk	Doc	Claw	Angle	\$M	
+14.3	25%	+11	25%	+35	5%	+22	30%
CW	MB	RE	Fat	\$F	\$B	\$C	
+54	30%	+31	+80	25%	-0.39	3%	+97
Dam	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters In Herd	
	2-107	2-110	None	None	None	None	
Grandam	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction		
	9-98	9-107	7-107	15-\$9200	3-\$24,000		

★ Z121 is a nicely put together, thick made, nice type bull. His ears are extremely short, as he was born in the ultra cold weather we had last year, which just happened to coincide with our peak calving season. He is the only bull of the crop that even got part of his tail froze off – not because we weren't trying to get these calves to the heater in time (we have no heated calving barns), but because we couldn't physically keep up. For all you bargain hunters, I would guess Z121 will be a good bargain just because of his super short ears and half tail. Luckily for his new owner, it won't affect his progeny at all!

★ Z121 has a little bit different pedigree for most of our repeat customers. He is recommended for large framed, well-developed heifers or cows.

★ Dam T65 is a beautiful daughter of the great G366 cow – please read just a portion of G366's successes in the footnote of her son, Lot 15. Yearling bulls descending from G366 include Lots 1-17.

★ T65's first two calves have averaged 801 pounds at weaning time. Her first calf was injured after weaning time and had to be culled.

★ T65 ties as the herd's 11<sup>th</sup> top indexing cow with 2-110 WR. She has a 360 day calving interval, and will move up in time significantly with her third calf in 2022. Can she wean another good calf to make her the fourth Pathfinder daughter of G366??? T65 is certainly emerging as another great daughter of G366.

**HOOVER CHAIRMAN Z7 – Lot 7****Hoover Gatlin**

Owned by Alta Genetics  
 \$11,000 Maternal Brother to  
 Lot 7; Relative of Lots 1-17

**Hoover Mahomes**

Owned by Salt Fork Angus  
 \$15,500 Maternal Brother to  
 Lot 7; Relative of Lots 1-17

**HOOVER CHAIRMAN Z7**

Reg. 20125331

Tattoo: L/R Z7

01/02/21

Fortunes Conquest 224  
**BALDRIDGE CHAIRMAN**  
 Baldridge Isabel B061

Connealy Commander  
**ERICA OF ELLSTON P44 #**  
 Erica of Ellston L5

Connealy Confidence 0100 #  
 Fortunes 4412 Ethelda 742  
 G A R Prophet #  
 Baldridge Isabel Y69  
 Connealy Consensus #  
 Gespa of Conanga 9380  
 Connealy Counselor #  
 Erica of Ellston G366 #

BW	77
ADJ. 205/WR	794/105
ADJ. 365/YR	
%IMF/RATIO	
RE/RATIO	
ADJ. SCR.	

CED	BW	WW	YW	RADG	YH	SC	\$W
+8	+1	25%	+67	30%	+121	25%	+24
HP	CEM	Milk	Doc	Claw	Angle	\$M	
+18.8	2%	+10	+29	25%	+22	30%	+34
CW	MB	RE	Fat	\$F	\$B	\$C	
+50	+44	+86	15%	+018	+87	+131	+257
Dam	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters In Herd	
	5-100	5-109	3-111	3-\$10,850	None	None	
Grandam	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction		
	3-105	3-106	2-107	8-\$23,000	2-\$28,500		

★ Retaining 1/3 revenue sharing semen interest.

★ Z7 is a tank like what his picture shows! He is a growthy, big bull that has the depth of his mother. He's level topped, deep sided, wide based, and has a nice disposition. If you want a bigger framed bull that doesn't sacrifice body depth, put this guy on your list. I really like him, and of course I love the cow family he comes from!

★ Z7 is recommended for use on heifers or cows.


★ Z7 will mark P44's third photo feature son to come to auction! Her 2019 son, Hoover Mahomes, was my favorite bull of our sale, and sold for \$15,500 to David Igo of Salt Fork Angus. He was the 4<sup>th</sup> top-selling bull of the event, and the 2<sup>nd</sup> top yearling weight bull.

★ P44's first son, Hoover Gatlin, was the 4<sup>th</sup> top weaning weight bull of his crop and works for Alta Genetics. Her third son works for repeat customer Craig Eshelman.

★ P44's daughter settled first service AI and will calve in February at Hoover Angus.

★ P44 serves as a working donor, yet records a superior 353 day calving interval on her 5 calves.

★ Please read about superior grandam L5 in the footnote of her son, Lot 1. She needs to garner just \$9000 worth of sons in this year's sale to reach the \$250,000 mark of registered progeny sales through Hoover Angus alone! Read about great grandam G366, regarded as our best cow in our 94 year history, in the footnote of one of her last sons to come to auction, Lot 15.



**Mothers & Udders:  
Quality  
Beyond EPDs**

At Hoover Angus, mothering ability and udder structure is very important, and it has been for over 9 decades. Pictured here are two Ericas (Lots 1-17 cow family). These pictures were taken after they calved last spring – notice how the mothers put their baby right in front of them so they can mother it well. Note also how these two cow's udders are nearly picture-perfect!

**YEARLING BULLS**



**HOOVER CHAIRMAN Z14 – Lot 9**



**Hoover Elite**  
Owned with  
Crawford Angus and  
High Point Genetics  
\$20,000 Full Brother to  
Lot 10; Relative of Lots 1-17



**Erica of Ellston N54**  
Pathfinder Hoover Donor  
Grandam of Lot 10; Relative of  
Lots 1-17



**Erica of Ellston Z8**  
7 month-old Maternal Sister to  
the Dam of Lot 10; Relative of  
Lots 1-17



**Erica of Ellston M38**  
Pathfinder Hoover Donor  
Dam of Lot 9;  
Relative of Lots 1-17



**Erica of Ellston R96**  
Pathfinder Hoover Donor  
Maternal Sister to Lot 9;  
Relative of Lots 1-17



**HOOVER CHAIRMAN Z14**

Reg. 20125332

Tattoo: L/R Z14

01/08/21

Fortunes Conquest 224  
**BALDRIDGE CHAIRMAN**  
Baldrige Isabel B061

Basin Excitement #  
**ERICA OF ELLSTON M38 #**  
Erica of Ellston G366 #

Connealy Confidence 0100 #  
Fortunes 4412 Ethelda 742  
G A R Prophet #  
Baldrige Isabel Y69  
Basin Expedition R156  
Basin Lady S532 AK  
SydGen C C & 7 #  
Erica of Ellston D184

BW	78
ADJ. 205/WR	756/100
ADJ. 365/YR	
%IMF/RATIO	
RE/RATIO	
ADJ. SCR.	

CED	BW		WW		YW		RADG		YH		SC		\$W	
+12	10%	-6	15%	+75	15%	+134	10%	+26	+6		+21		+80	15%
HP	CEM		Milk		Doc		Claw		Angle		SM			
+13.4	+12		15%	+25		+19		+56		+34		3%	+73	25%
CW		MB		RE		Fat		\$F		\$B		\$C		
+58	25%	+49		+71		+009		+98		25%	+143		+258	30%
Dam	BWR		WWR		YWR		Sons @ Auction		Daughters @ Auction		Daughters In Herd			
	6-103		6-114		3-112		1-\$14,500		1-\$48,000		1-114			
Grandam	BWR		WWR		YWR		Sons @ Auction		Daughters @ Auction		Daughters @ Auction			
	9-98		9-107		7-107		15-\$9200		4-\$24,000					

- ★ Retaining 1/3 revenue sharing semen interest.
- ★ Z14 is incredibly thick! He is stout, beefy and big butted! He'll sire great feeder calves, yet daughters will have plenty of middle and capacity and make beautiful females. Z14 is the natural calf of his working donor dam.
- ★ Genomics peg Z14 as super calving ease, so I do recommend him for either heifers or cows.
- ★ Pathfinder dam M38 serves as the herd's 2<sup>nd</sup> top indexing cow! She produced three-in-a-row #1 adjusted weaning weight heifers in their respective crops, all weaning over 820 pounds. M38 generated \$27,400 in embryo sales through our 2019 mini online auction.
- ★ M38 is a superior uddered female with one of the best dispositions on the farm. She is truly a model Angus cow and serves as a working donor with a 355 day calving interval on her first 5 natural calves (before we took her out of production for a year to flush her).
- ★ M38's only daughter in the herd, R96, is the 3<sup>rd</sup> top indexing cow of the herd with 3-114 WR. She is the dam of the beautiful open heifer, Lot 178. R96 has grossed over \$125,000 on progeny and embryo sales, and she has another four bulls (Lots 11-14) selling today! Read more about her in Lot 11's footnote.
- ★ Pathfinder donor grandam G366 is easily regarded as the best cow in Hoover's history. Please read about her in the footnote of her ET son, Lot 15.
- ★ The Ericas have been a dominant force of our top-end genetics for many years. They have proven themselves the hard way – the old-fashioned way – by progeny performance and success. Six of the past 7 years, sons of the Ericas have been the Lot 1 bulls in our sales. In our 2021 auction, of the 8 animals that hit the \$20,000+ price tag, 6 of them were from the Erica cow family.



**HOOVER ENTICE Z29**

Reg. 20125340

Tattoo: L/R Z29

01/13/21

SydGen Enhance  
**MOGCK ENTICE**  
MOGCK Erica 2255 #

Bruns Top Cut 373 #  
**ERICA OF ELLSTON R217 #**  
Erica of Ellston N54 #

SydGen Exceed 3223  
SydGen Rita 2618  
Mogck Sure Shot 253  
MOGCK Erica 2162  
Bruns Uppercut 610  
Dakota Miss 669 Baf #  
Basin Excitement #  
Erica of Ellston G366 #

BW	84
ADJ. 205/WR	775/102
ADJ. 365/YR	
%IMF/RATIO	
RE/RATIO	
ADJ. SCR.	

CED	BW		WW		YW		RADG		YH		SC		\$W		
+3	+2.7		+85	3%	+156	2%	+32	5%	+1.1	5%	+1.48	15%	+85	10%	
HP		CEM		Milk		Doc		Claw		Angle		\$M			
+16.4	10%	+6		+26		+33		2%	+43	20%	+36	5%	+99	1%	
CW		MB		RE		Fat		\$F		\$B		\$C			
+83	1%	+51		+86		15%	-029		10%	+134	1%	+185	4%	+339	1%
Dam	BWR		WWR		YWR		Sons @ Auction		Daughters @ Auction		Daughters In Herd				
	4-97		4-105		3-106		2-\$13,375		None		None				
Grandam	BWR		WWR		YWR		Sons @ Auction		Daughters @ Auction						
	6-93		6-106		4-105		3-\$5100		2-\$13,250						

- ★ Z29 is a larger framed, rugged growth bull with super length of body.
- ★ Z29 has several of the top EPDs of bulls selling: ties as the 2<sup>nd</sup> top \$M, has the 2<sup>nd</sup> top \$F, 5<sup>th</sup> top \$B, and 2<sup>nd</sup> top \$C! We do recommend this growthy bull for use on cows.
- ★ Pathfinder dam R217 is a working donor that keeps cranking out good ones! Z29 is her natural calf this year. R217 has a 353 day calving interval on her 4 natural calves, and we held her out of production this summer to get some more embryos out of her. She flushed real nicely this fall, and we'll have a great set of ET calves by R217 next fall.
- ★ R217's first son works for long-time repeat customer Darrell Wagoner. Her next son, a full brother to Z29, was Landi's favorite bull of the crop. Selected by Crawford Angus and High Point Genetics, he was re-named Hoover Elite – a very fitting name for the bull! We used Elite AI this past fall. Elite was the 2<sup>nd</sup> top yearling weight bull of the sale, and what a powerhouse he is! Elite has nine EPDs or indexes in the best 1% of the breed – see more about him on page 2 of our sire directory.
- ★ Z29 is a rare find with three consecutive generations of Pathfinder cows down the dam's side of his pedigree.
- ★ Pathfinder grandam N54 is my favorite G366 daughter. N54 is a beautiful cow – the picture above was taken this past July, the week before her calf was weaned. Her 2021 calf is possibly the best calf of the heifer crop!
- ★ N54 has a superb 355 day calving interval, and that includes stealing flushes two different years. Three of her daughters have served as donors. We are selling embryos out of one of N54's daughters as Lot 181.
- ★ Although there are several ways I believe the \$Maternal Value (\$M) index can be improved (such as adding a component of mature cow fertility) there are some lines that \$M pegs pretty accurately. N54 is one of those. She is one of 21 Hoover-owned females to crack the +100 level of \$M. Breed average for current dams is only +57, and N54 is +103! Out of over 350,000 dams nation-wide, only 299 cows have a +103 \$M or higher! Sort these 299 cows down to the high accuracy cows, and only N54 and one other cow come to the top!
- ★ N54's progeny work for Shirley Focken, Jim Mengarelli, Larry Hohertz, and Locust Grove Beef Cattle. Several of her progeny have been among the very top weaning weight calves of their respective crops, including two ET progeny that were the #1.
- ★ N54's full sister produced the super stout Lot 9 bull. Read about the tremendous M38 cow in his footnote! M38 is the grandam of the neat flush of bulls, Lots 11-14.
- ★ Please read about great grandam G366 in the footnote of her son, Lot 15. Bull Lots 1-17 descend from G366.
- ★ Please see pictures of R217 and N54 in the box on page 6.



**YEARLING BULLS**





**Erica of Ellston R96**  
 Pathfinder Hoover Donor  
 Dam of Lots 11-14;  
 Relative of Lots 1-17



**Erica of Ellston X39**  
 Owned by Russell Cattle Co.  
 \$22,000 Full Sister to Lots  
 11-14; Relative of Lots 1-17



**Erica of Ellston X52**  
 Owned by Jocko Valley Cattle  
 and Dave Powers  
 \$18,000 Full Sister to  
 Lots 11-14; Relative of Lots 1-17



**Erica of Ellston X54**  
 Owned by Nature Road Angus  
 and Hill Top Farms  
 \$15,000 Full Sister to  
 Lots 11-14; Relative of Lots 1-17



## HOOVER 38 SPECIAL Z30 – Lot 11

Angus, Baldrige Performance Angus, Bullseye Angus, KDS Angus, and 2S Angus. T220 is on track for becoming the most well-known Hoover Angus female in our 94-year history! Her progeny have already grossed over \$200,000 before she has turned 4 years of age! Two sons have sold to bull studs. Daughters of T220 serve as donors in 7 herds in 5 different states.

- ★ T220 weaned at 784 pounds, WR 118 to be the 3<sup>rd</sup> top adjusted weaning weight heifer of the 2018 Hoover crop.
- ★ T220 produced 52 embryos as a coming yearling heifer, and bred back first service AI for her first natural calf. This natural heifer calf weaned off an adjusted 799 pounds (no creep). T220's first four ET progeny through AHIR averaged an adjusted 855 pound weaning weight. See more about T220 in the box on page 9.
- ★ Pathfinder dam R96 has a stunning record of production and fertility – she was flushed as a wet two year-old, three year-old, and four year-old, and maintains a 356 day calving interval! R96 has grossed over \$125,000 on progeny and embryo sales, and she is the dam of the beautiful open heifer Lot 178 selling today! R96 is the herd's 3<sup>rd</sup> top indexing cow with 3-114 WR!
- ★ Daughters of R96 (and full sisters to this flush of bull calves) have sold to Dana Russell, Jocko Valley and Dave Powers, and Nature Road Angus. A full brother was the 3<sup>rd</sup> top-selling bull of our 2021 auction at \$26,000 to long-time repeat customer Glen Hanson. Glen's bull was the #1 adjusted weaning weight ET calf of the crop at 865 pounds and our Lot 1 bull last year! He also was the #1 adjusted yearling weight bull of our 2021 sale.
- ★ R96's first two sons were both photo features selling to Richard & Jason Swaney and Barnett Angus.
- ★ R96 was the #1 adjusted weaning weight, 3<sup>rd</sup> top yearling weight heifer of her crop at 827 lbs., WR 120, YW 1093 lbs., YR 114.
- ★ Pathfinder donor grandam M38 serves as the herd's 2<sup>nd</sup> top indexing cow! Please read about her under her featured son, Lot 9.
- ★ Pathfinder donor great grandam G366 is easily regarded as the best cow in Hoover's history. Read about her under Lot 15.
- ★ Nine Pathfinders are found in this pedigree, including *three consecutive* generations down his dam's side!
- ★ You may note that despite Z30 having the lowest adjusted weaning weight of his flush brothers, he has the 2<sup>nd</sup> highest WW EPD and the top YW EPD. How can this be? In part, because his recip dam isn't the flashiest cow in the herd, she records 5-95 WR on her progeny. In addition, Z30 had a 1 (out of 100) ranking for both WW and YW on his genomic percentile rankings. This means among the nearly 1 million Angus genotypes collected by the American Angus Association by last May, Z30 ranks in the best 1% of those 1 million animals for both WW and YW. In EPD calculations by the American Angus Association, genomics are very powerful and weigh extremely heavily on EPDs in comparison to actual phenotypes (such as actual weaning weights submitted).



## HOOVER 38 SPECIAL Z30

Reg. +20128765

Tattoo: L/R Z30

01/15/21

EF Commando 1366 #  
**BALDRIDGE 38 SPECIAL**  
 Baldrige Isabel Y69

Bruns Top Cut 373 #  
**ERICA OF ELLSTON R96 #**  
 Erica of Ellston M38 #

EF Complement 8088 #  
 Riverbend Young Lucy W1470  
 Styles Upgrade J59 #  
 Baldrige Isabel T935  
 Bruns Upper-cut 610  
 Dakota Miss 669 Baf #  
 Basin Excitement #  
 Erica of Ellston G366 #

BW	71
ADJ. 205/WR	714/94
ADJ. 365/YR	
%IMF/RATIO	
RE/RATIO	
ADJ. SCR.	

CED	BW		WW		YW		RADG		YH		SC		\$W	
+8	+2	30%	+98	1%	+174	1%	+32	5%	+1.2	3%	+82	+106	1%	
HP	CEM		Milk		Doc		Claw		Angle		\$M			
+16.6	10%	+10	+31	15%	+29	10%	+47		+38	10%	+82	10%		
CW	MB		RE		Fat		\$F		\$B		\$C			
+79	2%	+74	+93	10%	-017	15%	+117	5%	+178	10%	+313	2%		
Dam	BWR		WWR		YWR		Sons @ Auction		Daughters @ Auction		Daughters In Herd			
	3-106		3-114		2-109		3-\$14,425		4-\$18,750		None			
Grandam	BWR		WWR		YWR		Sons @ Auction		Daughters @ Auction					
	6-103		6-114		3-112		1-\$14,500		1-\$48,000					

- ★ Retaining 1/3 revenue sharing semen interest.
- ★ Look at the depth and capacity in this dude! He is wide based and stout!
- ★ He is recommended for heifers or cows. Save every daughter he produces! I would expect them to be soggy, neat uddered, highly productive females.
- ★ Z30 offers the #1 YW EPD, 2<sup>nd</sup> top WW EPD, and 4<sup>th</sup> top \$W Value among all bulls selling today!
- ★ Flush brothers sell as Lots 12-14.
- ★ These flush brothers are full brothers to the \$200,000 valued Erica of Ellston T220 cow! T220 sold as an 8 month-old calf for \$20,000, and is now owned by 7 Oaks

# YEARLING BULLS

**HOOVER**  
*Angus*



## HOOVER 38 SPECIAL Z49

Reg. +20128767

Tattoo: L/R Z49

01/21/21

EF Commando 1366 #

**BALDRIDGE 38 SPECIAL**

Baldrige Isabel Y69

Bruns Top Cut 373 #

**ERICA OF ELLSTON R96 #**

Erica of Ellston M38 #

EF Complement 8088 #

Riverbend Young Lucy W1470

Styles Upgrade J59 #

Baldrige Isabel T935

Bruns Uppercut 610

Dakota Miss 669 Baf #

Basin Excitement #

Erica of Ellston G366 #

BW	68
ADJ. 205/WR	789/104
ADJ. 365/YR	
%IMF/RATIO	
RE/RATIO	
ADJ. SCR.	

CED	BW		WW		YW		RADG		YH		SC		\$W	
+7	+5		+84		3%+149		3%+26		+9 15%		+66		+96 1%	
HP	CEM		Milk		Doc		Claw		Angle		SM			
+17.7	3%	+9	+31 15%		+21		+49		+42 20%		+89		3%	
CW	MB		RE		Fat		SF		SB		SC			
+61	20%	+66	+83 20%		+002		+93		+147		+280		15%	
Dam	BWR		WWR		YWR		Sons @ Auction		Daughters @ Auction		Daughters In Herd			
	3-106		3-114		2-109		3-\$14,425		4-\$18,750		None			
Grandam	BWR		WWR		YWR		Sons @ Auction		Daughters @ Auction					
	6-103		6-114		3-112		1-\$14,500		1-\$48,000					

★ Retaining 1/3 revenue sharing semen interest.

★ Flush brothers sell as Lots 11-13. See footnote under Lot 11.

★ Z49 is a really meaty bull with lots of middle! He's got a big quarter and an attractive type!

★ Z49 is suitable for large framed heifers or cows.



**Erica of Ellston Z39**  
 Flush Sister to Lots 11-14;  
 Relative of Lots 1-17  
 Sells as Lot 178

**Hoover Entice V74**  
 Owned by Bryce Barnett  
 \$8500 Maternal Brother  
 to Lots 11-14;  
 Relative of Lots 1-17



## HOOVER 38 SPECIAL Z117

Reg. +20128771

Tattoo: L/R Z117

02/09/21

EF Commando 1366 #

**BALDRIDGE 38 SPECIAL**

Baldrige Isabel Y69

Bruns Top Cut 373 #

**ERICA OF ELLSTON R96 #**

Erica of Ellston M38 #

EF Complement 8088 #

Riverbend Young Lucy W1470

Styles Upgrade J59 #

Baldrige Isabel T935

Bruns Uppercut 610

Dakota Miss 669 Baf #

Basin Excitement #

Erica of Ellston G366 #

BW	86
ADJ. 205/WR	776/102
ADJ. 365/YR	
%IMF/RATIO	
RE/RATIO	
ADJ. SCR.	

CED	BW		WW		YW		RADG		YH		SC		SW	
+4	+1.9		+94		1% +161		1% +28		25% +7		30% +78		+107 1%	
HP	CEM		Milk		Doc		Claw		Angle		SM			
+9.8	+5		+33 10%		+25 20%		+51		+41 15%		+80 10%			
CW		MB		RE		Fat		SF		SB		SC		
+68	10%	+74		+66		+.028		+101 20%		+155 25%		+281 15%		
Dam	BWR		WWR		YWR		Sons @ Auction		Daughters @ Auction		Daughters In Herd			
	3-106		3-114		2-109		3-\$14,425		4-\$18,750		None			
Grandam	BWR		WWR		YWR		Sons @ Auction		Daughters @ Auction		Daughters @ Auction			
	6-103		6-114		3-112		1-\$14,500		1-\$48,000		1-\$48,000			

★ Retaining 1/3 revenue sharing semen interest.

★ Z117 is a nice profiling bull that may just be the most attractive bull this cow has made! He is a high growth bull we do recommend for use on cows. He is one of the top WW and YW EPD bulls to sell as well as the tie for 2<sup>nd</sup> top \$W!

★ Flush brothers sell as Lots 11, 13, and 14. Please see footnote under Lot 11.



## HOOVER 38 SPECIAL Z59

Reg. +20128769

Tattoo: L/R Z59

01/23/21

EF Commando 1366 #

**BALDRIDGE 38 SPECIAL**

Baldrige Isabel Y69

Bruns Top Cut 373 #

**ERICA OF ELLSTON R96 #**

Erica of Ellston M38 #

EF Complement 8088 #

Riverbend Young Lucy W1470

Styles Upgrade J59 #

Baldrige Isabel T935

Bruns Uppercut 610

Dakota Miss 669 Baf #

Basin Excitement #

Erica of Ellston G366 #

BW	84
ADJ. 205/WR	747/98
ADJ. 365/YR	
%IMF/RATIO	
RE/RATIO	
ADJ. SCR.	

CED	BW		WW		YW		RADG		YH		SC		SW	
+2	+3.8		+99		1% +166		1% +27 30%		+1.2 3%		+62		+108 1%	
HP	CEM		Milk		Doc		Claw		Angle		SM			
+15.8	15%	+7	+36		4% +28		10% +51		+44		25%	+93	2%	
CW	MB		RE		Fat		SF		SB		SC			
+72	5%	+89	20%	+71	+035		+103		20%	+163	15%	+304	4%	
Dam	BWR		WWR		YWR		Sons @ Auction		Daughters @ Auction		Daughters In Herd			
	3-106		3-114		2-109		3-\$14,425		4-\$18,750		None			
Grandam	BWR		WWR		YWR		Sons @ Auction		Daughters @ Auction					
	6-103		6-114		3-112		1-\$14,500		1-\$48,000					

★ Retaining 1/3 revenue sharing semen interest.

★ Flush brothers sell as Lots 11, 12, and 14. See footnote under Lot 11.

★ Z59 is a long bodied, tight sheath bull. He is slicker haired than most 38 Specials.

★ Z59 scored very well on his genomics for growth, and consequently has less calving ease. We recommend him for use on cows.

★ Z59 is among the top 98 non-parent bulls of the Angus breed for his exceptional combination of \$M and \$W indexes – the indexes that are most important if you sell your calves at weaning and retain replacement daughters for your herd!

★ Z59 has the #1 WW EPD, #1 \$W Value, and 2<sup>nd</sup> top YW EPD of any animal selling today!

## ERICA OF ELLSTON T220



★ T220 is \$200,000 valuation full sister to Lots 11-14 and is a relative of Lots 1-17. She is also a full sister to the featured open heifer, Lot 178.

★ We sold T220 as an 8 month-old calf for \$20,000, and she is now owned by 7 Oaks Angus, Baldrige Performance Angus, Bullsseye Angus, KDS Angus, and 2S Angus. T220 is on track for becoming the most well-known Hoover Angus female in our 94-year history!

★ T220's progeny have already grossed over \$200,000 before she has turned 4 years of age! Two sons have sold to bull studs: BA7 Oaks Credence and BA7 Oaks Bold Ruler, both at Alta Genetics. Two sons will be selling in the January 7th National Angus Bull Sale at the Cattlemen's Congress.

★ Daughters of T220 serve as donors in 7 herds in 5 different states.

★ T220 weaned at 784 pounds, WR 118 to be the 3rd top adjusted weaning weight heifer of the 2018 Hoover crop.

★ T220 produced 52 embryos as a coming yearling heifer, and bred back first service AI for her first natural calf. This natural heifer calf weaned off an adjusted 799 pounds (no creep). T220's first four ET progeny through AHIR averaged an adjusted 855 pound weaning weight.

**BA7 Oaks Bold Ruler**  
 Son of T220  
 Owned by  
 Alta Genetics



# YEARLING BULLS





**HOOVER 38 SPECIAL Z3 – Lot 15**



**Erica of Ellston G366**  
Candid photo at  
8 years of age  
Pathfinder Dam,  
Grandam, or Great  
Grandam of Lots 1-17

**Erica of Ellston G366**  
Udder at 12½ years of age  
Pathfinder Dam,  
Grandam, or Great  
Grandam of Lots 1-17



**Erica of Ellston N31**  
Owned by KDS Angus  
\$12,000 Maternal Sister to  
Lots 15-17;  
Relative of Lots 1-14



### HOOVER 38 SPECIAL Z3

Reg. +20128763

Tattoo: L/R Z3

12/31/20

EF Commando 1366 #  
**BALDRIDGE 38 SPECIAL**  
Baldrige Isabel Y69

SydGen C C & 7 #  
**ERICA OF ELLSTON G366 #**  
Erica of Ellston D184

EF Complement 8088 #  
Riverbend Young Lucy W1470  
Styles Upgrade J59 #  
Baldrige Isabel T935  
S A F Connection #  
SydGen Forever Lady 4087  
Woodhill Statesman 54K-90N #  
Erica of Ellston B235 #

BW	89
ADJ. 205/WR	814/107
ADJ. 365/YR	
%IMF/RATIO	
RE/RATIO	
ADJ. SCR.	

CED	BW		WW		YW		RADG		YH		SC		\$W	
+6	+1.6		+82		5% +146		4% +25		+1.3 2%		+74		+88 4%	
HP	CEM		Milk		Doc		Claw		Angle				SM	
+16.5	10%	+8	+29 25%		+28 10%		+34 4%		+44 25%		+87		4%	
CW	MB		RE		Fat		SF		SB				SC	
+64	15%	+74	+68				+009		+101 20%		+157 25%		+291 10%	
Dam	BWR	WWR	YWR		Sons @ Auction		Daughters @ Auction		Daughters In Herd					
	9-98	9-107	7-107		15-\$9200		3-\$24,000		6-107					

- ★ Retaining 1/3 revenue sharing semen interest.
- ★ Z3 is a big topped, masculine, thick bull that is built like a brick! He was the 4<sup>th</sup> top adjusted weaning weight ET bull calf of the crop! Despite his masculinity and looks that he can sire great feeder calves, he'll make some whopping daughters too. If you are retaining replacements, put this bull high on your list. Anytime you can get G366 this close in the pedigree, you've got a winner – and this will be one of the last chances to get your hands on a direct G366 son! Z3 is likely best suited for use on cows.
- ★ Z3 is a flush brother to Lots 16 and 17.
- ★ G366 is considered the best cow in our 94-year history. Gross receipts from this cow total well over \$200,000, and she has left a phenomenal legacy of daughter descendants! She has 38 registered progeny, and that number is third in our herd only behind C50 and Hoover Dam's mother.
- ★ Too numerous to mention are G366's progeny that have found themselves in the very top of the crop for weaning weight. It is neat, however, that she had three-in-a-row #1 adjusted weaning weight calves of their respective crops. Even at 12 years of age, her growth genetics are still powerful, as an ET daughter was the #1 adjusted weaning weight ET heifer of her crop – this heifer is stunning and one of the very best!
- ★ Three direct daughters of G366 are among the top 15 indexing cows of the Hoover herd, including one that is the 2<sup>nd</sup> top! A granddaughter is the 3<sup>rd</sup> top indexing cow! There are 6 daughters of G366 currently working in the Hoover herd, two of which have earned Pathfinder honors. Another Pathfinder daughter works for JJ Scheckel. We are excited to be adding another 4 daughters of G366 to the herd this year. At least 14 of G366's daughter descendants have served as donors. One of her top daughters is L5, the dam of Lots 1-2.
- ★ Eight of G366's progeny have been photo features in our past auctions. Progeny work for: Vaughn Thorstenson, Baldrige Performance Angus, Select Sires, Borns Angus, Bruns Angus, Peterson Grain & Cattle, Top Notch Angus, Gary Reiman, Charles Wimmer, Brian Erickson, KDS Angus, Jay Hefty, Dan Olson, Steve Falk, Wayne & Brian Reinhart, Richard & Jason Swaney (2 sons), Keith Groshong, Matt Hoffman, Andy Eichelberger, and Jayme Sieren.
- ★ Superior udders run in this cow family. G366's udder at over 12 years of age would rival most 3-4 year-old females in the breed today.
- ★ The Ericas have been a dominant force of our top-end genetics for many years. They have proven themselves the hard way – the old-fashioned way – by progeny performance and success. Six of the past 7 years, sons of the Ericas have been the Lot 1 bulls in our sales. In our 2021 auction, of the 8 animals that hit the \$20,000+ price tag, 6 of them were from the Erica cow family.
- ★ Lots 1-17, 104-106, 178, and 181 descend from G366; read more about the successes of G366 daughters in these footnotes!

**Hoover Counselor N29**  
Owned with Select Sires  
and Borns Angus  
\$39,000 Maternal Brother  
to Lots 15-17;  
Relative of Lots 1-14



### HOOVER 38 SPECIAL Z1

Reg. +20128761

Tattoo: L/R Z1

12/27/20

EF Commando 1366 #  
**BALDRIDGE 38 SPECIAL**  
Baldrige Isabel Y69

SydGen C C & 7 #  
**ERICA OF ELLSTON G366 #**  
Erica of Ellston D184

EF Complement 8088 #  
Riverbend Young Lucy W1470  
Styles Upgrade J59 #  
Baldrige Isabel T935  
S A F Connection #  
SydGen Forever Lady 4087  
Woodhill Statesman 54K-90N #  
Erica of Ellston B235 #

BW	73
ADJ. 205/WR	769/101
ADJ. 365/YR	
%IMF/RATIO	
RE/RATIO	
ADJ. SCR.	

CED	BW	WW	YW	RADG	YH	SC	\$W							
+9	30%	-5	15%	+77	10%	+131	15%	+22	+8	25%	+1.25	25%	+93	2%
HP	CEM	Milk	Doc	Claw	Angle	\$M								
+14.0	25%	+10	+33	10%	+24	20%	+39	10%	+42	20%	+82	10%		
CW	MB	RE	Fat	\$F	\$B	\$C								
+47	+80	30%	+52	+043	+80	+133	+255							
Dam	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters In Herd								
	9-98	9-107	7-107	15-\$9200	3-\$24,000	6-107								

- ★ Z1 is a big, square bull with muscle and eye appeal. He's excellent footed, slick haired, and big nutted.
- ★ Recommended for use on heifers or cows.
- ★ Flush brother to Lot 15 and 17, please see footnote under Lot 15.

**YEARLING BULLS**

**HOOPER**  
Angus

# 17 Hoover Bull

## HOOVER 38 SPECIAL Z149

Reg. +20115397

Tattoo: L/R Z149

02/13/21

EF Commando 1366 #  
BALDRIDGE 38 SPECIAL  
Baldrige Isabel Y69

SydGen C C & 7 #  
ERICA OF ELLSTON G366 #  
Erica of Ellston D184

EF Complement 8088 #  
Riverbend Young Lucy W1470  
Styles Upgrade J59 #  
Baldrige Isabel T935  
S A F Connection #  
SydGen Forever Lady 4087  
Woodhill Statesman 54K-90N #  
Erica of Ellston B235 #

BW	99
ADJ. 205/WR	843/100
ADJ. 365/YR	
%IMF/RATIO	
RE/RATIO	
ADJ. SCR.	

CED	BW	WW	YW	RADG	YH	SC	\$W
-2	+3.0	+96	1%	+157	2%	+22	+1.6
HP	CEM	Milk	Doc	Claw	Angle	\$M	
+19.0	2%	+6	+33	10%	+31	3%	+3.6
CW	MB	RE	Fat	\$F	\$B	\$C	
+67	10%	+53	+64	+002	+86	+133	+272
Dam	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters In Herd	
	9-98	9-107	7-107	15-\$9200	3-\$24,000	6-107	

- ★ Retaining 1/3 revenue sharing semen interest.
- ★ Z149 is a bigger framed, really long bodied, slick haired bull. He may be the last direct son of G366 to sell!
- ★ Please note that Z149 was an IVF ET calf, which means that his weaning ratio shows 100 because the AAA does not include IVF ET calves in the same contemporary group as non-IVF calves. Thus, despite his superior 843 pound weaning weight, he was ratioed alone, for a 100 ratio. He was one of the heaviest calves of the entire crop!
- ★ Z149 ties as the 2<sup>nd</sup> top \$Maternal Value bull to sell! Likewise, he is one of 9 bulls selling with a +100 or greater \$W. He ties as the 3<sup>rd</sup> top WW EPD bull!
- ★ Full brother to Lots 15-16, please see footnote under Lot 15. Z149 is among the top 86 non-parent bulls of the Angus breed (among over 29,000 bulls) for his exceptional combination of \$M and \$W indexes – the indexes that are most important if you sell your calves at weaning and retain replacement daughters for your herd!
- ★ This growthy bull is recommended for use on cows.

## Birth Weights – Food for Thought!

I generally write an educational box in our catalog warning the dangers of comparing birth weights *between different calving seasons* (fall-born bulls versus spring-born bulls) as our fall calves are generally born significantly smaller than spring-borns. However, this year I write a box warning the dangers of comparing actual birth weights *within the same season*.

Spring 2021 we will remember for the prolonged period of extreme cold in early to mid-February, the peak of our calving season. Many bulls in our sale this year have short ears because of this exceptional cold!

It is well documented that colder temperatures increase blood flow in a dam, and thereby increase blood flow to the unborn calf and consequently, increase calf birth weights. In 2021, we had a reasonably good (mild) winter until the exceptional cold hit. It was very interesting to see how birth weights changed accordingly. Calves born prior to this ultra cold were very normal, moderate birth weights. After we hit this cold spell, we experienced more 90-100# bull calves than I can ever remember. Many of these were castrated at weaning time, as we can only sell so many “bigger” birth weight bulls.

I bring this topic to your attention, because this year especially, I feel is a year we need to use a bull's BW and CED EPDs to compare calving ease ability rather than raw birth weights. Here's why: let's say you are considering two bulls to use on heifers – one born in early January with a 77 pound birth weight and one born the end of February with an 83 pound birth weight. Let's say an 82 pound birth weight is generally your maximum allowable birth weight, which would eliminate the bull born at the end of February for your consideration.

Considering last year's weather during calving season, how much added birth weight did the bull born the end of February have compared to the January bull whose dam did not experience the prolonged harsh cold temperatures? I don't know that anyone has a good answer for that. Would the 83 pound birth weight bull actually sire lower birth weights? Looking at raw birth weights alone, it's impossible to tell, but I would say it is very possible.

This is why I believe, this is a year especially, we need to trust the EPD system more than the actual birth weights. Our EPD system is designed to eliminate as many of the *environmental aspects* (in this case the weather) of the trait in question and look only at the *genetic components* of the trait. And this is what we truly want to know – the *genetic merits* of an animal and what they are expected to pass on to their progeny.

# 18 Hoover Bull

## HOOVER COWBOY LOGIC Z191

Reg. 20128806

Tattoo: L/R Z191

02/18/21

HA Cowboy Up 5405  
FREYS COWBOY LOGIC  
F A R Princess 148Z

Baldrige 38 Special  
BLUEBLOOD LADY ELLSTON V203  
Blueblood Lady Ellston M128

HA Outside 3008  
HA Blackcap Lady 1602 #  
WK Bobcat #  
F A R Princess 214X #  
EF Commando 1366 #  
Baldrige Isabel Y69  
Hoover Emperor  
Blueblood Lady Ellston B93

BW	84
ADJ. 205/WR	814/108
ADJ. 365/YR	
%IMF/RATIO	
RE/RATIO	
ADJ. SCR.	

CED	BW	WW	YW	RADG	YH	SC	\$W
+8	+2.8	+85	3%	+147	4%	+29	+1.1
HP	CEM	Milk	Doc	Claw	Angle	\$M	
+15.9	10%	+9	+24	+13	+46	+48	+69
CW	MB	RE	Fat	\$F	\$B	\$C	
+61	20%	+42	+74	30%	-008	25%	+99
Dam	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters In Herd	
	1-107	1-108	None	None	None	None	
Grandam	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction		
	6-101	6-104	5-104	3-\$4350	None		

- ★ Z191 is a bigger framed bull with more leg under him. He is super long bodied!
- ★ Z191 is recommended for use on cows. He'll sire some growthy calves!
- ★ Dam V203 was a first calf heifer with Z191.
- ★ V203 was a high performing female herself: WW 725 lbs., WR 111, YW 1018 lbs., YR 108. She was the 9<sup>th</sup> top weaning weight heifer of her crop. She had a superb scan of a 5.68 IMF, ratio 128, ribeye 12.0", ratio 115. She was well above two inches over breed average ribeye for heifers!
- ★ Grandam M128 has a perfect 365 day calving interval on her 6 calves and is an easy cow to work with at calving time. Her sons work for Brad Ayers, Clay Howerton, and Ryan Knobbe.
- ★ M128 is a big ribeye female, scanning a 14.2" ribeye herself. She is now the 3<sup>rd</sup> top ribeye ratio cow of the herd with 4-113 ribeye ratio!
- ★ Great grandam B93 was a small cow that always weaned a huge percentage of her body weight. Her 11 calves have come on a 363 day calving interval – I call that fertility! Her sons and daughters work for Mike Bredemeier, Rod Hart, Steve Gillman, Lisa Buchholz, Steve & Doug Garrett, Matt Erickson, Randy Hunninghake, and Ralph Ballanger. She definitely puts some style and muscle in her progeny.

# 19 Hoover Bull

## HOOVER COWBOY LOGIC Z204

Reg. 20128810

Tattoo: L/R Z204

02/18/21

HA Cowboy Up 5405  
FREYS COWBOY LOGIC  
F A R Princess 148Z

Hoover Dam #  
MARGIE OF ELLSTON P92 #  
Margie of Ellston H260

HA Outside 3008  
HA Blackcap Lady 1602 #  
WK Bobcat #  
F A R Princess 214X #  
SydGen C C & 7 #  
Erica of Ellston C124 #  
TC Friction 5130 #  
Margie of Ellston F284 #

BW	93
ADJ. 205/WR	780/103
ADJ. 365/YR	
%IMF/RATIO	
RE/RATIO	
ADJ. SCR.	

CED	BW	WW	YW	RADG	YH	SC	\$W
+7	+1.9	+78	10%	+133	15%	+25	+8
HP	CEM	Milk	Doc	Claw	Angle	\$M	
+10.8	+12	15%	+25	+11	+63	+55	+62
CW	MB	RE	Fat	\$F	\$B	\$C	
+61	20%	+59	+58	-004	30%	+100	20%
Dam	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters In Herd	
	5-109	5-103	4-102	4-\$5150	None	None	

- ★ Z204 is a square made bull with good depth of body.
- ★ Z204 is likely best suited for use on cows.
- ★ Pathfinder dam P92 has an excellent 360 day calving interval. Her first four sons work for CT Angus, Ed & Clay Smith, Chris Nelson, and Rolling 7 Ranch Co. Z204 is her fifth son. Can her 6<sup>th</sup> calf be a heifer, please?
- ★ Grandam H260 was good at having sons too – her only two daughters went into the replacement herd, and her sons averaged \$7175 at auction!
- ★ Nine Pathfinders are found in Z204's three generation pedigree!

## Business Longevity

Only about 30% of family businesses survive into the second generation, 12% are still viable into the third generation, and only about 3% operate into the fourth generation or beyond.

### Hoover Angus Family:

166 Years of Family Farmed Ground  
(Landi is a 6th generation Hoover to have farmed in Ellston)  
94 Years of Quality Angus Cattle  
(Landi is a 4th generation Angus breeder from the Hoover family)



## YEARLING BULLS





**Hoover Cowboy Logic X22**  
Owned by 66 Ranch  
\$24,000 Maternal Brother  
to Lot 20



## HOOVER ENTICE Z145

Reg. 20128793

Tattoo: L/R Z145

02/13/21

SydGen Enhance  
**MOGCK ENTICE**  
MOGCK Erica 2255 #

Connealy Commander  
**ERICA OF ELLSTON S59**  
Erica of Ellston C124 #

SydGen Exceed 3223  
SydGen Rita 2618  
Mogck Sure Shot 253  
MOGCK Erica 2162  
Connealy Consensus #  
Gespa of Conanga 9380  
TC Gridiron 258 #  
Erica of Ellston V65

BW	79
ADJ. 205/WR	778/103
ADJ. 365/YR	
%IMF/RATIO	
RE/RATIO	
ADJ. SCR.	

CED	BW		WW		YW		RADG		YH		SC		\$W			
+6	+2		30%	+69	25%	+118	30%	+24		+5		+81		+84	10%	
HP	CEM		Milk			Doc			Claw			Angle		SM		
+19.3	1%	+0	+30		20%	+25	20%	+43		20%	+52		+97		1%	
CW	MB		RE			Fat			SF			\$B		\$C		
+41	+59		+85		20%	-001		+79		+131		+267		20%		
Dam	BWR	WWR	YWR		Sons @ Auction				Daughters @ Auction				Daughters In Herd			
	3-97	3-98	1-97		1-\$2600				None				None			

- ★ Z145 is a wide based, nice profiling bull that is extended through his front. He's a good bull with nice muscle, yet a calving ease head.
- ★ Z145 is suitable for large framed heifers or cows.
- ★ Z145 ties with the 2<sup>nd</sup> top \$Maternal Value Index and 3<sup>rd</sup> top Heifer Pregnancy (HP) EPD of any bull in the sale!
- ★ Dam S59 has a 362 day calving interval. Her first son was a great bargain for repeat customer Ben Striegel.
- ★ S59 was a huge ribeye scanning female – she scanned a 13.6" ribeye, which is nearly four inches above breed average for heifers! This earned her a Ribeye EPD in the best 4% of current dams!
- ★ Grandam C124 is found in thousands of pedigrees in the Angus world today – she is the famed dam of Hoover Dam! Hoover Dam is the most well-known bull in our 94 year history, and he grossed over \$5.3 million in semen and certificate sales – a record set at ORigen that has not been broken yet!
- ★ If you want your history lesson on the C124 cow, go through our past catalogs to find all of her deeds. She is one of the few cows in the breed to have two Pathfinder daughters and one Pathfinder son (Hoover Dam). She is the highest grossing income cow in the history of Hoover Angus, with over one quarter million dollars in direct progeny sales. Seven of C124's progeny topped the \$10,000 mark.



## HOOVER INCREDIBLE Z244

Reg. 20128825

Tattoo: L/R Z244

02/24/21

Panther Cr Incredible 6704  
**JAR INCREDIBLE 6104 808**  
Jar Erica 6104

Baldrige 38 Special  
**ERICA OF ELLSTON T219**  
Erica of Ellston P241 #

Musgrave Invision  
Panther Cr JH Blackbird 409  
TC Total 410 #  
JAR Ava Lee 048 3202  
EF Commando 1366 #  
Baldrige Isabel Y69  
Hoover Hawkeye  
Erica of Ellston L89 #

BW	101
ADJ. 205/WR	828/109
ADJ. 365/YR	
%IMF/RATIO	
RE/RATIO	
ADJ. SCR.	

CED	BW		WW		YW		RADG		YH		SC		\$W				
-1	+3.5		+82		5%	+137	10%	+25		+1.2	3%	+1.05		+85	10%		
HP		CEM		Milk		Doc		Claw		Angle		SM					
+13.2		+6		+30		20%	+27	15%	+44		25%	+48		+71	25%		
CW		MB		RE		Fat		SF		SB		SC					
+64		15%	+77		30%	+73		30%	+013		+107		15%	+164	15%	+284	10%
Dam	BWR		WWR		YWR		Sons @ Auction		Daughters @ Auction		Daughters In Herd						
	2-116		2-113		1-110		1-\$7750		None		None						
Grandam	BWR		WWR		YWR		Sons @ Auction		Daughters @ Auction								
	4-94		4-100		2-106		None		None		None						

- ★ Z244 is a bull with added frame that will sire some lift, length, and growth in his progeny! He is a level topped bull with shorter hair that will be good for fescue country.
- ★ Z244 was the 6<sup>th</sup> top weaning weight bull of his crop! This high growth bull is recommended for use on cows.
- ★ This isn't dam T219's first high performing calf – her first was the 4<sup>th</sup> top weaning weight bull of his crop and sold to repeat customer Wayne Reinhart. T219 now serves as the herd's 4<sup>th</sup> top indexing cow with 2-113 WR!
- ★ T219 had tremendous performance data herself: BW 75 lbs., WW 734 lbs., WR 111, YW 1072 lbs., YR 113, IMF 4.76, ratio 109, ribeye 11.7", ratio 109. She was the 6<sup>th</sup> top weaning weight heifer of her crop among over 100 contemporaries.
- ★ Pathfinder grandam P241 is a nice uddered cow whose first two daughters work in the Hoover herd. Starting with P241, there are four consecutive generations of Pathfinder cows down the dam's side of this pedigree! T219 is following in their footsteps, and if she keeps up her good work, she could make it five consecutive generations – an incredibly rare find that is a testament to the superior nature of these cows!
- ★ Please read about great grandam L89, and her dam, E250, in the footnote of feature bull, Lot 23.



## HOOVER ENTICE Z19

Reg. 20125334

Tattoo: L/R Z19

01/10/21

SydGen Enhance  
**MOGCK ENTICE**  
MOGCK Erica 2255 #

Jindra Double Vision #  
**ERICA OF ELLSTON R251 #**  
Erica of Ellston N1

SydGen Exceed 3223  
SydGen Rita 2618  
Mogck Sure Shot 253  
MOGCK Erica 2162  
Connealy Reflection #  
Hoff Rachel 8312 405  
Basin Excitement #  
Erica of Ellston G216 #

BW	79
ADJ. 205/WR	781/103
ADJ. 365/YR	
%IMF/RATIO	
RE/RATIO	
ADJ. SCR.	

CED	BW		WW		YW		RADG		YH		SC		\$W	
+5	+1.1		+70		20%		+133		15%		+30		15%	
HP	CEM		Milk		Doc		Claw		Angle				\$M	
+11.8	+10		+28		30%		+38		1%		+35		4%	
CW	MB		RE		Fat		\$F		\$B				\$C	
+61	20%		+87		20%		+72				+020		+112	
	10%								10%		+173		10%	
													+300	
													5%	
Dam	BWR		WWR		YWR		Sons @ Auction		Daughters @ Auction		Daughters In Herd			
	4-94		4-106		3-98		2-\$14,500		None		1-106			

- ★ If disposition is important, put this guy at the top of your list! Visitors he has never seen before can walk right up and put their hands on him. He is the #1 Docility EPD animal of the sale!
- ★ Z19 is a big topped, super long bull that is wide based, thick and stout. He's real nice footed. If you don't have an Entice yet and have been buying Hoover bulls for many years, this guy offers a little bit different pedigree than most. Recommended for large framed heifers or cows.
- ★ Pathfinder dam R251 has a superior calving interval of 348 days on her 4 progeny to have one of the shortest calving intervals in the herd. She is a sure-fire low birth weight cow whose calves grow rapidly.
- ★ R251's first son was the 7<sup>th</sup> top weaning weight bull of his crop and works for long-time repeat customer Max Shaffer. Her next son was a photo feature, selling for \$24,000 to 66 Ranch in Alberta. He was the 4<sup>th</sup> top-selling bull of our 2021 auction.
- ★ R251's only daughter just weaned her first calf at 803 pounds!
- ★ Pathfinder great grandam G216 produced the \$26,000 Hoover Quintain! Quintain was the #1 weaning weight bull calf of his crop and the 3<sup>rd</sup> top selling bull of our sale. Quintain is the maternal grandsire of the high performing Lot 40 bull.
- ★ Z19 is from the Erica cow family that has put 11 bulls in 6 different AI studs! G216 is a full brother to Hoover Home Run who had a tenure at ORigen. Other progeny from this Erica cow family sell as Lots 1-17, and 20-23.
- ★ G216 is no stranger to weaning top calves or bringing featured sons to auction – her 2016 calf was a photo feature, the 8<sup>th</sup> top weaning bull of his crop, selling to Dave Palas.
- ★ G216's other son to come to auction was the 7<sup>th</sup> top weaning weight, #1 yearling weight bull of our 2012 auction, a photo feature, and the 2<sup>nd</sup> top-selling bull! He works for Jallo Angus Ranch, Gain & Weigh Stock Farm, and Gordon Helle.

Some bulls sold in this auction will have 1/3 revenue sharing semen interest retained by Hoover Angus, as noted in their footnotes. What 1/3 revenue sharing semen interest means:

- ☐ YOU have full possession and salvage value on the bull
- ☐ YOU have the rights to do what you would normally do with a bull that does not have 1/3 revenue sharing semen interest
- ☐ If you sell the bull, YOU receive all of the revenue
- ☐ Hoovers have the right to 1/3 the semen sales and certificate revenue from the bull if, some time in the future, semen sales become a possibility.
- ☐ If you wish to collect semen on the bull you purchase as an insurance policy for your own use, that semen is 100% yours, unless Hoover Angus contacts you and also wishes to collect the bull, either for within herd use, or to build a jointly-owned bank of semen for sale purposes.

# YEARLING BULLS



Fortunes Conquest 224

**BALDRIDGE CHAIRMAN**

Baldrige Isabel B061

Hoover No Doubt

**BLKCP EMPRESS ELLSTON S164**

Blackcap Empress Ellston N86

Connealy Confidence 0100 #

Fortunes 4412 Ethelda 742

G A R Prophet #

Baldrige Isabel Y69

Mogck Bullseye #

Miss Blackcap Ellston J2

Basin Excitement #

Blkcp Empress Ellston D241

BW	78
ADJ. 205/WR	717/95
ADJ. 365/YR	
%IMF/RATIO	
RE/RATIO	
ADJ. SCR.	

CED	BW	WW	YW	RADG	YH	SC	\$W
+11 15% -9 15% +56	+99	+19	+9 15%	+1.06	+68		
HP	CEM	Milk	Doc	Claw	Angle	\$M	
+15.4 15% +16 1%	+29 25%	+16	+54	+41 15%	+79 10%		
CW	MB	RE	Fat	\$F	\$B	\$C	
+37	+55	+47	+044	+76	+118	+232	
Dam	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters In Herd	
	2-91	2-100	1-97	1-\$4000	None	None	

★ Z156 is a square made, level topped bull that is long bodied and correct made. He has a small head to aid in calving ease. All indicators point to him being an excellent calving ease choice, so he is recommended for heifers or cows. He ties as the 3<sup>rd</sup> highest CEM EPD bull selling.

★ Z156's pedigree contains two of the hottest cow families in the breed right now – The Y69 and B061 cows from Baldridges, and No Doubt's dam, J2. J2 produced the \$158,000 top-selling bull of the 2021 Midland Bull Test!

★ Dam S164 has a 364 day calving interval. Her first son works for Richard Allen; next came a set of twins. S164 has once again settled first service AI for 2022.

★ Grandam N86 moved up in time with every successive calving she had! She was an easy fleshing gal with a nice udder.

★ Great grandam D241 was a soggy 'ole gal that ended her career with a 364 day calving interval on her 10 progeny and an average 103 WR on them. Two of her sons and daughters were photo features in our past sales.

★ D241's dam, J353, was one of the best cows of her day – just ask John, Joy or David, they will remember this soggy cow that brought in a whopper of a calf every year.

### Recommendations for cows or heifers:

In this catalog, I note on every bull whether he is suitable for use on virgin heifers, or if he is safest to use him on cows. Here are the criteria I use to make this determination: BW EPD, CED EPD, individual birth weight, dam's birth weight ratios, sire's calving ease favorability, and the phenotype of the bull. The phenotype generally includes the shape of the bull's head (is it long and narrow or short and blocky?), the shoulder, and the amount of bone.

A bull's BW and CED EPD are impacted by his own birth weight and calving ease score (calving ease score ONLY if he is out of a first calf heifer), pedigree information, and genomics. Genomics play an extremely large role in an animal's EPDs.

I try to be reasonably conservative when I recommend bulls for use on heifers, as I do not want customers to pull calves! With that being said, I do expect heifers to be managed and developed reasonably well. For example, any outlier small or young heifers being removed from the group.

For those with heifers of unknown background, I would strive to select a bull in the best 30% of the breed or better for BW EPD and the best 30% of the breed or better for CED EPD. Also, users of club calf genetics need to use caution when selecting bulls for first calf heifers, as these genetics are often associated with more calving problems. Remember, the bull is only *half* of the *genetic* equation in calving ease. He provides *none* of the environmental calving aspects, such as the nutrition of the dam during gestation.

After a cow has had her first calf, the rate of dystocia (calving difficulty) is extremely low, assuming no abnormal presentations such as backwards calves. Therefore, all bulls in this catalog can be used safely on mature cows. Remember, Angus is already a "calving ease" breed, and I encourage you to stay away from extreme calving ease bulls for use on mature cows, as they generally give up performance.

If you have further questions, just give me a shout,

Landi



**HOOVER ENTICE Z52 – Lot 23**

SydGen Enhance

**MOGCK ENTICE**

MOGCK Erica 2255 #

Baldrige Chairman

**ERICA OF ELLSTON T174**

Erica of Ellston L89 #

SydGen Exceed 3223

SydGen Rita 2618

Mogck Sure Shot 253

MOGCK Erica 2162

Fortunes Conquest 224

Baldrige Isabel B061

Hoover Carbon Copy

Erica of Ellston E250 #

BW	67
ADJ. 205/WR	821/108
ADJ. 365/YR	
%IMF/RATIO	
RE/RATIO	
ADJ. SCR.	

CED	BW	WW	YW	RADG	YH	SC	\$W
+12 10% -1.5 10% +80 10%	+147 4%	+30 15%	+1.0 10%	+2.25 1%	+92 2%		
HP	CEM	Milk	Doc	Claw	Angle	\$M	
+18.5 2%	+9	+32 15%	+35 1%	+46	+48	+87 4%	
CW	MB	RE	Fat	\$F	\$B	\$C	
+67 10%	+60	+70	-042 3%	+110 10%	+163 15%	+298 5%	
Dam	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters In Herd	
	2-96	2-103	1-102	1-\$3250	None	None	
Grandam	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction		
	8-103	8-104	4-105	None	None		

★ Retaining 1/3 revenue sharing semen interest.

★ Z52 is a big, growthy powerhouse! He is wide based, slick haired, thick, and sound as a cat. He has been one of the standouts of the crop ever since he was little. His disposition is very calm, and matches his top 1% Docility EPD!

★ The Entice X Chairman combination has been a good one – two of my favorite bulls at weaning time, Z52 and Lot 73, were both this exact combination!

★ Z74 was the 14<sup>th</sup> top weaning weight bull of his crop! From less than 70 pounds at birth to over 800 pounds at weaning, he was growing like mad!

★ Z52 is a great choice for heifers, then when he gets too big to use on your heifers, move him to your main cow herd without sacrificing a bit of growth! He ties with the 3<sup>rd</sup> lowest BW EPD of all the bulls selling.

★ Dam T174's first calf was a super calm, stout bull in our sale last year, and one of the best bargains of the sale for repeat customer Mark Bright.

★ T174 has one of the shortest calving intervals of the herd at 337 days.

★ Grandam L89 has earned Pathfinder honors and maintains a 362 day calving interval on her 8 progeny. Fertility is the #1 profitability factor for the commercial cow-calf operation! L89 has it!

★ L89 has put three excellent daughters back in the Hoover herd, the oldest of which has earned Pathfinder honors. One daughter was the #1 adjusted weaning weight heifer of her crop.

★ With a whopping 4-145 IMF ratio, L89 is the herd's 6<sup>th</sup> top IMF ratio cow!

★ Great grandam E250 was an extremely successful cow and served as a donor. Two of her daughters were the #1 IMF scanning females of their crop, and one son was #1!

★ E250 produced the lead-off, top-selling open heifer in our 2016 auction at \$10,750 to the Mickey family in Illinois. Others that have E250 progeny include: Eddie LaBoube, Freddie Jones, Taylor Ridge, LeRoy Stortenbecker, Henry Langstraat, Mark Groth, and Jerry Ebert.

★ You'll note the Erica cow family here – Z52's fourth generation dam is B235 – who is also the grandam of the great G366 cow that many of our featured lots descend from today.



**HOOVER CHAIRMAN Z208**

Reg. 20128812

Tattoo: L/R Z208

02/19/21

Fortunes Conquest 224  
**BALDRIDGE CHAIRMAN**  
 Baldrige Isabel B061

Bruns Top Cut 373 #  
**MISS ERICA ELLSTON S248**  
 Miss Erica Ellston D139

Connealy Confidence 0100 #  
 Fortunes 4412 Ethelda 742  
 G A R Prophet #  
 Baldrige Isabel Y69  
 Bruns Uppercut 610  
 Dakota Miss 669 Baf #  
 LaGrand Future Direction3368  
 Miss Erica Ellston X42

BW	82
ADJ. 205/WR	753/99
ADJ. 365/YR	
%IMF/RATIO	
RE/RATIO	
ADJ. SCR.	

CED	BW	WW	YW	RADG	YH	SC	\$W
+10 20%	-4 20%	+62	+112	+21	+8 25%	+27	+84 10%
HP	CEM	Milk	Doc	Claw	Angle	\$M	
+13.6 30%	+14 5%	+38 2%	+25 20%	+51	+54	+84	5%
CW	MB	RE	Fat	\$F	\$B	\$C	
+57 25%	+50	+37	+049	+95 30%	+133	+257	30%
Dam	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters In Herd	
	3-104	3-103	2-108	None	None	1-102	

- ★ Z208 is a long bodied bull that still has enough body to him. He is tight sheathed and slick haired to use on fescue. He can be used safely on heifers or cows.
- ★ If you are needing to add milk to your cow herd and are planning to retain daughters, consider this bull. He ties as the third top Milk EPD bull in the sale!
- ★ Dam S248's first daughter was a beautiful heifer and the 2<sup>nd</sup> top yearling weight heifer of her crop. This heifer just weaned her first calf in our herd. S248's second daughter settled first service AI and will calve this February for the first time.
- ★ S248 has a 374 day calving interval that will tighten up this year when she calves a little earlier.
- ★ S248 weaned at 755 pounds to be the 12<sup>th</sup> top weaning weight heifer of her crop!
- ★ Grandam D139 has been gone for several years now, but put 4 replacement daughters in the herd! They have been productive, easy fleshing, nice uddered, model Angus females. Her progeny work for Stan and Jon Becker, Jim Ingalls, Gary Smith, Rick Reno, Kirby Payne, and Wayne Haidisiak. Stan was quite impressed with his bull – he bred three cows the first day he turned him out with cows!
- ★ This cow family is deep with good cows – ask Joy or John about S248's 4<sup>th</sup> generation dam J327 – they will remember her! She was a small cow that seemed to always bring in one of the best bull calves of the crop!

**Hoover Value**

If you think Hoover bulls typically sell beyond your preferred price, check out the prices of what our bulls have sold for the past 4 years in the chart on page 1. From the first bull in the ring to the last, there is definitely value in every bull! The bottom third to half of each calf crop is castrated to ensure our customers only receive our top end genetics. We all have different herd goals and needs, and there are bulls to fit everyone's needs and budget! If you need help sorting the bulls to best fit your needs, please give Landi a call! It is our goal to help you succeed!

**Got Proof?**

102 bulls in this sale average:

- CED and BW at breed average
  - WW EPD top **15%**
  - Milk EPD top **35%**
  - YW EPD top **15%**
  - Docility EPD top **20%**
  - Scrotal EPD top **25%**
  - Heifer Pregnancy EPD top **20%**
  - Claw EPD top **30%**
  - Angle EPD top **35%**
  - Ribeye EPD top **35%**
  - CW EPD top **25%**
  - \$M top **20%**
  - \$W top **10%**
  - \$F top **25%**
  - \$B top **30%**
  - \$C top **20%**
- (rankings among non-parent Angus bulls)

**HOOVER CHAIRMAN Z45 – Lot 26****HOOVER CHAIRMAN Z45**

Reg. 20125342

Tattoo: L/R Z45

01/20/21

Fortunes Conquest 224  
**BALDRIDGE CHAIRMAN**  
 Baldrige Isabel B061

Hoover Leadman  
**BLACKCAP EMPRESS ELLSTON T60**  
 Blkcp Empress Ellston P229

Connealy Confidence 0100 #  
 Fortunes 4412 Ethelda 742  
 G A R Prophet #  
 Baldrige Isabel Y69  
 Connealy Commander  
 Blkcp Empress Ellston G403 #  
 Bruns Top Cut 373 #  
 Blkcp Empress Ellston H4

BW	70
ADJ. 205/WR	760/100
ADJ. 365/YR	
%IMF/RATIO	
RE/RATIO	
ADJ. SCR.	

CED	BW	WW	YW	RADG	YH	SC	\$W
+12 10%	-6 15%	+61	+105	+20	+5	-20	+70 30%
HP	CEM	Milk	Doc	Claw	Angle	\$M	
+13.8 30%	+14 5%	+27	+18	+63	+52	+65	
CW	MB	RE	Fat	\$F	\$B	\$C	
+46	+45	+60	+044	+87	+126	+228	
Dam	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters In Herd	
	2-88	2-102	1-97	None	None	None	
Grandam	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction		
	5-95	5-99	4-98	1-\$2100	None		

- ★ Z45 is a stout boy that is full of meat and has lots of capacity. He is super slick haired and will make beautiful daughters!
- ★ Z45 is certainly suitable for use on heifers or cows.
- ★ Dam T60 has had two calves, and they both sell today as photo features! Her first calf, Lot 112, sells as a featured bred heifer. T60 is a beautiful young female doing an excellent job.
- ★ T60 was the 13<sup>th</sup> top weaning weight heifer of her crop at 720 lbs., WR 109.
- ★ T60's sire, Leadman, was the 2<sup>nd</sup> top adjusted weaning weight bull calf of his crop, missing the 900 pound mark by one pound! His phenomenal Pathfinder dam produced three-in-a-row #1 adjusted weaning weight bull or heifer calves with her first three natural calves! Leadman works for Alta Genetics and Diamond J Angus Ranch.
- ★ Grandam P229 is a phenomenal daughter-maker! Her first daughter produced a \$7500 photo feature bull calf as her first calf. Steve Medlin from Tennessee purchased P229's only son, and was so pleased with him, he came back to Hoover Angus again for his second bull purchase last year. P229 has a third daughter going into our replacement herd, and she was the #1 IMF scanning heifer among nearly 100 contemporaries.
- ★ Great grandam H4 was counted on to bring in a good calf every single year. H4 had as good of an udder as you will find! She was a very feminine fronted, beautiful CC&7 cow.
- ★ Fourth generation dam X216 was a tremendous herd bull maker, every one she had was a standout for muscle, thickness, and growth. She ended her career with 10-110 WR and a 356 day calving interval.

**Tired of Angus cattle that are getting too small?**

You aren't alone! That is the #1 complaint we hear from commercial producers about the Angus breed. We can help!  
**61%** of the bulls in this offering have a Yearling Height (YH) EPD in the tallest 25% of the breed or better!

**YEARLING BULLS**

## HOVER 27 Bull HOOVER PREDICTOR Z103

Reg. 20128781 Tattoo: L/R Z103 02/07/21

Baldrige Forecaster B160  
RRR PREDICTOR  
Pine View Ruby C023

MOGCK Entice  
BLACKBIRD OF ELLSTON V233  
Blackbird of Ellston J299 #

G A R Prophet #  
Baldrige Pratissa W165  
baldrige Xpand x743  
44 Ruby 2225  
SydGen Enhance  
MOGCK Erica 2255 #  
MCATL 1961 278  
Blackbird of Ellston F281

BW	78
ADJ. 205/WR	786/104
ADJ. 365/YR	
%IMF/RATIO	
RE/RATIO	
ADJ. SCR.	

CED	BW		WW		YW		RADG		YH		SC		\$W	
+7	+9		+85		3% +149		3% +26		+1.1 5%		+1.01		+98 1%	
HP	CEM		Milk		Doc		Claw		Angle				\$M	
+12.1	+10		+33 10%		+23 25%		+42 20%		+47				+76 15%	
CW	MB		RE		Fat		\$F		\$B				\$C	
+73	4% +.95		15% +.45		+.026		+111 10%		+172 10%		+299		5%	
Dam	BWR		WWR		YWR		Sons @ Auction		Daughters @ Auction		Daughters In Herd			
	1-100		1-104		None		None		None		None			

- ★ Z103 has a notch more frame than most. He is long bodied and wide based. He is recommended for large framed, well-developed heifers or cows. Check out his BW EPD to WW EPD spread!
- ★ Dam V233 was a first calf heifer with Z103. From an ideal 78 pound birth weight to 786 pounds at weaning, I'd say she did a fine job her first year!
- ★ Grandam J299 earned Pathfinder honors and raised two calves that were among the top 10 adjusted weaning weight calves of their respective crops. One daughter was a beautiful photo feature bred heifer selling to Tim Hackett. Her other progeny work for Kevin Koenig, Tyler Christopherson, Andy Smith, and Twin States Ranch.

## HOVER 28 Bull HOOVER COWBOY LOGIC Z118

Reg. 20128785 Tattoo: L/R Z118 02/09/21

HA Cowboy Up 5405  
FREYS COWBOY LOGIC  
F A R Princess 148Z

Connealy Impact #  
MISS ERICA ELLSTON R295  
Miss Erica Ellston N250

HA Outside 3008  
HA Blackcap Lady 1602 #  
WK Bobcat #  
F A R Princess 214X #  
Connealy Impression #  
Elza of Conanga 8265 #  
Hoover Inspiration  
Miss Erica Ellston B297

BW	80
ADJ. 205/WR	725/96
ADJ. 365/YR	
%IMF/RATIO	
RE/RATIO	
ADJ. SCR.	

CED		BW		WW		YW		RADG		YH		SC		\$W	
+16	1%	-1.2	10%	+66	30%	+115	+2.4			+4		+1.23 25%		+84	10%
HP		CEM		Milk		Doc		Claw		Angle		\$M			
+11.5		+12	15%	+34	10%	+6		+46		+44 25%		+66			
CW		MB		RE		Fat		\$F		\$B		\$C			
+38		+16		+34		+0.11		+71		+96		+191			
Dam	BWR		WWR		YWR		Sons @ Auction			Daughters @ Auction			Daughters In Herd		
	4-94		4-102		3-100		2-\$3250			None			1-104		
Grandam	BWR		WWR		YWR		Sons @ Auction			Daughters @ Auction					
	5-95		5-104		5-104		None			1-\$2900					

- ★ Z118 is a nice profiling bull that is correct on his feet and legs. He's a slick haired, level topped bull with a super tight sheath.
- ★ Genomics pegged Z118 as ultra calving ease, and he would certainly be a good choice to use on heifers if you want a "sleep tight all night" heifer bull. He has the 2<sup>nd</sup> top CED EPD of any bull selling!
- ★ Dam R295 is a low birth weight cow whose calves start growing when they hit the ground! John Spencer has purchased both of her sons. One son was the 3<sup>rd</sup> top ribeye scanning bull of his contemporary group. R295 has a 352 day calving interval, indicating excellent fertility.
- ★ R295's only daughter works in the herd, and her bull calves have averaged a 758 pound weaning weight.
- ★ Grandam N250 is a big gal, and super, super deep bodied! Her son sells as a feature, Lot 88. He was the 4<sup>th</sup> top weaning weight, 2<sup>nd</sup> top yearling weight, 2<sup>nd</sup> top ribeye scanning bull of his crop! A nice daughter of N250 was a photo feature in our 2021 auction selling to Jeremy Loving for \$2900 – a great bargain on this heifer!
- ★ Great grandam B297 was also a super deep-sided, broody cow. She ended her career with 14 progeny at a perfect 365 day calving interval! She brought an unprecedented 4 photo feature sons to auction, and averaged \$5500 on her 6 sons – an impressive figure for a cow who would be 19 years old if still living!

### Modeling After Commercial Customers

At Hoover Angus, you will find numerous "older" cows still producing good cattle in our sale. We try to model our herd after our customer's herds – our commercial customers do not "disperse" their mature cow herd at a certain age, and neither do we. If a cow is still earning her keep, we keep her in the herd. We believe it is important to document the longevity that can be achieved with our genetics and multiply those genetics. Sometimes as cows get into their upper years, their EPDs don't "keep up" with their progeny performance, and we will turn these cows into embryo recipients in our herd. All of our recips are registered Angus cows that have been bred, born, and raised at Hoover Angus.

## HOVER 29 Bull HOOVER CHAIRMAN Z177

Reg. 20128802 Tattoo: L/R Z177 02/16/21

Fortunes Conquest 224  
BALDRIDGE CHAIRMAN  
Baldrige Isabel B061

Connealy Impact #  
ELBAMERE QUEEN ELLSTON S2  
Elbamere Queen Ellston G168 #

Connealy Confidence 0100 #  
Fortunes 4412 Ethelda 742  
G A R Prophet #  
Baldrige Isabel Y69  
Connealy Impression #  
Elza of Conanga 8265 #  
SydGen C C & 7 #  
Elbamere Queen Ellston D71

BW	94
ADJ. 205/WR	739/98
ADJ. 365/YR	
%IMF/RATIO	
RE/RATIO	
ADJ. SCR.	

CED	BW		WW		YW	RADG		YH	SC		\$W	
+9	30%	+2	30%	+57	+107	+23		+8	25%	+20	+71 25%	
HP	CEM		Milk		Doc		Claw		Angle		\$M	
+13.5	30%	+12	15%	+34	10%	+14		+45	30%	+38	10%	+73 25%
CW	MB		RE		Fat		\$F		\$B		\$C	
+49	+21		+94		10%	-0.12	20%	+96	30%	+133	+246	
Dam	BWR	WWR	YWR		Sons @ Auction		Daughters @ Auction		Daughters In Herd			
	3-106	3-100	2-106		None		1-\$3900		None			

- ★ Z177 is a really long bodied bull that has bone and a head appropriate for calving ease. He definitely has more leg under him than most Chairmans, coming from his dam.
- ★ Genomics pegged this bull ultra calving ease, thus bringing his CED up and his BW EPD down from what I would have expected. These EPDs clearly put him in "heifer bull" range, even though I typically don't recommend 90+ pound birth weight bulls for use on heifers. I honestly believe this bull is best suited for cows. I'd rather be safe than sorry! This brings up an interesting topic about birth weights from last year – see my commentary on page 11 about last spring's birth weights due to our ultra-cold weather mid-calving season.
- ★ Dam S2 has a superb 354 day calving interval on her 3 progeny. Her first daughter that was the 4<sup>th</sup> top ribeye scanning heifer of her crop works for repeat customer Jerry Findley.
- ★ With 2-110 ribeye ratio, S2 ties as the 6<sup>th</sup> top ribeye ratio cow of the herd! It appears Z177 may follow in her footsteps, as he has a nice Ribeye EPD pre-scan.
- ★ S2 weaned at 773 pounds to be the 8<sup>th</sup> top weaning weight heifer of her crop, and her twin brother weaned at 887 pounds to be the 5<sup>th</sup> top weaning weight bull of his crop!
- ★ Pathfinder grandam G168 was a highly productive cow that ended her career with a 361 day calving interval and two sets of twins. Her sons averaged \$7575 and work for Ryan Thornton, Mike Archer, Glen Hanson, and Brandon Taglauer. Five of G168's progeny were among the top 10 adjusted weaning weight calves of their respective crops!
- ★ G168 descends from a tremendous cow family – her 4<sup>th</sup> generation dam has a total of 43 daughter descendants that have worked in the Hoover herd, with 13 of those earning Pathfinder honors!

## HOVER 30 Bull HOOVER COWBOY LOGIC Z138

Reg. 20128790 Tattoo: L/R Z138 02/11/21

HA Cowboy Up 5405  
FREYS COWBOY LOGIC  
F A R Princess 148Z

Connealy Commander  
MISS ERICA ELLSTON S180  
Miss Erica Ellston N250

HA Outside 3008  
HA Blackcap Lady 1602 #  
WK Bobcat #  
F A R Princess 214X #  
Connealy Consensus #  
Gespa of Conanga 9380  
Hoover Inspiration  
Miss Erica Ellston B297

BW	92
ADJ. 205/WR	792/105
ADJ. 365/YR	
%IMF/RATIO	
RE/RATIO	
ADJ. SCR.	

CED	BW	WW	YW	RADG	YH	SC	\$W					
+6	+2.5	+70	20%	+129	15%	+30	15%	+8	25%	+40	+69	30%
HP	CEM	Milk	Doc	Claw	Angle	\$M						
+11.6	+4	+27	+22	30%	+38	10%	+39	10%	+62			
CW	MB	RE	Fat	\$F	\$B	\$C						
+49	+46	+45	-0.06	25%	+90	+132	+233					
Dam	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters In Herd						
	3-103	3-106	2-104	None	1-\$3250	None						
Grandam	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction							
	5-95	5-104	5-104	None	1-\$2900							

- ★ Z138 is an attractive, long bodied bull that looks a lot like his sire. He's a stretchy, thick bull.
- ★ Z138 is a growthy bull recommended for use on cows.
- ★ Dam S180 is a pretty cow with a nice udder and a 366 day calving interval. It appears she will have met the parameters to earn Pathfinder honors this spring when the American Angus Association releases the 2022 Pathfinder report the week after our sale. Her next daughter sells as Lot 116.
- ★ S180's first daughter works for Steve McFarland in Ohio. Steve reports about this female, "V110 raised our #1 weaning weight bull calf in 2021 at 827 pounds, ratio 109. She bred back first service AI and is due for her second calf at 368 days." This son of V110 is the highest \$C son of TEX Playbook to be born in 2021 in the Angus breed! Steve is pretty excited about this bull calf!
- ★ Read about grandam N250 and great grandam B297 in the bottom of Lot 28's footnote.



# YEARLING BULLS



**HOVER CHAIRMAN Z166**

Reg. 20128799

Tattoo: L/R Z166

02/15/21

Fortunes Conquest 224  
BALDRIDGE CHAIRMAN  
Baldrige Isabel B061

Mogck Bullseye #  
BLACKCAP EMPRESS ELLSTON N23  
Blackcap Empress Ellston H97 #

Connealy Confidence 0100 #  
Fortunes 4412 Ethelda 742  
G A R Prophet #  
Baldrige Isabel Y69  
MOGCK Sure Shot #  
Mogck Mary 1255  
SydGen C C & 7 #  
Blackcap Empress Ellston B96 #

BW	84
ADJ. 205/WR	818/108
ADJ. 365/YR	
%IMF/RATIO	
RE/RATIO	
ADJ. SCR.	

CED	BW		WW		YW		RADG		YH		SC		SW	
+3	+2.4		+89		2% +154		2% +27 30%		+1.0 10%		+1.07		+92 2%	
HP	CEM		Milk		Doc		Claw		Angle				SM	
+15.5	15%	+14	5%	+29	25%	+37	1%	+59	+44		25%	+78	15%	
CW	MB		RE		Fat		SF		SB		SC			
+69	10%	+73	+94		10%	+010	+99		25%	+158	20%	+283	15%	
Dam	BWR		WWR		YWR		Sons @ Auction		Daughters @ Auction		Daughters In Herd			
	6-108		6-110		4-108		3-\$7175		None		1-109			

- ★ Once again, dam N23 brings an impressive calf to the sale! Z166 is big, stretchy and rugged. He's an upper end bull! We recommend this growthy bull for use on cows.
- ★ Z166 is the 2<sup>nd</sup> top Docility EPD animal selling today!
- ★ N23 serves as the herd's 8<sup>th</sup> top indexing cow with a whopping 6-110 WR! Every single year she has one of the very best calves of the crop. N23 has only had one heifer calf, and of course we held on to her pretty tight. She was the 13<sup>th</sup> top weaning weight heifer of her crop and raised the Lot 32 bull.
- ★ Both N23 and her daughter are loose-skinned, soggy, easy going females with nice eye appeal and structure. We would take many more like them, but they are going to have to work on their heifer to bull ratio for that to happen!
- ★ N23's sons work for Diamond J Angus Ranch, Russell & Sharon Kelley, and Dana Russell. Diamond J's Stephanie Hatzenbuehler reports about her N23 son, "He has the most daughters of all the bulls I used after I've weaned and picked replacement heifers and bulls to be used back in the herd or for the sale." This bull was the 3<sup>rd</sup> top weaning weight bull of his crop and now doing great things in North Dakota for Stephanie!
- ★ N23 was a high performing female herself: BW 67 lbs., WW 731 lbs., WR 107, YW 1107 lbs., YR 107, IMF 5.27, ratio 109, ribeye 11.8", ratio 104.
- ★ Pathfinder grandam H97 was lost early in life to an injury, but recorded a superb 4-94 BWR, 4-109 WR, and 4-108 YR with an amazing 347 day calving interval.
- ★ Pathfinder great grandam B96 was one of the good 'ole gals who had 11 calves at a 356 day calving interval. Her progeny averaged a whopping 107 WR! Two progeny were photo features in our sales; two were among the top weaning weight calves of their respective crops.

**HOVER COWBOY LOGIC Z187**

Reg. 20128805

Tattoo: L/R Z187

02/17/21

HA Cowboy Up 5405  
FREYS COWBOY LOGIC  
F A R Princess 148Z

Baldrige Chairman  
BLKPC EMPRESS ELLSTON V236  
Blackcap Empress Ellston N23

HA Outside 3008  
HA Blackcap Lady 1602 #  
WK Bobcat #  
F A R Princess 214X #  
Fortunes Conquest 224  
Baldrige Isabel B061  
Mogck Bullseye #  
Blackcap Empress Ellston H97 #

BW	79
ADJ. 205/WR	823/109
ADJ. 365/YR	
%IMF/RATIO	
RE/RATIO	
ADJ. SCR.	

CED	BW		WW		YW		RADG		YH		SC		SW			
+7	+2.2		+94		1% +162		1% +30		15% +1.1		5% +1.35		20% +100		1%	
HP	CEM		Milk		Doc		Claw		Angle		SM					
+16.8	10% +13		10% +28		30% +23		25% +55				+54		+90		2%	
CW	MB		RE		Fat		SF		SB		SC					
+64	15% +49		+43		+032		+95		30% +135		+265		25%			
Dam	BWR		WWR		YWR		Sons @ Auction		Daughters @ Auction		Daughters In Herd					
	1-101		1-109		None		None		None		None					
Grandam	BWR		WWR		YWR		Sons @ Auction		Daughters @ Auction							
	6-108		6-110		4-108		3-\$7175		None							

- ★ Z187 is a wide based, excellent footed, long bodied bull that has some meat in him! He offers a little more bone and a classic Cowboy Logic look.
- ★ Z187 tied as the 11<sup>th</sup> top weaning weight bull of his crop! I'll err on the side of caution and recommend this super high growth bull for use on cows.
- ★ Z187 is one of 9 bulls selling that offer a +100 or better \$W! He has some of the highest WW and YW EPDs of any bull selling.
- ★ Dam V236 is a soggy, beautiful young cow, and Z187 was her first calf. Look for big things out of this cow in the future! She'll calve in 2022 before our sale, moving her calving date up about three weeks!
- ★ Please read about superb grandam N23 in the footnote of her high growth son, Lot 31.

**HOVER NO DOUBT Z21**

Reg. 20125336

Tattoo: L/R Z21

01/12/21

Mogck Bullseye #  
HOVER NO DOUBT  
Miss Blackcap Ellston J2

Connealy Counselor #  
BLUEBLOOD LADY ELLSTON N152  
Blueblood Lady Ellston L66

MOGCK Sure Shot #  
Mogck Mary 1255  
SydGen C C & 7 #  
Miss Blackcap Ellston D154 #  
Connealy Mentor 7374 #  
Jaze of Conanga 234  
Basin Excitement #  
Blueblood Lady Ellston H40

BW	90
ADJ. 205/WR	772/102
ADJ. 365/YR	
%IMF/RATIO	
RE/RATIO	
ADJ. SCR.	

CED	BW		WW		YW		RADG		YH		SC		\$W						
-1	+3.1		+78		10%	+126		20%	+19		+8		25%	+1.75		10%	+83		10%
HP		CEM		Milk		Doc		Claw		Angle		SM							
+15.1		15%		+6		+28		30%	+19		+47		+51		+78		15%		
CW		MB		RE		Fat		\$F		\$B		SC							
+59		20%		+58		+67		+009		+95		30%		+143		+263		25%	
Dam		BWR		WWR		YWR		Sons @ Auction		Daughters @ Auction		Daughters In Herd							
		6-103		6-102		5-100		4-\$7850		1-\$4500		None							

- ★ Z21 is a thick, big scrotal, long bodied, deep chested stud! It's no surprise out of this cow though, she raises an excellent calf every year. We do recommend this stout bull for use on cows.
- ★ Z21 is the fourth No Doubt son of N152 to come to auction, and every one of them has been a standout! Her first one sold to Miller Angus in South Dakota for \$14,000, her others to Art Aberly and Blaine Behnken. N152's other son by 38 Special was a really nice bull selling to John Orr. He was the 10<sup>th</sup> top weaning weight bull of his crop.
- ★ N152 maintains a 357 day calving interval and has settled first service AI her entire career, including her 2022 calf. Her first and only daughter we mistakenly let go of as a bred heifer to Nate Britz in Minnesota. Now we are hoping for a daughter in 2022! She is once again bred to No Doubt because we like this combination so much.
- ★ Great grandam H40 was one of my favorite CC&7 daughters – she is easy going, perfect uddered, easy fleshing, and slick haired. Her 5 progeny to come to auction have averaged \$5200 and work in 5 different states for Craig Miller, Monte Metschke, Tim Schmidt, Dennis Koenig, and James Howland. She maintains an excellent 361 day calving interval on her 9 progeny!

**HOVER COWBOY LOGIC Z58**

Reg. 20125344

Tattoo: L/R Z58

01/23/21

HA Cowboy Up 5405  
FREYS COWBOY LOGIC  
F A R Princess 148Z

Connealy Commander  
BLUEBLOOD LADY ELLSTON P258  
Blueblood Lady Ellston M3

HA Outside 3008  
HA Blackcap Lady 1602 #  
WK Bobcat #  
F A R Princess 214X #  
Connealy Consensus #  
Gespa of Conanga 9380  
Hoover Dam #  
Blueblood Lady Ellston H118 #

BW	86
ADJ. 205/WR	795/105
ADJ. 365/YR	
%IMF/RATIO	
RE/RATIO	
ADJ. SCR.	

CED	BW		WW		YW		RADG		YH		SC		\$W	
-1	+2.3		+78 10%		+134 10%		+32 5%		+1.1 5%		+34		+87 5%	
HP	CEM		Milk		Doc		Claw		Angle				SM	
+12.5	+5		+30 20%		+21		+52		+37 10%		+78		15%	
CW	MB		RE		Fat		SF		SB				SC	
+55	30%	+53	+46		-010 25%		+101 20%		+145				+266 25%	
Dam	BWR		WWR		YWR		Sons @ Auction		Daughters @ Auction		Daughters In Herd			
	5-105		5-98		2-98		1-\$4500		1-\$3750				None	

- ★ Z58 is a larger framed bull with good body, length, and bone. He's a big, rugged made bull the commercial guys will find!
- ★ This high growth bull is recommended for use on cows.
- ★ Dam P258 is an 18<sup>th</sup> generation bred, born, and raised Hoover cow to be in production in Ellston, Iowa. This is the most consecutive generations of any cow line in our herd! My calving book records say she was a good cow to work with at calving time.
- ★ P258 has a 359 day calving interval. Fertility has always been important in this cow family! P258's first son works for repeat customer John Stender – he was a slick, stout, excellent bull! Her only daughter works for repeat customer Roger Pohlkamp.
- ★ P258 was high performing, weaning at 747 pounds to tie as the third top weaning weight heifer of her crop.
- ★ Grandam M3 is the great cow that was selected by Locust Grove Beef Cattle and M Ridge Cattle in Ohio as a mature donor cow for \$20,000. When you think of an Angus momma cow, and what she should do, that is exactly what M3 does. She is a superior uddered, solid phenotype cow that raises a whale of a calf every year, starting with a moderate birth weight. Her top son was S4, the top-selling bull of our 2018 auction at \$39,000 to Eagle Hill Farms. See pictures of M3 and S4 on the next page.
- ★ Please read about Pathfinder great grandam H118 in the bottom of Lot 36's footnote. She is 12 years old and still going strong! Four of the next 5 cows down the dam's side of her pedigree have earned Pathfinder honors also!

**YEARLING BULLS**

HA Cowboy Up 5405  
**FREYS COWBOY LOGIC**  
F A R Princess 148Z

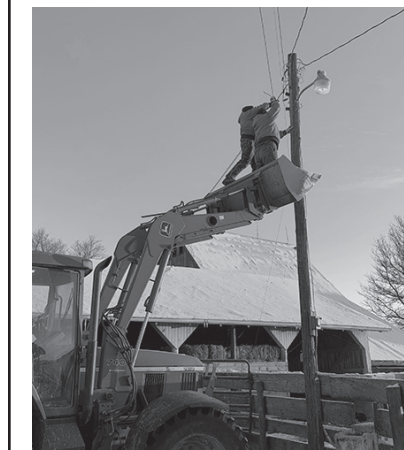
Hoover Dam #  
**BLUEBLOOD LADY ELLSTON T23**  
Blueblood Lady Ellston H118 #

HA Outside 3008  
HA Blackcap Lady 1602 #  
WK Bobcat #  
F A R Princess 214X #  
SydGen C C & 7 #  
Erica of Ellston C124 #  
TC Friction 5130 #  
Blueblood Lady Ellston B305 #

BW	79
ADJ. 205/WR	763/101
ADJ. 365/YR	
%IMF/RATIO	
RE/RATIO	
ADJ. SCR.	

CED	BW		WW		YW	RADG		YH	SC		\$W	
+5	+3.0		+80	10%	+138	10%	+30	15%	+1.3	2%	+1.57 15%	+66
HP	CEM		Milk		Doc	Claw		Angle		\$M		
+9.5	+9		+16		+11	+49		+49		+48		
CW	MB		RE		Fat	\$F		\$B		\$C		
+66	10%	+50		+52		-0.04	30%	+113	10%	+157	25%	+252
Dam	BWR		WWR		YWR		Sons @ Auction		Daughters @ Auction		Daughters In Herd	
	2-112		2-108		None		None		None		None	
Grandam	BWR		WWR		YWR		Sons @ Auction		Daughters @ Auction			
	10-99		10-104		9-102		6-\$9125		1-\$20,000			

- ★ Z23 is a bigger framed, long bodied, wide based bull. He's deep, square made, and level topped. He is recommended for use on cows.
- ★ Dam T23 is a 17<sup>th</sup> generation bred, born, and raised Blueblood Lady Ellston female to be bred by four generations of the Hoover family. Will Gwen and Ty grow up some day and carry on the tradition of Hoover Angus as 5<sup>th</sup> generation Angus breeders? It's our goal to keep the business thriving so if Gwen and Ty desire to come back to the farm, they may do so!
- ★ T23's first son tied as the 9<sup>th</sup> top weaning weight bull of his crop, weaning at 801 pounds. Z23 was her second calf.
- ★ Pathfinder grandam is still going strong at 12 years of age! All three of H118's daughters have been saved as replacements, one of them the M3 donor cow that was later purchased by Locust Grove Beef Cattle and M Ridge Cattle in Ohio. M3's daughter has a son selling as Lot 35.
- ★ H118's sons work for Mike Grimm, Hollis Dodge, Chris Nelson, Jeff Bellamy (the 8<sup>th</sup> top weaning weight bull of his crop), John Zutavern and Ben-Lock Farms in Canada. For a 12 year-old cow to be averaging over \$9000 on her 6 sons... she's gettin' the job done!
- ★ Pathfinder great grandam B305 was one of my favorites – she was a slow, easy-going cow that produced until 14 years of age. She maintained a 363 day calving interval on 13 progeny, and 13-106 WR! She is one of the few cows in the breed to produce *three* Pathfinder daughters! At 14 years of age, B305's udder was superb.
- ★ Nine Pathfinders are found in Z23's pedigree. Three of the next four cows "off the pedigree" down the dam's side have also earned Pathfinder honors!



I get to the farm each morning at 6:00 am, and on our coldest day of the year (-17 degrees actual temperature) this past February, Andrew calls me before 6:00 and asks, "How soon will you be here?" in a semi-frantic voice. "On my way," I say.

I get there and see a cow that has had twins twice before has dropped a calf in the middle of the lot while Andrew was drying off another calf (it was Andrew's eighth calf born that night). She is acting like she is going to have a second calf. The power line that goes over the

calving lot has come down from the pole and is hovering about 3 feet off the ground about 5 feet away from the cow that calved in the lot. Andrew informs me we have two more cows calving in the west barn and he hasn't checked them for a while.

Just about everything that *could* go wrong that morning *did* go wrong, and as you well know, cows don't stop calving just because it is record cold, the tractors won't start, or there is a power line down. By the time we got the newborn in the lot taken care of, and someone managed to get the loader tractor started, it was daylight and we got the power line back up on the pole. The Hoover crew was gettin' it done the best it could be done!

February was Iowa's 8<sup>th</sup> coldest winter on record, with 12 consecutive days of below zero temps at night and 16 consecutive days of below zero wind chills. We lost a lot of newborn's ears during this time, hence many short eared bulls selling today, but we didn't lose a single calf to the cold weather. These calves weren't born in heated calving barns, they were born in an open-front shed and dried off typically just once. And even when you have the ears perfectly dry, a good momma cow is going to polish that newborn up after it gets back from the heater, setting those ears up to freeze. So a bull with short ears... you know he has a good momma!



**Blueblood Lady Ellston M3**  
Owned by Locust Grove  
Beef Cattle and  
M Ridge Cattle  
\$20,000 Grandam of  
Lot 34-35



**Hoover 38 Special S4**  
Owned by  
Eagle Hill Farms  
\$39,000 Maternal Brother  
to the Dams of Lot 34-35



**Hoover All American**  
Owned by Bo Slovek  
\$13,500 Maternal Brother  
to the Dams of Lots 34-35

Fortunes Conquest 224  
**BALDRIDGE CHAIRMAN**  
Baldrige Isabel B061

Hoover Cut Above P427  
**BLUEBLOOD LADY ELLSTON V3**  
Blueblood Lady Ellston M3

Connealy Confidence 0100 #  
Fortunes 4412 Ethelda 742  
G A R Prophet #  
Baldrige Isabel Y69  
Bruns Top Cut 373 #  
Erica of Ellston L5  
Hoover Dam #  
Blueblood Lady Ellston H118 #

BW	84
ADJ. 205/WR	783/103
ADJ. 365/YR	
%IMF/RATIO	
RE/RATIO	
ADJ. SCR.	

CED	BW		WW		YW		RADG		YH		SC		\$W	
-3	+3.1		+72		20% +131		15% +26		+8		25% +1.12		+68	
HP	CEM		Milk		Doc		Claw		Angle		\$M			
+14.8	20% +7		+26		+21		+49		+42		20% +66			
CW	MB		RE		Fat		\$F		\$B		\$C			
+55	30% +65		+68		-0.03 30%		+95		30% +148		+258 30%			
Dam	BWR		WWR		YWR		Sons @ Auction		Daughters @ Auction		Daughters In Herd			
	1-106		1-103		None		None		None		None			

- ★ Z165 is a really long bodied bull with a tick more frame. He's got short ears from the cold. He's got a tight sheath to help keep him out of hazards in the pasture.
- ★ Z165 is recommended for use on cows. I also recommend saving as many daughters out of him as you can – the cow family behind him comes very highly recommended, and we love our Chairman daughters!
- ★ Dam V3 was from a great flush of M3 daughters! These five flush sisters all weaned their first calves this year, with an average 103 WR on their progeny! All 5 of them bred back early in the season for their second calves!
- ★ Grandam M3 served as a working donor at Hoover Angus before she sold as a mature cow to Locust Grove Beef Cattle and M Ridge Cattle in Ohio.
- ★ M3's three natural sons at Hoover Angus averaged \$19,425! Her top son was our 2018 top-selling bull at \$39,000 to Eagle Hill Farms. We have used this bull, Hoover 38 Special S4, back in our herd. S4 was the 2nd top adjusted weaning weight bull of his crop at 905 pounds, WR 116!
- ★ M3's next son, Hoover All American, was selected by Bo Slovek in South Dakota.
- ★ Pathfinder great grandam H118 is still going strong at 12 years of age! All three of H118's daughters have been saved as replacements.
- ★ H118's sons work for Mike Grimm, Hollis Dodge, Chris Nelson, Jeff Bellamy (the 8<sup>th</sup> top weaning weight bull of his crop), John Zutavern and Ben-Lock Farms in Canada. For a 12 year-old cow to be averaging over \$9000 on her 6 sons... she's gettin' the job done!
- ★ I have to mention 4<sup>th</sup> generation dam B305. She was a slow, easy-going cow that produced until 14 years of age. She maintained a 363 day calving interval on 13 progeny, and 13-106 WR! She is one of the few cows in the breed to produce *three* Pathfinder daughters! At 14 years of age, B305's udder was superb.



SydGen Enhance  
**MOGCK ENTICE**  
MOGCK Erica 2255 #

Hoover Dam #  
**MISS ERICA ELLSTON N105**  
Miss Erica Ellston L67 #

SydGen Exceed 3223  
SydGen Rita 2618  
Mogck Sure Shot 253  
MOGCK Erica 2162  
SydGen C C & 7 #  
Erica of Ellston C124 #  
Basin Excitement #  
Miss Erica Ellston E298 #

BW	82
ADJ. 205/WR	772/102
ADJ. 365/YR	
%IMF/RATIO	
RE/RATIO	
ADJ. SCR.	

CED	BW		WW		YW		RADG		YH		SC		\$W		
+8	-1	25%	+75	15%	+145	4%	+34	2%	+7	30%	+1.04		+81	10%	
HP	CEM		Milk		Doc		Claw		Angle				SM		
+12.9	+4		+27		+34		1%		+25		1%		+44 25% +86 4%		
CW	MB		RE		Fat		SF		SB				SC		
+61	20%	+83	25%	+82	20%	-.024	10%	+113	10%	+177	10%	+316	2%		
Dam	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction				Daughters @ Auction				Daughters In Herd			
	6-91	6-97	5-100	3-\$4350				1-\$3900				1-100			

★ Z38 is an impressive Entice son with a good disposition! He has the look of a herd bull already. He's extended through his front, long bodied, and a true cattlemen's type of bull. He is super slick haired to work well on fescue and produce daughters that will be the same.

★ Z38 has one of the top \$Combined Values among the bulls selling.

★ Z38 was born in the lot while Andrew was drying a calf (sorry to tattle on you, Andrew). N105 went into labor and delivered her calf super quick! It's not the first time she's calved in the lot though, she calved quick enough her first year we failed to get her in a pen before she dropped her calf in the lot! That's pretty rare for a heifer to calve that quick!

★ Z38 is recommended for larger framed heifers or cows. His dam is certainly a low birth weight cow.

★ Dam N105 has a 357 day calving interval on her 6 progeny. Her sons and daughters work for Darrell Wagoner, Andy Huffington, Mark Bright, and Francois Brothers, all repeat customers.

★ N105's daughter in the herd raised Lot 39 as her second calf.

★ Pathfinder grandam L67 was lost young in life to an injury, but recorded 3-108 WR and a 363 day calving interval. One son was the 7<sup>th</sup> top weaning weight bull of his crop.

★ L67 and her dam were both super high performing – L67 was the 6<sup>th</sup> top weaning weight, 3<sup>rd</sup> top yearling weight heifer of her crop, and E298 was the #1 weaning weight, 2<sup>nd</sup> top yearling weight heifer of her crop!

★ Sixth generation dam, Miss Erica Ellston N46, has given rise to an outstanding cow family. Seventeen daughter descendants have stemmed from N46, nine of which earned Pathfinder honors. N46 and these 17 daughters have weaned a total of 114 progeny at 104 wean ratio!

★ Check out the bottom side of Z38's pedigree – it is packed with Pathfinders!



**Miss Erica Ellston N21**  
Dam of Lot 37;  
Relative of Lots 38-40



**Galaxy Detail 8546**  
\$45,000 Sire of  
Lot 37 and 51

Diablo Deluxe 1104  
**GALAXY DETAIL 8546**  
Galaxy Blackbird 4551

Hoover Emperor  
**MISS ERICA ELLSTON N21**  
Miss Erica Ellston H263 #

V A R Discovery 2240 #  
Diablo Erica Dianna 9034  
EXAR Denver 2002B #  
Galaxy Blackbird 2102  
SydGen C C & 7 #  
Blkcp Empress Ellston G403 #  
Woodhill Statesman 54K-90N #  
Miss Erica Ellston E298 #

BW	76
ADJ. 205/WR	714/94
ADJ. 365/YR	
%IMF/RATIO	
RE/RATIO	
ADJ. SCR.	

CED	BW		WW		YW		RADG		YH		SC		SW		
+14	4%	-2.0	4%	+57			+105	+22		+9	15%	+1.32	20%	+75	20%
HP	CEM		Milk		Doc		Claw		Angle				SM		
+19.7	1%	+16	1%	+36	4%	+16	+46		+48		+82		10%		
CW	MB		RE		Fat		SF		SB				SC		
+42	+59		+54		+004		+79		+127		+247				
Dam	BWR		WWR		YWR		Sons @ Auction		Daughters @ Auction		Daughters In Herd				
	6-99	6-104	5-99		2-\$3750		2-\$4350		1-109						

★ Z26 is as long as a train! If you have become frustrated with lots of newer lines of Angus cattle that sacrifice frame and length, take a look at this guy! He is bigger framed and super slick haired. Better yet, he offers an outcross pedigree for our repeat customers. His feeder calves will be easy to sell!

★ With Z26's just-right birth weight and excellent genomic scores for calving ease and birth weight, he is a great choice for heifers. He has the 2<sup>nd</sup> lowest BW EPD and some of the top CED and CEM EPDs of the bulls selling!

★ Z26 offers the 2<sup>nd</sup> highest Heifer Pregnancy (HP) EPD in the bulls selling!

★ Dam N21 is one of our favorites! She has a 357 day calving interval on her 6 progeny and is still going strong, once again settled first service AI for her 2022 calf.

★ N21's progeny work for Chance Benoit, Steve McFarland, Roger Pohlkamp, and Jerry Findley. Chance's heifer was the 2<sup>nd</sup> top weaning weight heifer of her crop, and she is a super tame cow in his herd where she serves as one of his top cows. Her picture was in the Benoit family's restaurant at the Iowa State Fairgrounds. We got to see Steve McFarland's N21 son this past summer in Ohio. This four year-old bull was as perfect-footed as you can find these days!

★ N21's daughter working in the Hoover herd raised a \$6500 son her first year!

★ Go back through our past catalogs to read the story of N21 and how she tore up her leg in electric fence wire and how we doctored her daily in Epsom salt water for over a month. Her disposition and her mother's willingness to let us work with her calf daily were truly unbelievable!

★ Grandam H263 was lost to lightning before her days should have been done here on earth. She recorded a whopping 9-106 WR and a 364 day calving interval. Her first daughter earned Pathfinder honors. Three other daughters were retained in our herd. Three of her daughters were among the top 10 adjusted weaning weight heifer calves of their respective crops.

★ H263's progeny work for Todd Creason, Kurt Brown, John Zutavern, and Gareld Carpenter. Did you know that Kurt's son, Spencer Brown, was in the NFL draft last year and plays for the Buffalo Bills? How cool is that?!!

★ Sixth generation dam, Miss Erica Ellston N46, has given rise to an outstanding cow family. Seventeen daughter descendants have stemmed from N46, nine of which earned Pathfinder honors. N46 and these 17 daughters have weaned a total of 114 progeny at 104 wean ratio!

★ Read about sire Galaxy Detail in the footnote of Lot 51.

## Starting 'em young!



When vaccinating calves last spring, it was Gwen's job to read us each calf's number so it could be recorded.



Gwen and Ty "calculating" sale averages at last year's sale!

**HOVER NO DOUBT Z122**

Reg. 20128787

Tattoo: L/R Z122

02/09/21

Mogck Bullseye #  
**HOVER NO DOUBT**  
 Miss Blackcap Ellston J2

SydGen Sizzle  
**MISS ERICA ELLSTON T261**  
 Miss Erica Ellston N105

Mogck Sure Shot #  
 Mogck Mary 1255  
 SydGen C C & 7 #  
 Miss Blackcap Ellston D154 #  
 Connealy Cool 39L  
 WK Hazel 9201  
 Hoover Dam #  
 Miss Erica Ellston L67 #

BW	93
ADJ. 205/WR	731/97
ADJ. 365/YR	
%IMF/RATIO	
RE/RATIO	
ADJ. SCR.	

CED	BW		WW		YW		RADG		YH		SC		\$W	
+1	+4.3		+74	15%	+135	10%	+28	25%	+8	25%	+1.47	15%	+61	
HP	CEM		Milk		Doc		Claw		Angle		SM			
+14.2	25%	+10		+22		+29		10%	+38	10%	+42	20%	+73	25%
CW		MB		RE		Fat		\$F		\$B		\$C		
+62	15%	+58		+72		+017		+113		10%	+161	20%	+282	15%
Dam	BWR		WWR		YWR		Sons @ Auction		Daughters @ Auction		Daughters In Herd			
	2-107		2-100		1-99		None		None		None			
Grandam	BWR		WWR		YWR		Sons @ Auction		Daughters @ Auction					
	6-91		6-97		5-100		3-\$4350		1-\$3900					

- ★ Z122 is an added frame, level top, classic No Doubt son. He is recommended for use on cows.
- ★ If dam T261 calves according to her ultrasound date, all three of her calves will have been born between February 6 and February 9. I'd say her fertility is spot-on!
- ★ T261's first daughter has been retained for the replacement herd; Z122 is her second calf. My calving book notes say that T261 was a good mom and had an easy birth her first year calving.
- ★ Please read about grandam N105 and the rest of her cow family in the footnote of her son, Lot 38. This has certainly been a strong cow line for many, many generations!

**HOVER ENTICE Z229**

Reg. 20128818

Tattoo: L/R Z229

02/22/21

SydGen Enhance  
**MOGCK ENTICE**  
 MOGCK Erica 2255 #

Hoover Quintain  
**MISS ERICA ELLSTON S48**  
 Miss Erica Ellston H263 #

SydGen Exceed 3223  
 SydGen Rita 2618  
 Mogck Sure Shot 253  
 MOGCK Erica 2162  
 Mogck Bullseye #  
 Erica of Ellston G216 #  
 Woodhill Statesman 54K-90N #  
 Miss Erica Ellston E298 #

BW	91
ADJ. 205/WR	844/111
ADJ. 365/YR	
%IMF/RATIO	
RE/RATIO	
ADJ. SCR.	

CED	BW		WW		YW		RADG		YH		SC		\$W	
+2	+3.7		+87	2%	+149	3%	+27	30%	+1.1	5%	+1.56	15%	+87	5%
HP	CEM		Milk		Doc		Claw		Angle		SM			
+17.1	5%	+6	+28	30%	+26	15%	+48			+66			+81	10%
CW	MB		RE		Fat		SF				\$B		\$C	
+79	2%	+51	+93	10%	-014	20%	+122	3%	+172	10%	+304	4%		
Dam	BWR		WWR		YWR		Sons @ Auction		Daughters @ Auction		Daughters In Herd			
	3-97		3-106		2-101		1-\$3250		None		None			

- ★ Retaining 1/3 revenue sharing semen interest.
- ★ Z229 is a really long bodied, big quartered, thick made bull that has some gas in the tank to perform. His calves will show rapid growth!
- ★ Z229 was the 2<sup>nd</sup> top weaning weight bull of his crop! We recommend this high growth bull for use on cows.
- ★ Dam S48 could be looking at earning Pathfinder status this spring with her excellent wean ratios on her calves and a 369 day calving interval! If she does, that will make three consecutive generations of Pathfinder cows down the dam's side of Z229's pedigree!
- ★ S48's first son works for Brady Wolfram, and her first daughter will calve for the first time this spring at Hoover Angus.
- ★ Maternal grandsire Quintain was the \$26,000 #1 weaning weight bull calf of his crop and the 3<sup>rd</sup> top selling bull of our 2016 sale. It is always fun to see how our genetics perform back in our own herd, and this daughter is sure doing an outstanding job!
- ★ Please read about grandam H263 and her cow family in the bottom of Lot 37's footnote.



Blue sky, black calves, green grass!

**HOVER COWBOY LOGIC Z123**

Reg. 20128788

Tattoo: L/R Z123

02/10/21

HA Cowboy Up 5405  
**FREYS COWBOY LOGIC**  
 F A R Princess 148Z

SydGen Sizzle  
**BLKCP EMPRESS ELLSTON S183**  
 Blackcap Empress Ellston N33

HA Outside 3008  
 HA Blackcap Lady 1602 #  
 WK Bobcat #  
 F A R Princess 214X #  
 Connealy Cool 39L  
 WK Hazel 9201  
 Hoover Dam #  
 Blackcap Empress Ellston B96 #

BW	86
ADJ. 205/WR	748/99
ADJ. 365/YR	
%IMF/RATIO	
RE/RATIO	
ADJ. SCR.	

CED	BW		WW		YW		RADG		YH		SC		\$W	
+15	2%	-1	25%	+67	30%	+120	25%	+28	25%	+5		+85	+72	25%
HP	CEM		Milk		Doc		Claw		Angle		SM			
+15.7	15%	+15	2%	+26	+15		+42		20%	+46	+72		25%	
CW	MB		RE		Fat		\$F		\$B		\$C			
+45	+13		+73		30%	-024	10%	+88	+120		+228			
Dam	BWR		WWR		YWR		Sons @ Auction		Daughters @ Auction		Daughters In Herd			
	3-101		3-101		2-103		None		1-\$3600		1-101			
Grandam	BWR		WWR		YWR		Sons @ Auction		Daughters @ Auction					
	5-104		5-100		3-104		1-\$3500		1-\$4500					

- ★ Z123 is a super long bodied bull, extended through his front, wide based, and excellent footed.
- ★ Despite a larger birth weight than what I consider suitable for use on heifers, genomics peg this bull to have superior calving ease. If you believe in genomics, he should be safe for heifers, but I'd rather err on the safe side and say to use him on larger framed, well-developed heifers or cows. Z123 ties as the 3<sup>rd</sup> top CED EPD bull to sell and also has one of the top CEM EPDs.
- ★ Dam S183 has a perfect 365 day calving interval on her first three calves and is due exactly the same time for 2022. In fact, if she calves to her AI date, all four of her calves will have been born between February 10-15. That's a pretty tight window! First service AI every time!
- ★ S183's first daughter works in the herd, and her next daughter was selected by repeat customer Lane Stortenbecker. This heifer was born out in the lot - S183 went into labor so quickly, she got the calf out before we noticed her and got her in a calving pen.
- ★ Please read about grandam N33 and the rest of her cow family in the footnote of N33's son, Lot 42. *Every single one* of N33's calves (including a set of twins) have been born between February 13-19! In the beef world, that is a super tight calving window, especially when our cows are never synchronized! She is super consistent!

**HOVER CHAIRMAN Z152**

Reg. 20128794

Tattoo: L/R Z152

02/13/21

Fortunes Conquest 224  
**BALDRIDGE CHAIRMAN**  
 Baldrige Isabel B061

Hoover Dam #  
**BLACKCAP EMPRESS ELLSTON N33**  
 Blackcap Empress Ellston B96 #

Connealy Confidence 0100 #  
 Fortunes 4412 Ethelda 742  
 G A R Prophet #  
 Baldrige Isabel Y69  
 SydGen C C & 7 #  
 Erica of Ellston C124 #  
 Roth Famous 1006 #  
 Blackcap Empress Ellston Z4

BW	90
ADJ. 205/WR	767/101
ADJ. 365/YR	
%IMF/RATIO	
RE/RATIO	
ADJ. SCR.	

CED	BW		WW		YW		RADG		YH		SC	\$W
-2	+3.0		+73	15%	+126	20%	+23		+1.0	10%	+54	+68
HP	CEM		Milk		Doc		Claw		Angle		SM	
+14.2	25%	+9	+23		+7		+61		+48		+54	
CW	MB		RE		Fat		\$F		\$B		\$C	
+56	25%	+52	+79		25%	+012		+94		30%	+141	+237
Dam	BWR		WWR		YWR		Sons @ Auction		Daughters @ Auction		Daughters In Herd	
	5-104		5-100		3-104		1-\$3500		1-\$4500		1-101	

- ★ Z152 is a super slick haired bull with a notch more frame and a clean sheath. He's got a nice profile and a good quarter.
- ★ Z152 is recommended for use on cows.
- ★ Dam N33 has a 364 day calving interval on her 6 calvings (a set of twins is not included in the boxes above). She is a bigger cow for a Hoover Dam that brings in a nice calf each year. Her progeny work for Taylor Ridge and Bo Slovek. N33's daughter in the herd raised the Lot 41 bull.
- ★ N33 puts some good carcass qualities in her progeny with 4-117 IMF ratio and 4-102 ribeye ratio.
- ★ Pathfinder grandam B96 ended her career with 10-107 WR and a 356 day calving interval on her 11 pregnancies. One Pathfinder daughter works in the herd. One daughter, a full sister to N33, was the \$7500 photo feature heifer in our 2012 auction selling to repeat customer KDS Angus. This heifer was the 6<sup>th</sup> top weaning weight heifer of her crop.
- ★ A B96 son was a \$10,500 photo feature bull selling to repeat customer Reinhart Farms. This bull was the 8<sup>th</sup> top weaning weight bull of his crop. Other B96 progeny work for Ramarr Robertson, Dean Lenz, Butch Miller, and Carl Stephens.
- ★ Seven Pathfinders are found in Z152's pedigree.

**YEARLING BULLS**



**HOVER CHAIRMAN Z97**

Reg. 20128780

Tattoo: L/R Z97

02/05/21

Fortunes Conquest 224  
**BALDRIDGE CHAIRMAN**  
Baldrige Isabel B061

Hoover Inspiration  
**BLUEBLOOD LADY ELLSTON T248**  
Blueblood Lady Ellston J300 #

Connealy Confidence 0100 #  
Fortunes 4412 Ethelda 742  
G A R Prophet #  
Baldrige Isabel Y69  
SydGen C C & 7 #  
Lady Ida of Ellston C164 #  
SydGen Journey 8200  
Blueblood Lady Ellston E56

BW	73
ADJ. 205/WR	835/110
ADJ. 365/YR	
%IMF/RATIO	
RE/RATIO	
ADJ. SCR.	

CED	BW		WW		YW		RADG		YH		SC		\$W	
+13	10%	-1.5	10%	+70	20%	+119	30%	+21	+5		+94		+85	10%
HP	CEM		Milk		Doc		Claw		Angle		\$M			
+12.0	+11		25%	+29	25%	+28	10%	+48		+47		+79 10%		
CW	MB		RE		Fat		\$F		\$B		\$C			
+49	+34		+72		+024		+80		+117		+231			
Dam	BWR	WWR		YWR		Sons @ Auction		Daughters @ Auction		Daughters In Herd				
	2-94	2-103		1-101		1-\$5000		None		None				

- ★ Retaining 1/3 revenue sharing semen interest.
- ★ Z97 is a stout, nice, big boy! He has lots of body, as very typical of the Chairman progeny. He is an easy fleshing cow maker!
- ★ Z97 was the 3<sup>rd</sup> top weaning weight bull of his crop! Better yet, he is suitable for use on heifers if you like! Use him a couple years on heifers, then move him to your main cow herd without sacrificing a bit of growth! Z97 ties with the 3<sup>rd</sup> lowest BW EPD of all the bulls selling.
- ★ Dam T248 has a 351 day calving interval on her first two progeny. Her first son works for Mark Lents. Z97 is her second calf, and she has settled first service AI for the third year in a row for her 2022 calf.
- ★ T248 was a high marbling female, scanning a 6.40 IMF, ratio 147!
- ★ Grandam J300 has been retired from the herd, but she was a low birth weight cow that raised big calves (looks like T248 is following right in her footsteps). She put 5 replacement daughters back in the herd and recorded a perfect 365 day calving interval! Her two sons to come to auction averaged \$11,500!

**HOVER ENTICE Z143**

Reg. 20128792

Tattoo: L/R Z143

02/12/21

SydGen Enhance  
**MOGCK ENTICE**  
MOGCK Erica 2255 #

Hoover Dam #  
**BLUEBLOOD LADY ELLSTON S181**  
Blueblood Lady Ellston J300 #

SydGen Exceed 3223  
SydGen Rita 2618  
Mogck Sure Shot 253  
MOGCK Erica 2162  
SydGen C C & 7 #  
Erica of Ellston C124 #  
SydGen Journey 8200  
Blueblood Lady Ellston E56

BW	78
ADJ. 205/WR	792/105
ADJ. 365/YR	
%IMF/RATIO	
RE/RATIO	
ADJ. SCR.	

CED	BW		WW		YW		RADG		YH		SC		\$W		
+5	+2.1		+74		15%	+133	15%	+31	10%	+1.0	10%	+1.44	15%	+81	10%
HP	CEM		Milk		Doc		Claw		Angle		SM				
+13.5	30%	+7	+34		10%	+31	3%	+26	1%	+42	20%	+71	25%		
CW	MB		RE		Fat		SF		SB		SC				
+63	15%	+1.01	15%	+59		+010		+112		10%	+178	10%	+302	4%	
Dam	BWR	WWR		YWR		Sons @ Auction		Daughters @ Auction		Daughters In Herd					
	3-99	3-105		2-100		None		1-\$5500		None					

- ★ Z143 is a good quartered bull with nice depth of body. He's got two short ears – you'll be able to tell which one he is if he ever loses an ear tag! Short ears will make some of these bulls bargains on sale day!
- ★ Z143 is likely best suited for use on cows.
- ★ Z143 is one of 7 bulls selling that offers a +1.00 Marbling EPD or higher! If you feed out your calves and sell them on a grid, or even if you want higher marbling genetics for freezer beef you sell, consider Z143.
- ★ Dam S181 is a nice cow with a 364 day calving interval. It would appear that she would meet the parameters to earn Pathfinder honors when the AAA publishes the new report the week after our sale.
- ★ S181's first daughter sold for \$5500 to Kriss Lightner in our 2021 sale. She was the 2<sup>nd</sup> top weaning weight heifer of her crop!
- ★ Please read about Pathfinder grandam J300 in the bottom of Lot 43's footnote – he's a good rascal, and out of a 7/8 sister to S181.

**HOVER COWBOY LOGIC Z171**

Reg. 20128801

Tattoo: L/R Z171

02/16/21

HA Cowboy Up 5405  
**FREYS COWBOY LOGIC**  
F A R Princess 148Z

Hoover Dam #  
**BLUEBLOOD LADY ELLSTON R77**  
Blueblood Lady Ellston J300 #

HA Outside 3008  
HA Blackcap Lady 1602 #  
WK Bobcat #  
F A R Princess 214X #  
SydGen C C & 7 #  
Erica of Ellston C124 #  
SydGen Journey 8200  
Blueblood Lady Ellston E56

BW	88
ADJ. 205/WR	707/93
ADJ. 365/YR	
%IMF/RATIO	
RE/RATIO	
ADJ. SCR.	

CED	BW		WW		YW		RADG		YH		SC		SW	
+6	+1.9		+74		15%		+129		15%		+28		25%	
HP		CEM		Milk		Doc		Claw		Angle		SM		
+13.7		30%		+9		+19		+13		+55		+49		
CW		MB		RE		Fat		\$F		\$B		\$C		
+53		+29		+68		-017		15%		+96		30%		
								+133				+232		
Dam	BWR		WWR		YWR		Sons @ Auction		Daughters @ Auction		Daughters In Herd			
	4-108		4-92		2-100		None		2-\$4900		None			

- ★ Z171 is a deep bodied, tight sheathed, really nice footed bull, as typical of most Cowboy Logics.
- ★ I'll err on the side of caution and recommend Z171 for use on cows.
- ★ Dam R77 is a beautiful female – when I give pasture tours, people always spot this cow! She has a very nice, square udder with nice teat size.
- ★ R77's daughters work for Keith Bixler in Indiana and Andy Huffington in Illinois.
- ★ Pathfinder grandam J300 has put several good daughters in the herd – please read about her in the bottom of Lot 43's footnote.

**HOVER ENTICE Z112**

Reg. 20128784

Tattoo: L/R Z112

02/08/21

SydGen Enhance  
**MOGCK ENTICE**  
MOGCK Erica 2255 #

SydGen Sizzle  
**ELBAMERE QUEEN ELLSTON S140**  
Elbamere Queen Ellston N132 #

SydGen Exceed 3223  
SydGen Rita 2618  
Mogck Sure Shot 253  
MOGCK Erica 2162  
Connealy Cool 39L  
WK Hazel 9201  
Hoover Dam #  
Elbamere Queen Ellston L173

BW	86
ADJ. 205/WR	747/99
ADJ. 365/YR	
%IMF/RATIO	
RE/RATIO	
ADJ. SCR.	

CED	BW		WW		YW		RADG		YH		SC		\$W
+3	+2.1		+71	20%	+137	10%	+30	15%	+1.0	10%	+2.97	1%	+64
HP	CEM		Milk		Doc		Claw		Angle		-\$M		
+15.3	15%	+4	+23		+32		2%	+40	15%	+54	+66		
CW	MB		RE		Fat		-\$F		-\$B		-\$C		
+51	+1.02	15%	+67		-013		20%	+97	25%	+167	15%	+283	15%
Dam	BWR		WWR		YWR		Sons @ Auction		Daughters @ Auction		Daughters In Herd		
	3-101		3-92		1-108		1-\$4000		None		None		
Grandam	BWR		WWR		YWR		Sons @ Auction		Daughters @ Auction				
	6-107		6-109		5-107		3-\$11,150		None				

- ★ Z112 is a large framed, growthy bull that has some leg under him. As typical of the Entice sons, he has large testicles. He has the #1 Scrotal EPD of any animal selling! He is recommended for use on cows.
- ★ If you retain ownership in your calves or feed them out and sell them on a grade and yield basis, consider Z112. Z112 is one of 7 bulls selling that offers a +1.00 Marbling EPD or higher!
- ★ Dam S140 has a perfect 365 day calving interval. S140's second calf got sick prior to weaning which took a big hit on his weaning weight. S140 is certainly a better cow than her wean ratios above indicate!
- ★ S140 scanned a 7.04 IMF, ratio 154 to be the 5<sup>th</sup> top IMF heifer of her crop!
- ★ Repeat customer Dana Russell selected S140's first son. Dana recently commented to me how well the bull had grown and developed into a mature bull.
- ★ Grandam N132 earned Pathfinder honors for her early initial calving, excellent calving interval of 364 days, and her high weaning ratios on her progeny.
- ★ N132's top accomplishment was producing the #1 adjusted weaning weight bull of our 2018 crop that was selected for \$26,000 by long-time repeat customer Glen Hanson. Brian James and Shane Triggs selected her other sons.

**Maternal Plus**

Among over 25,000 members of the American Angus Association, Hoover Angus is one of 383 members enrolled in the Maternal Plus program nation-wide, and one of 18 in Iowa. Maternal Plus is a "whole herd" reporting system whereby members must submit calving and weaning information on every cow every year (as opposed to some herds who only turn in the upper percentiles of each calf crop).

Maternal Plus members are leaders in the submission of phenotypes, particularly of maternal importance, such as heifer breeding records (to help generate the Heifer Pregnancy EPD). In addition, when a cow is culled from the herd, cow disposal codes and dates must be submitted. This information is being used to build a database from which the AAA can eventually use for the creation of stayability/longevity EPDs, which will then become a component of the \$Maternal Value index.

Sustained cow fertility and longevity are some of the most important profitability factors for the commercial cattleman, and likewise should be for the purebred breeder too! Maternal Plus herds are helping drive this quest to measure and improve fertility and longevity!

**YEARLING BULLS**



## HOVER NO DOUBT Z91

Reg. 20128779

Tattoo: L/R Z91

02/01/21

Mogck Bullseye #  
**HOVER NO DOUBT**  
 Miss Blackcap Ellston J2

Baldrige 38 Special  
**QUEEN OF ELLSTON T12**  
 Queen of Ellston H115 #

MOGCK Sure Shot #  
 Mogck Mary 1255  
 SydGen C C & 7 #  
 Miss Blackcap Ellston D154 #  
 EF Commando 1366 #  
 Baldrige Isabel Y69  
 TC Friction 5130 #  
 Queen of Ellston C50 #

BW	85
ADJ. 205/WR	707/93
ADJ. 365/YR	
%IMF/RATIO	
RE/RATIO	
ADJ. SCR.	

CED	BW	WW	YW	RADG	YH	SC	\$W
+4	+3.0	+69 25%	+130 15%	+24	+8 25%	+2.10 2%	+61
HP	CEM	Milk	Doc	Claw	Angle	\$M	
+15.9 10%	+6	+21	+32 2%	+44 25%	+36 5%	+83	10%
CW	MB	RE	Fat	\$F	\$B	\$C	
+59 20%	+77 30%	+82 20%	+048	+103 20%	+158 20%	+288	10%
Dam	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters In Herd	
	2-98	2-94	None	1-\$2750	None	None	
Grandam	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction		
	11-98	11-109	9-107	11-\$10,175	2-\$6500		

- ★ Z91 is a long bodied, attractive-type calf. You can sure see the No Doubt in him! As the case with most No Doubt's, he is recommended for use on cows.
- ★ Dam T12's first son works for long-time repeat customers Melvin & Annette Warren. Z91 is her second son.
- ★ T12 has a 337 day calving interval and is due to calve in early February again this year. She once again settled first service AI to No Doubt.
- ★ Pathfinder grandam H115 – wow, what a cow she has been, and she is still going strong at over 12 years of age! She has a stunning record of production and fertility. She has 11 calves at an exemplary 361 day calving interval, despite stealing four flushes throughout her life! The boxes above are correct, her 11 sons have averaged over \$10,000, five of which have been photo features!
- ★ H115's top son was the Lot 1, lead-off bull in our sale selling to Mohnen Angus for \$26,000. This bull, Hoover Longevity T40, was easily the #1 adjusted weaning weight, #1 yearling weight bull of the sale at 911 pounds and 1546 pounds, respectively. See Longevity's picture on page 29.
- ★ Other progeny of H115 work for Jason Hunt (2 sons), Pat Peak, Mitch Moran, Reiman Livestock, Dana Russell, Tim Hackett, Spencer Griffin, Kirk Egbert, Dan Olson, Jeff Bellamy, Alta Genetics, and Diamond J Angus Ranch. Speaking of Alta Genetics, they have selected three sons from this cow family to work in their vast overseas markets.
- ★ H115's oldest daughter in our herd earned Pathfinder honors – she is the dam of Lot 49.
- ★ A maternal sister to H115 raised the excellent featured bull Lot 51.
- ★ Please read about highly successful Pathfinder donor grandam C50 in the footnote of her son, Lot 50, and see her picture on page 22.



**Hoover Cowboy Logic X193**  
 Owned by  
 Keller Angus Farm  
 \$10,000 Maternal Brother  
 to Lot 49;  
 Relative of Lots 47-52

**Queen of Ellston H115**  
 Pathfinder Hoover Donor  
 Grandam of Lots 47-49;  
 Relative of Lots 50-52



## HOVER 38 SPECIAL Z243

Reg. 20128824

Tattoo: L/R Z243

02/24/21

EF Commando 1366 #  
**BALDRIDGE 38 SPECIAL**  
 Baldrige Isabel Y69

Bruns Top Cut 373 #  
**QUEEN OF ELLSTON P312 #**  
 Queen of Ellston H115 #

EF Complement 8088 #  
 Riverbend Young Lucy W1470  
 Styles Upgrade J59 #  
 Baldrige Isabel T935  
 Bruns Uppercut 610  
 Dakota Miss 669 Baf #  
 TC Friction 5130 #  
 Queen of Ellston C50 #

BW	85
ADJ. 205/WR	770/102
ADJ. 365/YR	
%IMF/RATIO	
RE/RATIO	
ADJ. SCR.	

CED	BW	WW	YW	RADG	YH	SC	\$W
+6	+5	+70 20%	+118 30%	+20	+8 25%	+1.72 10%	+84 10%
HP	CEM	Milk	Doc	Claw	Angle	\$M	
+14.1 25%	+5	+30 20%	+26 15%	+44 25%	+39 10%	+87	4%
CW	MB	RE	Fat	\$F	\$B	\$C	
+46	+56	+43	+048	+77	+118	+240	
Dam	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters In Herd	
	5-101	5-105	2-109	1-\$10,000	None	None	
Grandam	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction		
	11-98	11-109	9-107	11-\$10,175	2-\$6500		

- ★ Z243 is a soggy made, nice bull.
- ★ Z243 is recommended for large framed, well-developed heifers or cows.
- ★ Z243 is backed by three consecutive generations of Pathfinder cows and a total of 9 in his three generation pedigree! There are definitely some power cows here!
- ★ Dam P312 produced a \$10,000 featured son in our 2021 sale to repeat customer Larry Keller. P312's son that was the 2<sup>nd</sup> top weaning weight bull of our 2019 crop at 890 pounds was an outstanding bull that injured his scrotal and never recovered.
- ★ P312's sons sure scan big ribeyes, and she is the 6<sup>th</sup> top ribeye ratio cow of the herd with 2-110 ribeye ratio.
- ★ Please read about superior donor grandam H115 in the footnote of Lot 47 and great grandam C50 in the footnote of Lot 50. See C50's photo on page 22.



## HOVER INCREDIBLE Z107

Reg. 20128783

Tattoo: L/R Z107

02/08/21

Panther Cr Invision 6704  
**JAR INCREDIBLE 6104 808**  
 Jar Erica 6104

Baldrige 38 Special  
**QUEEN OF ELLSTON T30**  
 Queen of Ellston H115 #

Musgrave Invision  
 Panther Cr JH Blackbird 409  
 TC Total 410 #  
 JAR Ava Lee 048 3202  
 EF Commando 1366 #  
 Baldrige Isabel Y69  
 TC Friction 5130 #  
 Queen of Ellston C50 #

BW	76
ADJ. 205/WR	701/93
ADJ. 365/YR	
%IMF/RATIO	
RE/RATIO	
ADJ. SCR.	

CED	BW	WW	YW	RADG	YH	SC	\$W
+6	+8	+68 25%	+121 25%	+25	+9 15%	+1.44 15%	+73 25%
HP	CEM	Milk	Doc	Claw	Angle	\$M	
+17.5 4%	+10	+29 25%	+19	+57	+53	+62	
CW	MB	RE	Fat	\$F	\$B	\$C	
+45	+45	+65	+034	+81	+122	+220	
Dam	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters In Herd	
	2-99	2-99	1-103	1-\$7500	None	None	
Grandam	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction		
	11-98	11-109	9-107	11-\$10,175	2-\$6500		

- ★ Z107 is an eye-catching bull. The Incredible cattle are good appearance cattle, and Z107 is no exception. He is nice and extended through his front end.
- ★ Z107 is recommended for heifers or cows.
- ★ Dam T30's first son sold to Ralph Mills in Tennessee, and he sends good reports! Z107 is her second calf. T30 has a 353 day calving interval.
- ★ T30 was a high performing heifer: WW 777 lbs., WR 110, YW 1043 lbs., YR 108.
- ★ Please read about Pathfinder donor grandam in the footnote of Lot 47 and phenomenal great grandam C50 in the footnote of Lot 50. See C50's photo on page 22 and H115's photo to the right.

## The Pathfinder Honor

To become a Pathfinder cow, she must have at least 3 progeny with an average weaning ratio of 105. A cow must have a regular calving interval and her first calf must be born close to the average calving date of the herd. These requirements, along with others, make the "Pathfinder" name a prestigious honor designated by the American Angus Association. A bull must have at least 5 Pathfinder daughters in one year to become a Pathfinder sire. Pathfinders are designated by the "P" symbol in pedigrees. Once a Pathfinder, always a Pathfinder, although a bull or cow may not be included in the current year's report because they don't meet the requirements that year.

In the 2021 Pathfinder Report, Hoover Angus is home to 41 Pathfinder cows, 6 of which had 8 or more calves on record! Seven Pathfinder sires also made the report: Hoover Dam, SydGen CC&7, Mogck Bullseye, Basin Excitement, Connealy Counselor, Bruns Top Cut 373 and Connealy Impact.



# YEARLING BULLS





**Queen of Ellston C50**  
*Pathfinder Hoover Donor*  
*Candid photo at*  
*12 years of age*  
*Dam of Lot 50; Grandam*  
*or Great Grandam*  
*of Lots 47-49, 51-52*



**Queen of Ellston R20**  
*Pathfinder Hoover Donor*  
*Dam of Lot 51; Relative of*  
*Lots 47-52*



## HOOVER CHAIRMAN Z13

Reg. +20128764

Tattoo: L/R Z13

01/04/21

Fortunes Conquest 224  
**BALDRIDGE CHAIRMAN**  
 Baldridge Isabel B061

Roth Famous 1006 #  
**QUEEN OF ELLSTON C50 #**  
 Hawley West Girl 227

Connealy Confidence 0100 #  
 Fortunes 4412 Ethelda 742  
 G A R Prophet #  
 Baldridge Isabel Y69  
 Famous 7001 #  
 Roth Formera 9199  
 Great Western of Verola 478  
 Lickings Eldorado 371 806

BW	83
ADJ. 205/WR	760/100
ADJ. 365/YR	
%IMF/RATIO	
RE/RATIO	
ADJ. SCR.	

CED	BW	WW	YW	RADG	YH	SC	\$W
+5	+1.5	+70 20%	+116	+21	+1.1 5%	+79	+74 20%
HP	CEM	Milk	Doc	Claw	Angle	\$M	
+13.1	+15	2% +27	+29 10%	+46	+37 10%	+71	25%
CW	MB	RE	Fat	\$F	\$B	\$C	
+52	+54	+64	+029	+84	+129	+238	
Dam	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters In Herd	
	14-100	14-106	11-103	23-\$6875	5-\$6550	7-105	

- ★ Z13 is a big, stout boy that gets his added frame from his dam! He is wide based, has lots of body, is easy fleshing, and tight sheathed. We recommend him for use on cows.
- ★ Z13 is a maternal brother to Hoover 44 Mag, the 6<sup>th</sup> top-selling bull of our 2019 auction to Alta Genetics and Diamond J Angus Ranch for \$24,000! Stephanie Hatzenbuehler recently reported, "44 Mag sired my heaviest bull calf and second heaviest heifer calf this year".
- ★ Pathfinder donor dam C50 is regarded as the 2<sup>nd</sup> best cow ever in production at Hoover Angus! I'll try to hit the highlights here. At just a couple short months away from 17 years of age, we laid C50 to rest north of our bull barn, next to the other greats like CC&7, Gridiron, Bullseye, and G366.
- ★ Prior to holding C50 out of production for one year to flush her, she had a 363 day calving interval on her 13 natural progeny, which included stealing flushes in 6 different years. C50 weaned her 14<sup>th</sup> natural calf at over 16 years of age!
- ★ C50 was a superior uddered cow even at her age, and offered foot and structure quality rarely found. She was our oldest Pathfinder cow included in the 2019 Report, and is one of only a handful of Hoover cows to have grossed over \$100,000 on registered progeny sales. Progeny work in 7 states and Canada. Eleven of her progeny have been photo features in our sales and 5 topped the \$10,000 mark – for a 2004 model cow, that is excellent! Her 28 total progeny to come to auction averaged \$6825.
- ★ C50 has an amazing *three* Pathfinder daughters, one of which has grossed over \$100,000 in registered progeny sales and produced the \$26,000 lead-off bull in the 2019 Hoover sale to Mohnen Angus.
- ★ One C50 daughter raised the #1 adjusted weaning weight, #1 adjusted yearling weight bull of the 2019 Hoover crop and sold to Alta Genetics. C50 has a total of 8 active daughters in the Hoover herd, 7 of which have weaned progeny averaging an incredible 105 WR!
- ★ My favorite C50 daughter raised the feature bull Lot 51.
- ★ C50 had exceptional performance herself – WW 765 lbs., WR 115, YW 1050 lbs., YR 109. She scanned a whopping 13.2" ribeye to ratio 112. She was the 6<sup>th</sup> top adjusted weaning weight heifer of her crop.
- ★ Other C50 progeny selling today include a fall bull, Lot 99, and feature bred heifer, Lot 133 – she is beautiful, look her up!

**Hoover Entice**  
*Owned by Alta Genetics*  
*\$7000 Maternal Brother*  
*to Lot 51;*  
*Relative of Lots 47-52*



**Queen of Ellston V9**  
*Owned by Nick Welter*  
*\$7250 Maternal Sister*  
*to Lot 50; Relative of*  
*Lots 47-52*

**Hoover Excitement K109**  
*Owned by*  
*McLean Ranches*  
*\$10,500 Maternal Brother*  
*to Lot 50;*  
*Relative of Lots 47-52*



**Hoover 44 Mag**  
*Owned with*  
*Alta Genetics and*  
*Diamond J Angus Ranch*  
*\$24,000 Maternal Brother*  
*to Lot 50;*  
*Relative of Lots 47-52*

**Queen of Ellston T171**  
*Owned by Jayme Sieren*  
*\$4500 Maternal Sister*  
*to Lot 51;*  
*Relative of Lots 47-52*



**Looking for growth? We've got it!**

**50%** of the bulls selling have a YW EPD in or above the best 1-10% of the breed!  
**84%** have a YW EPD in the best 30% of the breed or higher!  
**95%** of the bulls selling have a YW EPD breed average or higher!

**YEARLING BULLS**

**HOOVER**  
*Angus*



**HOOVER DETAIL Z28 – Lot 51**



**Queen of Ellston R29**  
Dam of Lot 52;  
Relative of Lots 47-51

## 52 Hoover Bull HOOVER CHAIRMAN Z20

Reg. 20125335

Tattoo: L/R Z20

01/11/21

Fortunes Conquest 224  
**BALDRIDGE CHAIRMAN**  
Baldrige Isabel B061

Connealy Confidence 0100 #  
Fortunes 4412 Ethelda 742  
G A R Prophet #  
Baldrige Isabel Y69  
Connealy Impression #  
Elza of Conanga 8265 #  
Roth Famous 1006 #  
Hawley West Girl 227

BW	76
ADJ. 205/WR	794/105
ADJ. 365/YR	
%IMF/RATIO	
RE/RATIO	
ADJ. SCR.	

Connealy Impact #  
**QUEEN OF ELLSTON R29**  
Queen of Ellston C50 #

CED	BW	WW	YW	RADG	YH	SC	\$W
+13	10%	-1.5	10%	+64	+110	+8	25% +09 +75 20%
HP	CEM	Milk	Doc	Claw	Angle	\$M	
+13.8	30%	+12	15%	+26	+27	15% +65 +54 +75 20%	
CW	MB	RE	Fat	\$F	\$B	\$C	
+50	-17		+76	30%	+001	+85	+102 +207
Dam	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters In Herd	
	4-99	4-101	2-99	None	1-\$6200	None	
Grandam	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction		
	14-100	14-106	11-103	23-\$6875	5-\$6550		

- ★ Z20 has superior length of body and is extended through his front. This plus his narrow head will aid in calving ease. He still has good muscle, thickness, and a slick hair coat.
- ★ From less than 80 pounds at birth to nearly 800 pounds at weaning, this guy is one that can gain quickly!
- ★ Z20 ties with the 3<sup>rd</sup> lowest BW EPD of all the bulls selling. Recommended for heifers or cows.
- ★ Dam R29 is one of the nice daughters of C50. Read more about C50 in the footnote of her son, Lot 50.
- ★ R29's first daughter sold for \$6200 to David Deal in Illinois last year. Her next daughter settled first service AI and will calve for the first time this spring at Hoover Angus.
- ★ R29 has an excellent 355 day calving interval. R29 is a flush sister to R20 – see her picture on page 22, and her featured son, Lot 51, one of my favorite sale bulls!

## \$Maternal Weaned Calf Value (\$M)

\$M is the first attempt at a truly maternal index from the American Angus Association. *This index is intended for producers who retain their own replacement females and sell the rest of their cull female and all male progeny as feeder calves.* It predicts profitability differences from conception to weaning. Higher values are more favorable.

\$M builds upon the strengths of \$W that you are used to – remember \$W is \$Weaned Calf Value and focuses on the traits of Birth Weight, Weaning Weight, Milk, and Mature Weight.

\$M encompasses the following EPD traits:

- CED (Calving Ease Direct)
- CEM (Calving Ease Maternal)
- WW (Weaning Weight)
- Milk
- MW (Mature Cow Weight)
- Docility
- HP (Heifer Pregnancy)
- Claw Shape
- Foot Angle

More work is being done by the AAA to work on other traits of economic importance for future inclusion in \$M, such as longevity and cow herd fertility, the two most economically important traits in a cow herd.

**Twenty-three bulls in this sale rank in the best 1-5% of the breed for \$M; 70 rank in the best third of the breed!**

## 51 Hoover Bull HOOVER DETAIL Z28

Reg. 20125339

Tattoo: L/R Z28

01/13/21

Diablo Deluxe 1104  
**GALAXY DETAIL 8546**  
Galaxy Blackbird 4551

V A R Discovery 2240 #  
Diablo Erica Dianna 9034  
EXAR Denver 2002B #  
Galaxy Blackbird 2102  
Connealy Impression #  
Elza of Conanga 8265 #  
Roth Famous 1006 #  
Hawley West Girl 227

BW	90
ADJ. 205/WR	826/109
ADJ. 365/YR	
%IMF/RATIO	
RE/RATIO	
ADJ. SCR.	

CED	BW	WW	YW	RADG	YH	SC	\$W
+8	+1.5	+75	15%	+136	10%	+29	20% +6 +1.07 +74 20%
HP	CEM	Milk	Doc	Claw	Angle	\$M	
+16.6	10%	+16	1%	+23	+19	+49	+48 +75 20%
CW	MB	RE	Fat	\$F	\$B	\$C	
+67	10%	+61		+99	10%	-030	10% +114 10% +171 10% +297 5%
Dam	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters In Herd	
	4-103	4-109	3-110	1-\$7000	1-\$4500	None	
Grandam	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction		
	14-100	14-106	11-103	23-\$6875	5-\$6550		

- ★ Retaining 1/3 revenue sharing semen interest.
- ★ Z28 is a man amongst boys! He is long, big quartered, big hipped, and super thick! He has a knockout profile and an outcross pedigree for our repeat customers.
- ★ Z28 was the 7<sup>th</sup> top weaning weight bull of his crop!
- ★ This growthy bull is recommended for use on cows. He does have one of the highest CEM EPDs of the bulls selling, which means his first calf heifer daughters should be very easy calving.
- ★ Pathfinder dam R20... one of my favorites! This is her third son or daughter to come to auction, and her third photo feature! She is the reason for the style that comes in each of her calves. Her first daughter sold to Jayme Sieren. Jayme and his family come over each winter to go through the cow herd and make their appraisals of the sale offering. They make some mighty fine purchases too!
- ★ R20's next son, Hoover Entice, was selected by Alta Genetics. He was the #1 adjusted weaning weight, #1 adjusted yearling weight bull of his crop, and had the style and eye appeal to go along with it.
- ★ R20's next daughter is a beautiful Incredible daughter going into our replacement herd this spring.
- ★ R20 serves as one of the herd's top 10 ribeye ratio cows with 3-109 ribeye ratio on her progeny.
- ★ Pathfinder grandam C50 – it would take half the page to write about her, so please read about her in the footnote of her son, Lot 50. Lot 47-52 bulls descend from C50, and feature bred heifer Lot 133 is a direct daughter. If there was a mother-daughter look-alike contest in cattle, C50 and R20 would win it – R20 is going to look just like her mother as she gets older. They are both beautiful, stout power cows that even look similar in the face. I've called R20 the best replacement daughter of C50, and she hasn't disappointed me yet!
- ★ Sire Detail was the \$45,000 top-selling bull from the 2020 Galaxy Beef Sale. This super slick haired bull combined a unique EPD profile, superior thickness and top, plenty of rib, and a big scrotal. He is a calving ease bull with plenty of punch. See Detail's picture on page 18.





## HOOVER CHAIRMAN Z181

Reg. 20128803

Tattoo: L/R Z181

02/16/21

Fortunes Conquest 224  
**BALDRIDGE CHAIRMAN**  
Baldrige Isabel B061

Connealy Impact #  
**BLACKCAP EMPRESS ELLSTON P72**  
Blackcap Empress Ellston M99

Connealy Confidence 0100 #  
Fortunes 4412 Ethelda 742  
G A R Prophet #  
Baldrige Isabel Y69  
Connealy Impression #  
Elza of Conanga 8265 #  
Mogck Bullseye #  
Blkcp Empress Ellston E169 #

BW	83
ADJ. 205/WR	738/97
ADJ. 365/YR	
%IMF/RATIO	
RE/RATIO	
ADJ. SCR.	

CED	BW		WW		YW		RADG		YH		SC		\$W	
+7	+0		25%	+66	30%	+118	30%	+21		+5		+74		+70 30%
HP	CEM		Milk			Doc			Claw		Angle		\$M	
+14.4	25%	+14	5%	+26		+22		30%	+55		+52		+62	
CW	MB		RE			Fat			\$F		\$B		\$C	
+41	+80		30%	+48		+032			+79		+133		+235	
Dam	BWR	WWR		YWR		Sons @ Auction			Daughters @ Auction			Daughters in Herd		
	5-97	4-100		3-98		2-\$2625			None			1-95		

- ★ Z181 is a classic Chairman. He's deep and soggy with a level topline.
- ★ Z181 would be a good choice to use on heifers, but he can certainly be used on cows if desired.
- ★ Dam P72 has a 360 day calving interval on 5 calves. Her sons work for Ted Halls and Garry Nickel.
- ★ P72's daughter that works in the herd with a 362 day calving interval has done a very nice job and is the dam of the nice Lot 144 bred heifer.
- ★ P72 is from the great Blackcap Empress Ellston cow family, of which she is the 11<sup>th</sup> generation to be bred, born, and raised at Hoover Angus. She traces back to the great C57 cow – please read about her in the bottom of Lot 58's footnote. Lots 53-58 in the yearling bull division trace back to C57.
- ★ Seven Pathfinders are found in Z181's pedigree.



## HOOVER COWBOY LOGIC Z141

Reg. 20128791

Tattoo: L/R Z141

02/12/21

HA Cowboy Up 5405  
**FREYS COWBOY LOGIC**  
F A R Princess 148Z

SydGen Sizzle  
**BLACKCAP EMPRESS ELLSTON S85**  
Blkcp Empress Ellston K192

HA Outside 3008  
HA Blackcap Lady 1602 #  
WK Bobcat #  
F A R Princess 214X #  
Connealy Cool 39L  
WK Hazel 9201  
MCATL Triple Stack 889-495  
Blackcap Empress Ellston G30 #

BW	74
ADJ. 205/WR	770/102
ADJ. 365/YR	
%IMF/RATIO	
RE/RATIO	
ADJ. SCR.	

CED	BW	WW	YW	RADG	YH	SC	\$W			
+17	1%	-7	15%	+60	+101	+23	+4	+92	+72	25%
HP	CEM	Milk	Doc	Claw	Angle	\$M				
+8.6	+10	+30	20%	+11	+44	25%	+47		+53	
CW	MB	RE	Fat	\$F	\$B	\$C				
+33	+21	+91	15%	-020	15%	+72	+109		+194	
Dam	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters In Herd				
	3-95	3-102	1-89	1-\$3900	None	None				

- ★ Z141 is a level topped, beefy bull with more bone than what is found in most super calving ease genetics. He's really long bodied and nice footed.
- ★ Z141 is an elite calving ease bull! He is a sleep tight, all-night type of bull that is certainly safe for use on heifers. He is the #1 CED EPD bull to sell!
- ★ Z141 might be a bargain on sale day because he has super short ears – the result of the extreme cold last year while we were in peak calving season. We would get every calf to the heater as soon as we could, but if the cow licked her calf's ears when it got back from the heater, the ears would freeze in no time!
- ★ I have noted that dam S85 is a nice cow to work with at calving time, as typical of the Sizzle cows. She is also super slick haired. Read about the Hair Shed Research Report on page 33.
- ★ S85's first son works for repeat customer John Zwygart.
- ★ Grandam K192 was a good 'ole gal that had a 365 day calving interval on her calves. Steve Archer, Dustin McCoy, Jim Bishop, and Randy DeVore have selected her sons. Dustin's was a photo feature. Crouch Angus Valley selected K192's daughter that was the 2<sup>nd</sup> top ribeye scanning female of her crop!
- ★ K192 was the #1 adjusted WW heifer of her crop at 742 pounds, WR 120! The same year, her dam G30 had an ET calf that was the #1 adjusted WW ET heifer calf of the crop!
- ★ Pathfinder great grandam G30 was a tremendous cow that served as a working donor. She was beautifully made, slick haired, easy fleshing, picture-perfect uddered, and easy going. Her progeny were top notch and she had a 359 day calving interval on 9 progeny. Her progeny work in 4 states.
- ★ I could go on and on about cows "off the pedigree" behind G30, but it would take many more paragraphs!
- ★ Sixth generation dam is C57 – read about her in the bottom of Lot 58's footnote.



## HOOVER NEXTGEN Z274

Reg. 20128835

Tattoo: L/R Z274

03/07/21

V A R Generation 2100 #  
**SYDGEN NEXTGEN**  
SydGen Rita 4387

MOGCK Entice  
**BLACKCAP EMPRESS ELLSTON V95**  
Blackcap Empress Ellston S31

Connealy Consensus 7229 #  
Sandpoint Blackbird 8809  
SydGen FATE 2800 #  
EXAR Rita 1885  
SydGen Enhance  
MOGCK Erica 2255 #  
Hoover No Doubt  
Blkcp Empress Ellston C344 #

BW	78
ADJ. 205/WR	824/109
ADJ. 365/YR	
%IMF/RATIO	
RE/RATIO	
ADJ. SCR.	

CED	BW		WW		YW		RADG		YH		SC		\$W	
+11	15%	+1.1	+87	2%	+157	2%	+31	10%	+1.5	1%	+2.53	1%	+70	30%
HP	CEM		Milk		Doc		Claw		Angle				\$M	
+12.6		+13	10%	+12		+28	10%	+50		+45	30%	+60		
CW		MB		RE		Fat		\$F		\$B		\$C		
+73	4%	+84	25%	+1.00	10%	+0		+121	3%	+186	4%	+301	4%	
Dam	BWR		WWR		YWR		Sons @ Auction		Daughters @ Auction		Daughters In Herd			
	1-100		1-109		None		None		None		None			
Grandam	BWR		WWR		YWR		Sons @ Auction		Daughters @ Auction					
	1-116		1-99		None		None		None		1-\$3300			

- ★ Z274 is a bigger framed bull whose performance is shining through even though he is a younger bull. He is a big scrotal bull for his age and has one of the biggest Scrotal EPDs in the sale!
- ★ Z274 was the 10<sup>th</sup> top weaning weight bull of his crop! Better yet, he is safe for use on heifers or cows. If you retain ownership on your steers or feed them out yourself, consider this bull. His progeny should do well in the feedlot and hang good carcasses.
- ★ Bargain hunters look this bull up! He is one of the very youngest to sell, and these youngest end bulls are often good bargains at sale time. Standing next to bulls that are 2 months older, this guy is a lot younger, and obviously smaller. In no way will this affect his progeny performance! Just use him gently his first year.
- ★ Z274 is one of 5 bulls selling with a Ribeye EPD +1.00 or higher and he has the 4<sup>th</sup> top \$Beef Value.
- ★ Dam V95 was a first calf heifer with Z274. Her twin sister works for Preston Poots-Jacobsen.
- ★ Grandam is a beautiful uddered young cow that has had two sets of twins (not included by the AAA in her BWR, WWR, and YWRs above).
- ★ Pathfinder donor great grandam C344 has been one of our all-time greats! She has a long record of highly successful progeny, many of which were among the top weaning weight calves of their calf crop. I'll try to hit the highlights here.
- ★ C344 maintained a 359 day calving interval on her first 13 natural progeny, which included stealing flushes 5 different years, a testament to her exemplary fertility! C344 was laid to rest at 16 years of age. Her udder was still impeccable, and her feet were still amazing.
- ★ We sold C344's last large group of ET sons in our 2021 sale. She would have been 17 years of age if still living, and her sons averaged a whopping \$7150! These sons went to astute cattlemen in three states plus Canada. She joined the elite \$100,000+ club last year when her gross progeny sales topped the \$100,000 mark.
- ★ One daughter of C344 was the #1 adjusted weaning weight heifer of her crop. Another daughter was the 14<sup>th</sup> top weaning weight heifer calf of her crop when C344 was 13 years old!
- ★ Pathfinder 4<sup>th</sup> generation dam V127 recorded 12-106 WR and a 362 day calving interval. She was a tremendously easy fleshing cow.



Ty checking the oats



Gwen cutting heat detection patches

# YEARLING BULLS

# HOOPER Angus



**Hoover Know How**  
Owned with Select Sires  
and Teixeira Cattle Co.  
Maternal Brother to Lot 56

## 57 Hoover Hoover 38 SPECIAL Z232

Reg. 20128819

Tattoo: L/R Z232

02/22/21

EF Commando 1366 #  
**BALDRIDGE 38 SPECIAL**  
Baldrige Isabel Y69  
  
Mogck Bullseye #  
**BLACKCAP EMPRESS ELLSTON P42**  
Blkcp Empress Ellston H142 #

EF Complement 8088 #  
Riverbend Young Lucy W1470  
Styles Upgrade J59 #  
Baldrige Isabel T935  
MOGCK Sure Shot #  
Mogck Mary 1255  
SydGen C C & 7 #  
Blackcap Empress Ellston F29

BW	80
ADJ. 205/WR	731/97
ADJ. 365/YR	
%IMF/RATIO	
RE/RATIO	
ADJ. SCR.	

CED	BW		WW		YW		RADG		YH		SC		\$W		
+4	+1.1		+80		10%	+135	10%	+22		+9	15%	+1.46	15%	+79	15%
HP		CEM		Milk		Doc		Claw		Angle		SM			
+16.1	10%	+10	+23		+36		1%	+36	5%	+41	15%	+79	10%		
CW		MB		RE		Fat		\$F		\$B		\$C			
+46		+97		15%	+55		+021		+75		+138		+258 30%		
Dam	BWR		WWR		YWR		Sons @ Auction		Daughters @ Auction		Daughters In Herd				
	5-97		5-98		4-98		2-\$3625		None		1-102				

- ★ Z232 is a level topped, more moderate framed bull. I'll err on the side of caution and recommend him for use on cows.
- ★ Z232 ties as the 3<sup>rd</sup> top Docility EPD bull to sell! This comes as no surprise, as his dam is a real calm cow.
- ★ Dam P42 is a deep bodied, easy fleshing, model Angus cow with a 368 day calving interval. Twin States Ranch and John Stender own her sons.
- ★ P42 has put one outstanding daughter in the herd – this female raised the 3<sup>rd</sup> top weaning weight bull of our 2019 crop that sold to Bell Point Ranch for \$20,000.
- ★ Pathfinder grandam H142 produced three sons averaging \$7100 to Matthew Strueby, a photo feature for Varley Angus, and Leo & Randy Hunninghake. Another son worked as a herd sire for us. H142 had a beautiful udder.
- ★ Z232 is from one of our greatest cow families, descending from the great C57 cow. Eighty-six daughter descendants that have been in production at Hoover Angus have stemmed from C57, including 17 Pathfinders and 8 donor cows! Four bulls selected for use in the Hoover herd have also stemmed from C57. To say C57 has had an impact on the herd would be an understatement! She has truly helped write the history books at Hoover Angus.

## 58 Hoover Hoover LONGEVITY Z137

Reg. 20128789

Tattoo: L/R Z137

02/11/21

Hoover No Doubt  
**HOOVER LONGEVITY T40**  
Queen of Ellston H115 #  
  
Connealy Impact #  
**BLACKCAP EMPRESS ELLSTON R482**  
Blackcap Empress Ellston H433

Mogck Bullseye #  
Miss Blackcap Ellston J2  
TC Friction 5130 #  
Queen of Ellston C50 #  
Connealy Impression #  
Elza of Conanga 8265 #  
SydGen C C & 7 #  
Blackcap Empress Ellston F14

BW	94
ADJ. 205/WR	739/98
ADJ. 365/YR	
%IMF/RATIO	
RE/RATIO	
ADJ. SCR.	

CED	BW		WW		YW		RADG		YH		SC		\$W
+2	+4.3		+69	25%	+123	25%	+26		+1.5	1%	+1.60	10%	+57
HP	CEM		Milk		Doc		Claw		Angle				\$M
+11.6	+11	25%	+23		+29	10%	+38	10%	+36	5%	+66		
CW	MB		RE		Fat		SF		\$B				\$C
+53	+23		+65		-004 30%		+95 30%		+129				+233
Dam	BWR	WWR	YWR		Sons @ Auction		Daughters @ Auction		Daughters In Herd				
	3-107	3-95	2-95		None		1-\$2300		None				

- ★ If you are looking for a large framed bull, take a look at this guy! He's got the frame to put some growth in his calves. He's also a big nutted bull, as typical of the Longevity calves.
- ★ Z137 is recommended for use on cows.
- ★ Sire Longevity was the Lot 1, lead-off bull in our 2019 auction, where he sold to Mohnen Angus for \$26,000. Longevity was the #1 adjusted weaning weight bull of the crop with his 911 pound weaning weight! He was the #1 yearling weight bull of the crop at 1546 pounds, YR 117. He had a 42 cm scrotal, a 5.59 IMF, ratio 154, ribeye 16.2", ratio 113. He froze semen as a yearling bull. See Longevity's picture on page 29.
- ★ Dam R482's first daughter works for repeat customer Marty Buseman in South Dakota.
- ★ A Pathfinder maternal sister to R482 works in our herd.
- ★ Grandam H433 was an excellent uddered female whose progeny work for Chamness Angus, Doug Maynard, Randy Pendleton, and Jason Martens. She had a 366 day calving interval at the end of her career.
- ★ R482 is an 11<sup>th</sup> generation Blackcap Empress Ellston female, and the first three cows "off the pedigree" were some of the most highly productive cows of their day. They produced feature bull after feature bull for us! R482's 5<sup>th</sup> generation dam is the great C57 cow. Eighty-six daughter descendants have stemmed from C57, including 17 Pathfinders and 8 donor cows! Four bulls selected for use in the Hoover herd have also stemmed from C57. C57 has helped write the history books at Hoover Angus.

## 56 Hoover Hoover DELUXE Z131

Reg. +20128772

Tattoo: L/R Z131

02/11/21

V A R Discovery 2240 #  
**DIABLO DELUXE 1104**  
Diablo Erica Dianna 9034

SydGen Storm 8504  
**BLKCP EMPRESS ELLSTON L265 #**  
Blkcp Empress Ellston J120

A A R Ten X 7008 S A #  
Deer Valley Rita 0308  
G A R Prophet #  
Diablo Erica Dianna 5010  
SydGen Contact #  
G A R 616 Rito 2472  
Basin Excitement #  
Blackcap Empress Ellston F29

BW	94
ADJ. 205/WR	771/102
ADJ. 365/YR	
%IMF/RATIO	
RE/RATIO	
ADJ. SCR.	

CED	BW		WW		YW		RADG		YH		SC		SW	
+2	+2.7		+83		4% +145		4% +32		5% +8		25% +2.49		1% +81	
HP	CEM		Milk		Doc		Claw		Angle		SM			
+14.5	20%	+10	+25		+23		25%	+46		+43		25%	+73	
CW	MB		RE		Fat		F		S		B		C	
+70	10%	+73	+70		-023		10%	+117		5%	+175		10%	+300
Dam	BWR		VWR		YWR		Sons @ Auction		Daughters @ Auction		Daughters In Herd			
	7-98		7-101		3-99		2-\$15,375		1-\$6500		1-103			

- ★ Z131 is a level topped, really deep bull with two short ears and an outcross pedigree. He was born during the heart of our ultra cold last year, which of course was during peak calving season for us. We were working our tails off to keep calves warmed up, but we still lost a lot of ears during that time. That could make these short-eared bulls a bargain!
- ★ This growthy, big scrotal bull is recommended for use on cows. He has one of the top Scrotal EPDs in the sale!
- ★ Z131 is a maternal brother to Hoover Know How! See more about Know How on page 4 of our sire directory.
- ★ Pathfinder dam L265 is better known as "Stormy" around Hoover Angus, and she is a great cow to work with at calving time. She is still going strong at 9 years of age! Stormy and the 6 generations of cows behind her have superior udders.
- ★ Stormy has one Pathfinder daughter that works in the herd. A beautiful ET daughter of Stormy was a photo feature in our 2021 auction as a fall bred heifer, and sold to repeat customer Bill McLaren for \$6500. Bill likes her! Another featured daughter sells today as Lot 174 – she has been the favorite of the first couple sets of visitors to the farm looking at sale cattle.
- ★ We flushed Stormy to the Deluxe bull for an outcross pedigree for our repeat customers. We got 4 heifers and one bull (Z131) out of this flush, so I can't complain! We'll take as many Stormy daughters as we can get!



Carsen Wellhausen's steer that gained a whopping 5.07#/day was the Champion Rate of Gain Steer at the 2021 Page County Fair and officials believe to be the #1 rate of gain steer in the history of the fair!

Carsen had an even better day when her Junior Feeders Pen of Three claimed Champion honors! Her pen steers won the rate of gain honor also, averaging 4.42 pounds per day. All of Carsen's steers were sired by Hoover Angus bulls purchased from long-time Hoover customer Darrell Wagoner.



# YEARLING BULLS





**Princess of Ellston G25**  
Pathfinder Hoover Donor  
Grandam of Lot 59

## 59 Hoover PREDICTOR Z167

Reg. 20128800

Tattoo: L/R Z167

02/15/21

Baldrige Forecaster B160  
**RRR PREDICTOR**  
Pine View Ruby C023

Mogck Bullseye #  
**PRINCESS OF ELLSTON N271 #**  
Princess of Ellston G25 #

G A R Prophet #  
Baldrige Pratisa W165  
baldrige Xpand x743  
44 Ruby 2225  
MOGCK Sure Shot #  
Mogck Mary 1255  
SydGen C C & 7 #  
Princess of Ellston V198 #

BW	90
ADJ. 205/WR	799/106
ADJ. 365/YR	
%IMF/RATIO	
RE/RATIO	
ADJ. SCR.	

CED		BW		WW		YW		RADG		YH		SC		\$W	
+3		+1.6		+66	30%	+121	25%	+22		+9	15%	+1.45	15%	+74	20%
HP		CEM			Milk		Doc		Claw		Angle				\$M
+17.1	5%	+12	15%	+35	5%	+35	1%	+39	10%	+35	4%	+73	25%		
CW		MB			RE		Fat		\$F		\$B				\$C
+56	25%	+1.12	10%	+64			+0.52		+93		+162	20%	+283	15%	
Dam		BWR		WWR		YWR		Sons @ Auction		Daughters @ Auction		Daughters In Herd			
		6-100		6-106		3-102		1-\$2750		None		1-98			

- ★ Z167 is a nicely made, muscular, manly bull. He's got a big quarter! We recommend him for use on cows.
- ★ Z167 has the 2<sup>nd</sup> highest Marbling EPD of any bull selling today! He also has one of the top Docility EPDs in today's sale.
- ★ Dam N271 has a nearly perfect 366 day calving interval, which will tighten up when she calves this spring. She has earned Pathfinder honors for her exemplary progeny performance and sustained fertility.
- ★ N271's top performing daughter was the 4<sup>th</sup> top adjusted weaning weight heifer calf of her crop and sells as Lot 115.
- ★ N271's son works for repeat customer Francis Faust, and her daughter works in the Hoover herd and produced the Lot 114 bred heifer.
- ★ Pathfinder donor grandam G25 was one of the prettiest cows on the farm, her photo above does not capture the true essence of this cow. Her style, structure, udder quality, and disposition were superior. When we took this picture of G25, we could do nothing to get her to raise her head, she is so incredibly quiet.
- ★ G25 was a superior cow! She had 10 calves on record and a 363 day calving interval. Four of her seven sons to come to auction were photo features – including two that topped the \$12,000 mark! At 10 years of age, she raised the 7<sup>th</sup> top selling bull of our 2019 auction at \$17,000 to Deep Creek Angus and Curt Miller, both of South Dakota. This bull was an outstanding bull, possibly the thickest bull in the auction, weaned off at 812 pounds and had the 3<sup>rd</sup> highest YW among all sale bulls.
- ★ Other progeny of G25 work for Chad & Craig Davison, Mark Anderson, Brenner Angus of Colorado, Randy Miller, Todd Glendenning, and Carl Wibholm. Carl's bull was the 11<sup>th</sup> top weaning weight bull of his crop, and one of my absolute favorites in our 2018 sale.
- ★ Pathfinder great grandam V198 recorded 10-110 WR and a 360 day calving interval.



Over 9 decades  
of dedicated  
Angus breeding  
~ John and Landi,  
sale 2021

## 60 Hoover CHAIRMAN Z182

Reg. 20128804

Tattoo: L/R Z182

02/16/21

Fortunes Conquest 224  
**BALDRIDGE CHAIRMAN**  
Baldrige Isabel B061

MOGCK Entice  
**ELBAMERE QUEEN ELLSTON V132**  
Elbamere Queen Ellston S49

Connealy Confidence 0100 #  
Fortunes 4412 Ethelda 742  
G A R Prophet #  
Baldrige Isabel Y69  
SydGen Enhance  
MOGCK Erica 2255 #  
Hoover No Doubt  
Elbamere Queen Ellston F520 #

BW	72
ADJ. 205/WR	766/101
ADJ. 365/YR	
%IMF/RATIO	
RE/RATIO	
ADJ. SCR.	

CED	BW		WW		YW		RADG		YH		SC		\$W	
+10	20%	-8	15%	+74	15%	+129	15%	+23	+9	15%	+1.19	30%	+87	5%
HP	CEM		Milk		Doc		Claw		Angle		\$M			
+18.1	3%	+13	10%	+31	15%	+26	15%	+32	2%	+29	1%	+96	1%	
CW	MB		RE		Fat		\$F		\$B		\$C			
+51	+80		30%	+53	+.020		+.87		+.143		+.281 15%			
Dam	BWR		WWR		YWR		Sons @ Auction		Daughters @ Auction		Daughters In Herd			
	1-93		1-101		None		None		None		None			
Grandam	BWR		WWR		YWR		Sons @ Auction		Daughters @ Auction					
	2-110		2-112		2-106		None		None					

- ★ Z182 is an attractive, eye appealing, square made bull with good depth. He's correct made and will make some soggy daughters!
- ★ Z182 would be a great choice for heifers if you desire. Use him on heifers for a couple years, then move him to your main cow herd without sacrificing growth! He has one of the top \$M Values of the bulls selling today, meaning he is a great choice if you are saving replacement daughters.
- ★ Dam V132 was a first calf heifer with Z182. She is a 12<sup>th</sup> generation Elbamere Queen Ellston female to be bred, born, and raised at Hoover Angus!
- ★ V132 had really nice performance: BW 72 lbs., WW 717 lbs., WR 110, YW 1013 lbs., YR 108. She was the 12<sup>th</sup> top weaning weight heifer of her crop.
- ★ Grandam S49 is a classic No Doubt daughter. She is really soggy made and nice! With 2-112 WR, she is the 5<sup>th</sup> top indexing cow of the Hoover herd!
- ★ S49's second daughter weaned at 781 pounds, WR 113 to be the 2<sup>nd</sup> top weaning weight heifer of her crop!
- ★ Pathfinder great grandam F520 was a superior cow! Several of her calves were among the top weaning weight calves of their crop, three were photo features. Her 6 sons averaged an excellent \$7750! One of F520's daughters earned Pathfinder honors.
- ★ F520 traces back to the L913 cow who has 13 Pathfinder cows that have stemmed from her, as well as a total of 43 cows that have served in the Hoover herd! What a great cow family this has been through the generations!

## 61 Hoover COWBOY LOGIC Z202

Reg. 20128809

Tattoo: L/R Z202

02/19/21

HA Cowboy Up 5405  
**FREYS COWBOY LOGIC**  
F A R Princess 148Z

Bruns Top Cut 373 #  
**MAID OF ELLSTON V187**  
Maid of Ellston P234

HA Outside 3008  
HA Blackcap Lady 1602 #  
WK Bobcat #  
F A R Princess 214X #  
Bruns Uppercut 610  
Dakota Miss 669 Baf #  
Basin Excitement #  
Maid of Ellston M115

BW	78
ADJ. 205/WR	770/102
ADJ. 365/YR	
%IMF/RATIO	
RE/RATIO	
ADJ. SCR.	

CED		BW	WW		YW		RADG		YH		SC	\$W		
+12	10%	+1.6	+86	3%	+151	3%	+34	2%	+1.0	10%	+93	+81	10%	
HP		CEM	Milk		Doc		Claw		Angle		\$M			
+13.3		+10	+20		+18		+57		+42		20%	+65		
CW		MB	RE		Fat		\$F		\$B		\$C			
+64	15%	+40	+82		20%	-0.18	15%	+114	10%	+159	20%	+271		20%
Dam	BWR		WWR		YWR		Sons @ Auction		Daughters @ Auction		Daughters In Herd			
	1-100		1-102		None		None		None		None			
Grandam	BWR		WWR		YWR		Sons @ Auction		Daughters @ Auction		Daughters @ Auction			
	4-104		4-99		4-101		2-\$3425		None		None			

- ★ Z202 is a long, level topped bull that moves really well. He has the bone and head shape appropriate for calving ease. He is suitable for use on heifers or cows. From 78 pounds at birth to 770 at weaning, I'd say he is doing well!
- ★ Dam V187 was a first calf heifer with Z202. She had a really nice ultrasound scan of a 5.51 IMF, ratio 124, ribeye 11.3", ratio 109.
- ★ V187 is the herd's #1 \$Maternal Value cow, and she is among the breed's top 65 cows for this index, among 347,608 cows! Her \$M is 20 points above the best 1% of the breed for current dams! The \$M index is important if you are saving daughters.
- ★ Grandam P234 is a nice uddered cow that has put two replacement daughters in our herd. Her sons work for Reiman Livestock and Keith Knobbe. P234 has a 361 day calving interval.

### Hoover Angus Family:

166 years of family farmed ground  
(6 generations of the Hoover family)  
94 years of quality Angus cattle  
(4 generations of the Hoover family)

**YEARLING BULLS**

**HOOPER**  
Angus



**HOOVER CHAIRMAN Z65 – Lot 62**



**Hoover Chairman X105**  
Owned by 66 Ranch  
\$13,000 Full Brother  
to Lot 62



**HOOVER CHAIRMAN Z65**

Reg. 20125345

Tattoo: L/R Z65

01/26/21

Fortunes Conquest 224  
**BALDRIDGE CHAIRMAN**  
Baldrige Isabel B061

Hoover No Doubt  
**BLKCP EMPRESS ELLSTON R108**  
Blkcp Empress Ellston H308

Connealy Confidence 0100 #  
Fortunes 4412 Ethelda 742  
G A R Prophet #  
Baldrige Isabel Y69  
Mogck Bullseye #  
Miss Blackcap Ellston J2  
TC Friction 5130 #  
Blkcp Empress Ellston E180

BW	64
ADJ. 205/WR	693/92
ADJ. 365/YR	
%IMF/RATIO	
RE/RATIO	
ADJ. SCR.	

CED	BW	WW	YW	RADG	YH	SC	\$W
+13 10%	-1.4 10%	+69 25%	+131 15%	+27 30%	+7 30%	+1.84 5%	+74 20%
HP	CEM	Milk	Doc	Claw	Angle		SM
+14.7 20%	+18 1%	+27	+34 1%	+46	+28 1%	+81 10%	
CW	MB	RE	Fat	\$F	\$B	\$C	
+51	+89 20%	+55	+034	+93	+152 30%	+278 15%	
Dam	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters In Herd	
	4-84	4-100	3-101	2-\$11,000	None	None	

- ★ Retaining 1/3 revenue sharing semen interest.
- ★ You've got to appreciate the muscle and thickness in this guy! He is a good quartered bull with a leg on all four corners. He is slicker haired than most. Did I say he was calving ease too? He is! Use him on heifers for a few years, then move him to your main cow herd without sacrificing the muscle typically lost in calving ease cattle. He has one of the lowest BW EPDs of all the bulls selling and the #1 CEM EPD!
- ★ Z65 has one of the top Docility EPDs in today's sale!
- ★ Dam R108 has had three sons by Chairman, and all three have been photo features! Her first two work for John Orr in Nebraska and 66 Ranch in Alberta.
- ★ With 3-147 IMF ratio, R108 is the herd's 5<sup>th</sup> top IMF ratio cow!
- ★ R108 has a 355 day calving interval, which will get even tighter when she calves before our sale this year. She is an ultra low birth weight cow whose calves still get right up and start growing.
- ★ Grandam H308 could always be counted on to bring in an excellent calf. She put four daughters in the herd, and progeny work for Ralph Morales, Chris Cadle, and Jason Sieren.
- ★ This cow line stems from a show heifer of Landi's (S35 – the second cow off the pedigree) that ended her career with 12-92 BWR and 12-105 WR! She brought 8 sons to auction.

## Care for your new Hoover Angus bull

### Upon Arrival

- Your bull may be hungry, thirsty, and possibly stressed depending on the length of travel and type of transportation. Put him with a steer or an older cow for company. Feeding him grass hay upon arrival is something he will be accustomed to.
- If you have to put him with older bulls, ensure he has plenty of space and watch that he doesn't get bullied excessively.

### Up to Breeding Season

- Your young bull is still growing. Ensure he is well fed so he can reach his full potential without getting over fat.
- Keep all bulls in a condition score of 6.

### During Breeding Season

- Yearling bulls are capable of servicing one female per month of age. For example, a bull 16 months of age at the beginning of breeding season would be expected to service 16 females. Although many bulls are capable of heavier service, sticking with this industry-accepted recommendation will help ensure females conceive in the early part of the breeding season.
- Ensure cows are cycling before the bull goes out. Cows will need to be on a rising plane of nutrition to commence cycling and have adequate quality and quantity of feed during breeding to achieve good conception rates.
- It is vitally important to regularly observe the bull during mating. Make sure he is working properly and no injuries or infections have occurred. Watch for foot abscesses or penile infections. These can be cleared up quickly if treated immediately.

### Problems to watch for during Breeding Season

- Swelling of the penis or testicles. Infections can be caused by something as simple as a thistle or a scratch.
- Lameness or swollen joints.
- Continuous mounting without servicing
- Large numbers of cows cycling after the first 21 days. A large percentage of females should be bred in the first cycle, assuming conditions are adequate for females cycling.
- Bull is away from the herd – possibly injured or sick.

*If you see any of these problems, take action immediately. Many times the key to healing is immediate attention to the problem. Don't skimp on regular checks of bulls during breeding season!*

### Post-Breeding Season

- Bulls are likely to be down in condition. Worm them and put them on enough feed to bring them back to a body condition score of 6.
- Adequate feed, shade, water, and space will allow them to settle in quickly and help reduce fighting if in group housing.



**YEARLING BULLS**







**Hoover Longevity T40**  
Owned with Mohnen Angus  
\$26,000 Sire of  
Lots 58 and 64



## HOOPER MAGNITUDE Z219

Reg. 20128816

Tattoo: L/R Z219

02/20/21

K C F Bennett Southside #  
**MEAD MAGNITUDE**  
Mead Primrose N198 #  
  
Baldridge 38 Special  
**BLACKBIRD OF ELLSTON T151**  
Blackbird of Ellston P265

Nichols Extra K205 #  
K C F Miss 208 S11 #  
Plattmere Weigh Up K360 #  
Mead Primrose K247 #  
EF Commando 1366 #  
Baldridge Isabel Y69  
Connealy Counselor #  
Blackbird of Ellston D362

BW	92
ADJ. 205/WR	832/110
ADJ. 365/YR	
%IMF/RATIO	
RE/RATIO	
ADJ. SCR.	

CED	BW		WW		YW		RADG		YH		SC		\$W	
+4	+1.8		+92		1% +165		1% +34		2% +1.5		1% +1.01		+104 1%	
HP		CEM		Milk		Doc		Claw		Angle		SM		
+16.2 10%		+5		+37 3%		+26 15%		+52		+60		+71		
CW		MB		RE		Fat		SF		SB		SC		
+74 4%		+74 35%		+1.09 3%		-.030 10%		+113 10%		+177 10%		+301 4%		
Dam	BWR		WWR		YWR		Sons @ Auction		Daughters @ Auction		Daughters In Herd			
	2-107		2-102		1-104		None		None		None			
Grandam	BWR		WWR		YWR		Sons @ Auction		Daughters @ Auction					
	3-110		3-102		2-107		1-\$6000		1-\$2300					

- ★ Z219 is a bigger framed, long bodied, growthy bull. He was the 4<sup>th</sup> top weaning weight bull of his crop! We recommend this super high growth bull for use on cows.
- ★ If you feed out your calves and sell them on a grade and yield grid, consider this bull. His larger frame and growth projections will allow his progeny to grow rapidly, and his big ribeye and superior carcass traits will make his progeny do well on the rail. Z219 has the 3<sup>rd</sup> top Ribeye EPD in the bulls selling as well as one of the top WW and YW EPDs and \$W Values.
- ★ Dam T151 has a 352 day calving interval. Her first daughter is a nice bred heifer in today's sale.
- ★ T151 weaned at 722 pounds to be the 11<sup>th</sup> top weaning weight heifer of her crop.
- ★ Grandam P265 is a twinning machine. She is due with her third-in-a-row set of twins this February! She even has a superior 356 day calving interval!
- ★ P265's progeny work for Paul Nelson and Gerald Swelling. Paul's bull was the 8<sup>th</sup> top weaning weight bull of his crop and the #1 ribeye scanning bull of our 2021 sale yearlings with a 17.8" ribeye! P265 is the herd's 4<sup>th</sup> top ribeye ratio cow with 3-113 ribeye ratio!
- ★ Z219's 6<sup>th</sup> generation dam will be one we remember for a long time – she was deep, soggy, fertile and highly productive. G100 produced until over 17 years of age, and the day she went to town, she walked just as smooth as what she did when she was half that age. She ended her career with a whopping 110 wean ratio on her progeny!



## HOOPER PREDICTOR Z236

Reg. 20128820

Tattoo: L/R Z236

02/23/21

Baldridge Forecaster B160  
**RRR PREDICTOR**  
Pine View Ruby C023

G A R Prophet #  
Baldridge Pratissa W165  
baldridge Xpand x743  
44 Ruby 2225  
Fortunes Conquest 224  
Baldridge Isabel B061  
Connealy Impact #  
Blackbird of Ellston K89

BW	90
ADJ. 205/WR	738/97
ADJ. 365/YR	
%IMF/RATIO	
RE/RATIO	
ADJ. SCR.	

CED		BW		WW		YW		RADG		YH		SC		SW	
-1		+1.8		+72	20%	+137	10%	+28	25%	+8	25%	+1.12		+70	30%
HP		CEM		Milk		Doc		Claw		Angle				SM	
+15.3	15%	+11	25%	+25		+28		10%	+37	10%	+39	10%	+74	20%	
CW		MB		RE		Fat		SF		SB		SC			
+56	25%	+1.04	10%	+95	10%	+0.30		+99		25%	+169	15%	+293	10%	
Dam	BWR		WWR		YWR		Sons @ Auction			Daughters @ Auction			Daughters In Herd		
	1-114		1-97		None		None			None			None		
Grandam	BWR		WWR		YWR		Sons @ Auction			Daughters @ Auction					
	5-104		5-101		4-107		1-\$5500			1-\$3100					

- ★ Z236 is smooth made and has some eye appeal. He has some guts and capacity, is meaty, and has big nuts.
- ★ Z236 is recommended for use on cows.
- ★ Z236 is one of 7 bulls selling that offers a +1.00 Marbling EPD or higher!
- ★ Dam V295 was a first calf heifer with Z236, and she once again settled first service AI for her 2022 calf. She is a 12<sup>th</sup> generation Blackbird of Ellston female! The depth of rib and fleshing ability goes back at least 5 generations in her cow family, and each generation has it! This 5<sup>th</sup> generation cow, G100, is referenced in Lot 65's footnote – she was a great one!
- ★ V295 weaned at 696 lbs., WR 107, YW 1011 lbs., YR 108.
- ★ Grandam P236 is a bigger framed, but real deep bodied cow with a 359 day calving interval. She is good at having heifers! Her only son is a thick bull that works for Bill Archer. One daughter works for Salt Fork Angus, and the other two for Hoover Angus.



## HOOPER LONGEVITY Z252

Reg. 20128828

Tattoo: L/R Z252

02/26/21

Hoover No Doubt  
**HOOPER LONGEVITY T40**  
Queen of Ellston H115 #

Basin Excitement #  
**KEYMURA KATY OF ELLSTON P191 #**  
Keymura Katy of Ellston L170

Mogck Bullseye #  
Miss Blackcap Ellston J2  
TC Friction 5130 #  
Queen of Ellston C50 #  
Basin Expedition R156  
Basin Lady S532 AK  
SydGen C C & 7 #  
Keymura Katy of Ellston F19

BW	98
ADJ. 205/WR	801/106
ADJ. 365/YR	
%IMF/RATIO	
RE/RATIO	
ADJ. SCR.	

CED	BW		WW		YW		RADG		YH		SC		\$W	
-4	+5.3		+85		3% +160		1% +30		15% +1.5		1% +2.68		1% +62	
HP	CEM		Milk		Doc		Claw		Angle				\$M	
+17.2	5%	+3	+22		+33		2% +58		+37		10%		+55	
CW	MB		RE		Fat		\$F		\$B				\$C	
+74	4%	+82	25%	+59	+0.04		+120		4%	+179	10%	+287	10%	
Dam	BWR		WWR		YWR		Sons @ Auction		Daughters @ Auction		Daughters In Herd			
	5-104		5-105		4-104		1-\$6250		None		1-103			

- ★ Z252 has a little more frame and a big scrotal. In fact, he has the 2<sup>nd</sup> biggest Scrotal EPD of any animal selling today! He has a long, narrow head which will aid in calving ease.
- ★ Z252 was a nice stout calf at birth, and he was a nice stout bull at weaning, coming in at over 800 pounds. He'll sire the same! Use this bull on a set of mature cows, and you'll reap the rewards at weaning time when you sell the calves by the pound! He has one of the top YW EPDs among the bulls selling!
- ★ Sire Longevity was so named because of the longevity in his cow family. Dam H115 is still going strong and will turn 13 years old shortly after our sale. H115's dam, the great C50 cow (read about her in Lot 50's footnote) was just shy of 17 years of age when we laid her to rest with the "great ones" north of our bull barn.
- ★ Pathfinder dam P191 is a nice uddered cow backed by many generations of superior uddered cows! She has a 364 day calving interval.
- ★ P191's first daughter produced the Lot 67 feature bull. Get your history lesson on this cow family in the bottom of his footnote! The Keymura Katy's have been a highly successful cow family for us over the decades!
- ★ Grandam L170 produced several high performing and high marbling progeny during her day.

## Foot Scores, Claw and Angle EPDs

Hoover Angus is committed to the breeding of Angus cattle through simultaneous improvement of a multitude of different traits. One of those traits is foot quality. Hoover Angus was one of the first breeders submitting foot scores when the American Angus Association started accepting this data in fall of 2014. Since that time, Hoover Angus has submitted foot scores on over 2100 animals with one of the highest levels of scrutiny among breeders. We recognize that foot integrity is an important aspect of longevity, and we are doing our best to measure, eliminate problems, and continually breed for improved foot structure.

For both Claw and Angle, lower EPDs are more favorable. Breed average Claw EPD for non-parent bull is +.50; Angle EPD is +.49. Lower EPDs for Claw Set indicate an animal should produce progeny with toes that are symmetrical, even, and appropriately spaced. Lower Foot Angle EPDs indicate an animal should produce progeny with a 45 degree angle at the pastern joint with appropriate length of toe and heel depth.



## YEARLING BULLS



## Optimum Birth Weight and Calving Ease

As an industry, we have sought high calving ease, low birth weight bulls for many generations. When talking with fellow Angus breeders, conversations generally lead to a discussion of where *optimum* birth weights and calving ease lies for bulls that will be used on first calf heifers. Most purebred breeders believe our breed and industry has gone past optimum in chasing ultra low birth weight bulls, whereby creating unanticipated consequences in America's beef herd.

As birth weights decrease, so do calf survivability and weaning weights. A 60 pound calf had a much bigger uphill battle than his bigger contemporaries to stay healthy (and alive) in frigid conditions, heavy snowfall, and deep mud.

As shown in the Across-Breed EPD tables produced by the Meat Animal Research Center (MARC), Angus is already the premier calving ease breed. No other breed can match the calving ease of Angus.

Although there are "curve-bending" bulls, the fact still remains that growth in the uterus is directly proportional to growth outside the uterus – bigger birth weight calves will yield more pounds of weaning growth, and weaning weight is the paycheck for many producers.

The vast majority of heifers with known genetics that have been developed and managed properly can calve to Angus bulls with a +6 CED to +10 CED for their first calf. Data from the American Angus Association shows that shows from a +18 CED highly proven sire (what I would call extreme calving ease) down to a +6 CED highly proven sire (typically considered the lower end of what is "safe" for use on virgin heifers), there is less than 3% difference in the incidence of calving difficulty in first calf heifers! Furthermore, from a +6 CED to a +1 CED, there was 1.5% difference in incidence of calving difficulty. In other words, as you move up the scale of CED from +1 into the teens, there is actually a very small percentage difference in unassisted births. Using this knowledge, we urge each cattleman to evaluate their herd and needs and decide their "optimum" calving ease level if selecting a bull to use on virgin heifers.

We strive to produce many optimum calving ease bulls. Many Hoover Angus customers that have been buying our bulls for decades often make comments like, "Using Hoover Angus bulls, we haven't used our calf jack in 20 years." If you have a need for an ultra low birth weight bull, we do have some of those too – to look at Calving Ease Direct (CED) EPD as well as Birth Weight (BW) EPD.

More food for thought on birth weights can be found on page 11 and 13 in this year's catalog regarding my recommendations for bulls to use on cows versus heifers and how last year's extreme cold impacted birth weights during the middle of our calving season.

Remember that CED only applies when a bull is used on *first calf heifers* and has no bearing on the ease of calving when used on mature cows. By the same token, CEM indicates how easily a bull's *first calf heifer daughters* will calve, not how easily they will calve as mature cows.



HOOVER RAVE Z106 – Lot 67

**67**  
Bull

**HOOVER RAVE Z106**

Reg. 20128782

Tattoo: L/R Z106

02/07/21

Jindra Acclaim  
**RBM RAVE**  
RBM Polly B66 #

SydGen Sizzle  
**KEYMURA KATY OF ELLSTON S273**  
Keymura Katy of Ellston P191 #

Jindra 3rd Dimension  
Jindra Blackbird Lassy 1111  
Connealy Final Product #  
RBM CC7 Y316  
Connealy Cool 39L  
WK Hazel 9201  
Basin Excitement #  
Keymura Katy of Ellston L170

BW	84
ADJ. 205/WR	825/109
ADJ. 365/YR	
%IMF/RATIO	
RE/RATIO	
ADJ. SCR.	

CED	BW		WW		YW		RADG		YH		SC		\$W				
+10	20%	-6	15%	+83	4%	+143	5%	+27	30%	+7	30%	+36		+82	10%		
HP	CEM		Milk		Doc		Claw		Angle						\$M		
+16.9	10%	+9			+21		+31		3%	+54		+48		+70		30%	
CW	MB		RE		Fat		\$F		\$B		\$C						
+79	2%	+47			+83		20%	+039		+126		2%	+169		15%	+289	10%
Dam	BWR		WWR		YWR		Sons @ Auction			Daughters @ Auction			Daughters In Herd				
	3-98		3-103		2-98		2-\$3750			None			None				
Grandam	BWR		WWR		YWR		Sons @ Auction			Daughters @ Auction							
	5-104		5-105		4-104		1-\$6250			None							

- ★ Retaining 1/3 revenue sharing semen interest.
- ★ Z106 is a nicely made, long bodied bull with a tight sheath. He offers an outcross pedigree for the vast majority of our repeat customers, along with the calm disposition they enjoy!
- ★ Z106 was the 8<sup>th</sup> top weaning weight bull of his crop, but better yet, you can use him on virgin heifers if you so desire!
- ★ Sire Rave was used as an outcross, good disposition bull that has low birth weight calves that grow quickly.
- ★ Dam S273 has an excellent 355 day calving interval. Her first two sons work for Pat Hardy and David Waddell.
- ★ Grandam P191 is a fertile Pathfinder cow with a 364 day calving interval. Her son works for Mark Lents.
- ★ The Keymura Katy cow line is another long-standing cow family from the original cows put together by Walt Hoover to start the herd in 1928. S273 is a 13<sup>th</sup> generation Keymura Katy to be bred, born, and raised by the Hoover family. S273's 4<sup>th</sup> and 5<sup>th</sup> generation dams were truly some of the best cows of their day. The V47 cow worked in the herd until 16 years of age, and her udder was still beautiful at that time. V47 earned Pathfinder status early in her career, and didn't let up. Two of her sons were the #2 adjusted weaning weight bull of their crop, as well as one daughter.

## Weekly EPD Updates

The American Angus Association runs National Cattle Evaluation (NCE) EPD updates every week. Non-parent animals with no data being submitted will see very little EPD change on a weekly basis. Visit [www.angus.org/Animal/EpdpedSearch.aspx](http://www.angus.org/Animal/EpdpedSearch.aspx) for the latest available EPDs.

**YEARLING BULLS**

**HOOVER**  
Angus

**HOOVER CHAIRMAN Z214**

Reg. 20128815

Tattoo: L/R Z214

02/20/21

Fortunes Conquest 224  
**BALDRIDGE CHAIRMAN**  
Baldrige Isabel B061

MOGCK Entice  
**BLKCP EMPRESS ELLSTON V109**  
Blkcp Empress Ellston H4

Connealy Confidence 0100 #  
Fortunes 4412 Ethelda 742  
G A R Prophet #  
Baldrige Isabel Y69  
SydGen Enhance  
MOGCK Erica 2255 #  
SydGen C C & 7 #  
Blkcp Empress Ellston X216

BW	80
ADJ. 205/WR	792/105
ADJ. 365/YR	
%IMF/RATIO	
RE/RATIO	
ADJ. SCR.	

CED	BW	WW	YW	RADG	YH	SC	\$W
+9 30%	-5 15%	+70 20%	+122 25%	+25	+7 30%	+1.18 30%	+90 3%
HP	CEM	Milk	Doc	Claw	Angle	\$M	
+15.1 15%	+10	+38 2%	+28 10%	+32 2%	+36 5%	+88	3%
CW	MB	RE	Fat	\$F	\$B	\$C	
+54 30%	+44	+69	+023	+96 30%	+137	+266 25%	
Dam	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters In Herd	
	1-102	1-105	None	None	None	None	

- ★ Z214 has a notch more frame than most Chairmans. He is super slick haired and has a narrow head and bone appropriate for calving ease.
- ★ If you are needing to add milk to your cow herd and are planning to retain daughters, consider this bull. He ties as the third top Milk EPD bull in the sale!
- ★ V109 was a first calf heifer with Z214. And she is due one day earlier in 2022 with her second calf, again first service AI.
- ★ Grandam H4 was one of the most perfect uddered cows on the farm! She recorded 9-103 WR and a 363 day calving interval. Seven progeny averaged \$4650 at auction. H4 was a very feminine fronted, beautiful CC&7 cow.
- ★ Great grandam X216 was a tremendous herd bull maker, every one she had was a standout for muscle, thickness, and growth. She ended her career with 10-110 WR and a 356 day calving interval.



**Hoover Chairman T61**  
Owned by James Humble  
\$8250 Maternal Brother  
to Lot 70

**HOOVER COWBOY LOGIC Z242**

Reg. 20128823

Tattoo: L/R Z242

02/24/21

HA Cowboy Up 5405  
**FREYS COWBOY LOGIC**  
F A R Princess 148Z

Hoover Chief  
**MISS ERICA ELLSTON T216**  
Miss Erica Ellston L231

HA Outside 3008  
HA Blackcap Lady 1602 #  
WK Bobcat #  
F A R Princess 214X #  
Connealy Commander  
Queenmere of Ellston K189 #  
Hoover Headliner J32  
Miss Erica Ellston E138

BW	86
ADJ. 205/WR	781/103
ADJ. 365/YR	
%IMF/RATIO	
RE/RATIO	
ADJ. SCR.	

CED	BW	WW	YW	RADG	YH	SC	\$W
+6	+2.0	+73 15%	+138 10%	+30 15%	+7 30%	+1.21 30%	+81 10%
HP	CEM	Milk	Doc	Claw	Angle	\$M	
+9.0	+10	+34 10%	+14	+52	+47	+52	
CW	MB	RE	Fat	\$F	\$B	\$C	
+67 10%	+38	+70	-001	+114 10%	+155 25%	+253	
Dam	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters In Herd	
	2-99	2-98	None	None	None	None	
Grandam	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction		
	6-101	6-101	4-105	2-\$3000	1-\$4000		

- ★ Z242 is a deep, soggy bull with nice growth and matching growth EPDs.
- ★ Z242 is likely best suited for use on cows.
- ★ Dam T216 has a 364 day calving interval on her first two calves.
- ★ Grandam L231 is a really easy going cow, and an ideal mother at calving time. She has a 363 day calving interval. Repeat customers Kirk Egbert and Brian Taglauer own her sons.
- ★ Great grandam E138 was a great 'ole cow that had a 361 day calving interval on her 11 progeny. Three of her daughters work in the Hoover herd. She was a really gentle female also.
- ★ I can remember four generations of cows "off the pedigree" down Z242's dam's side, and they were all excellent cows! Good uddered, productive cows that helped the Hoover family live off the land and cattle for the past 94 years!

Visit [www.hooverangus.com](http://www.hooverangus.com), one of the most informative breeder sites in the country, for a full listing of Hoover herd sires - 30 in all! Under the "Herd Sires" tab, see progeny photos and more detailed information on each herd sire. Under the "Sales" tab, we list 9 years of past sale reports if you would like an idea of average selling prices over the years.

**HOOVER 38 SPECIAL Z266**

Reg. 20128831

Tattoo: L/R Z266

03/03/21

EF Commando 1366 #  
**BALDRIDGE 38 SPECIAL**  
Baldrige Isabel Y69

Bruns Top Cut 373 #  
**MISS BLACKCAP ELLSTON P275 #**  
Miss Blackcap Ellston K97

EF Complement 8088 #  
Riverbend Young Lucy W1470  
Styles Upgrade J59 #  
Baldrige Isabel T935  
Bruns Uppercut 610  
Dakota Miss 669 Baf #  
SydGen C C & 7 #  
Miss Blackcap Ellston G278

BW	83
ADJ. 205/WR	729/96
ADJ. 365/YR	
%IMF/RATIO	
RE/RATIO	
ADJ. SCR.	

CED	BW	WW	YW	RADG	YH	SC	\$W
+9 30%	+1.2	+67 30%	+119 30%	+25	+6	+81	+74 20%
HP	CEM	Milk	Doc	Claw	Angle	\$M	
+11.0	+7	+27	+17	+53	+52	+65	
CW	MB	RE	Fat	\$F	\$B	\$C	
+38	+1.14 10%	+36	+017	+75	+143	+250	
Dam	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters In Herd	
	5-92	5-102	4-105	3-\$7700	None	1-100	

- ★ Z266 is nicely made with lots of body and a good quarter.
- ★ If you feed out your steers and sell on a grade and yield grid, consider Z266. He has the #1 Marbling EPD of any bull selling!
- ★ Z266 is recommended for heifers or cows.
- ★ Dam P275 has earned Pathfinder honors with her 366 day calving interval and high weaning weights on her progeny. Her sons work for Tracy Shaffer, Rod Lovitt, and Jamie Humble. P275's only daughter is a beautiful young cow in our herd.
- ★ I vividly remember when Tracy's bull was born. P275 dropped him in the lot before we knew she was calving (it is always our goal to get a calving cow into a clean, bedded pen before she calves). He was on a sheet of ice and he was so chilled by the time we found him that his neck and legs were stiff. It was 11 degrees and a fierce wind that day. I remember having him under the heater and wondering if he would live. He had the will to survive and he did! During calving season, we keep a darn close eye on our calving cows, and P275 went from no signs of calving to calf on the ground in an extremely short amount of time. Those are two things all producers should want - survivability and easy calving! This was the second time P275 calved in a super short period of time.
- ★ Grandam K97 produced sons for Three Trees Ranch, Andrew Herzberg, Glen Hanson, Brian Taglauer, and Josh Lohman averaging \$15,050. The Three Trees bull was Hoover Hawkeye, whose influence you will see sprinkled through the offering on the dam's side of pedigrees - see the picture of Hawkeye daughter Lady Ida of Ellston P63 on page 34.
- ★ K97 was a twin to K98, the \$30,000 top-selling female of our 2013 auction to KDS Angus.
- ★ Great grandam G278 was a super beefy cow, and produced progeny selling for \$30,000, \$25,500, and \$17,000.
- ★ Fourth generation dam D154 is the grandam of Hoover No Doubt!



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## HOOVER MAGNITUDE Z210

Reg. 20128814

Tattoo: L/R Z210

02/19/21

K C F Bennett Southside #  
**MEAD MAGNITUDE**  
 Mead Primrose N198 #

Nichols Extra K205 #  
 K C F Miss 208 S11 #  
 Plattemere Weigh Up K360 #  
 Mead Primrose K247 #  
 SydGen C C & 7 #  
 Erica of Ellston C124 #  
 Connealy Reward #  
 Blueblood Lady Ellston F195

BW	84
ADJ. 205/WR	830/110
ADJ. 365/YR	
%IMF/RATIO	
RE/RATIO	
ADJ. SCR.	

Hoover Dam #  
**BLUEBLOOD LADY ELLSTON P184**  
 Blueblood Lady Ellston K110

CED	BW	WW	YW	RADG	YH	SC	\$W
+12 10%	-1.3 10%	+69 25%	+123 25%	+26	+9 15%	+1.13	+88 4%
HP	CEM	Milk	Doc	Claw	Angle	\$M	
+13.4	+14	5%	+34 10%	+30 5%	+54	+56	+82 10%
CW	MB	RE	Fat	\$F	\$B	\$C	
+58 25%	+52	+71	+013	+104 15%	+150 30%	+277 15%	
Dam	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters In Herd	
	5-96	5-104	4-99	None	2-\$2700	1-104	

- ★ Z210 is a long bodied, added frame bull with nice thickness. He is slick haired and has an outcross pedigree for many of our repeat customers.
- ★ Z210 was the 5<sup>th</sup> top weaning weight bull of his crop! Better yet, he is suitable for use on heifers. Use him on heifers for a couple years, then move him to your main cow herd without sacrificing growth!
- ★ Dam P184 is a low birth weight cow whose calves grow rapidly and achieve high weaning weights. She has a 366 day calving interval.
- ★ P184's daughters work for Jason Matthews and Art Knutson. Her first daughter works in the Hoover herd and weaned the 12<sup>th</sup> top weaning weight, 4<sup>th</sup> top IMF bull of our 2020 crop selling to Willer Timber Ridge in Indiana for \$7500.
- ★ Another daughter of P184 that was the 9<sup>th</sup> top weaning weight heifer of her crop has been retained for the replacement herd and will calve this spring.
- ★ Grandam K110 was an ultra low birth weight cow that ended her career with a 354 day calving interval.
- ★ Ten Pathfinders are found in Z210's pedigree!



HOOVER ENTICE Z74 – Lot 73



## HOOVER ENTICE Z74

Reg. 20128776

Tattoo: L/R Z74

01/28/21

SydGen Enhance  
**MOGCK ENTICE**  
 MOGCK Erica 2255 #

SydGen Exceed 3223  
 SydGen Rita 2618  
 Mogck Sure Shot 253  
 MOGCK Erica 2162  
 Fortunes Conquest 224  
 Baldrige Isabel B061  
 Bruns Top Cut 373 #  
 Blkcp Empress Ellston L299

BW	82
ADJ. 205/WR	849/112
ADJ. 365/YR	
%IMF/RATIO	
RE/RATIO	
ADJ. SCR.	

Baldrige Chairman  
**BLKCP EMPRESS ELLSTON T184**  
 Blackcap Empress Ellston R92

CED	BW	WW	YW	RADG	YH	SC	\$W
+3	+2.9	+85 3%	+146 4%	+27 30%	+1.1 5%	+90	+94 2%
HP	CEM	Milk	Doc	Claw	Angle	\$M	
+11.9	+10	+35 5%	+29 10%	+36 5%	+40 15%	+81 10%	
CW	MB	RE	Fat	\$F	\$B	\$C	
+66 10%	+84 25%	+62	-010 25%	+102 20%	+162 20%	+291 10%	
Dam	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters In Herd	
	2-97	2-107	1-96	None	None	None	
Grandam	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction		
	4-99	4-102	3-99	1-\$6250	None		

- ★ Retaining 1/3 revenue sharing semen interest.
- ★ Z74 is a big nuted, powerful performance bull in an attractive package! He is wide based and sound as a cat. He's super slick haired, which of course is good for fescue pastures.
- ★ Z74 was the #1 adjusted weaning weight bull (non-ET) of the 2021 Hoover crop! This growthy bull is recommended for use on cows.
- ★ Dam T184 has a 350 day calving interval on her first two progeny, and she'll calve even earlier this year with her third calf. Fertility at it's finest! Dam's first calf was born when it was an actual temperature of 5 degrees below zero, with a wind chill of -44. She not only survived, but she thrived, weaning at 659 pounds.
- ★ T184 scanned a 8.76 IMF, ratio 201 to be the #1 IMF female of her calf crop! Her dam, R92, records 3-153 IMF ratio to be the herd's 2<sup>nd</sup> top IMF ratio cow. Another daughter of R92 was the 4<sup>th</sup> top IMF heifer of her crop.
- ★ T184 is a 16<sup>th</sup> generation Blackcap Empress Ellston female to be bred, born, and raised by the Hoover family!
- ★ R92's first two daughters work in the herd, and her son was selected by Matt Rea – he was a nice Entice son.
- ★ R92's third generation dam is the great C109 cow who served as the herd's 13<sup>th</sup> top indexing cow at the time of her passing – the oldest cow on this prestigious list! She recorded 10-97 BWR, 10-109 WR, 10-106 YR with a 361 day calving interval on 11 pregnancies (a set of high performing twins are not included in her ratios). C109 served as a donor and will be remembered as one of our all-time greats.



## HOOVER ENTICE Z279

Reg. 20128838

Tattoo: L/R Z279

03/12/21

SydGen Enhance  
**MOGCK ENTICE**  
 MOGCK Erica 2255 #

SydGen Exceed 3223  
 SydGen Rita 2618  
 Mogck Sure Shot 253  
 MOGCK Erica 2162  
 EF Commando 1366 #  
 Baldrige Isabel Y69  
 TC Gridiron 258 #  
 Blkcp Empress Ellston A306

BW	91
ADJ. 205/WR	741/98
ADJ. 365/YR	
%IMF/RATIO	
RE/RATIO	
ADJ. SCR.	

Baldrige 38 Special  
**BLACKCAP EMPRESS ELLSTON T56**  
 Blkcp Empress Ellston C109 #

CED	BW	WW	YW	RADG	YH	SC	\$W
-1	+2.3	+87 2%	+144 5%	+25	+7 30%	+1.56 15%	+92 2%
HP	CEM	Milk	Doc	Claw	Angle	\$M	
+16.9 10%	+3	+25	+26 15%	+28 1%	+34 3%	+105 1%	
CW	MB	RE	Fat	\$F	\$B	\$C	
+61 20%	+81 25%	+86 15%	+009 45%	+101 20%	+161 20%	+314 2%	
Dam	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters In Herd	
	2-103	2-102	1-101	1-\$16,000	None	None	

- ★ The youngest bull of the sale, but he's sure growing right along and doing his part to keep up! He is a square made, good quartered, typical Entice son. History tells me these March-born bulls are often great value bulls compared to the early January-born bulls.
- ★ Z279 is recommended for use on cows.
- ★ Z279 exemplifies the traits that make up the \$M index, and he ties as the #1 \$Maternal Value Entice son in the breed! He is the #1 \$M bull to sell today! He also has one of the top \$Combined Values among the bulls selling.
- ★ Dam T56's first son was selected by repeat customer John Orr for \$16,000 in our sale last year. He was a full brother to Z279.
- ★ My calving book records say T56 is a great cow to work with at calving time.
- ★ Please check out the bottom of Lot 73's footnote for information on the tremendous C109 Pathfinder donor cow, the grandam of Z279.

Hoover Angus,

*I still have all three bulls purchased in 2019. I love how the calves come out, jump up, and start sucking right away. The growth on them is very impressive! I think this year my calves were the biggest when I sold! Glad I invested in Hoover genetics!*

Andy Eichelberger  
 Crawfordsville, Iowa

## Short Ears = Survivability

Short ears tells me a calf was born in really cold temperatures, and he survived and thrived. In our herd, every calf that is born in cold temps gets dried off before the ears should freeze. When a bull is missing part(s) of his ears, it is most likely because his mother licked his ears after we dried him off. Even though we prefer a calf to not lose his ears, we are glad our momma cows do their job of being motherly to their calves!

Short eared bulls certainly aren't going to sire short eared calves – short ears are purely an environmental factor, not genetic. Numerous bulls that have been very successful for us like Neutron 377, Gridiron and Chairman were all bulls that had their ears froze at birth.

# YEARLING BULLS



**HOOVER COWBOY LOGIC Z261**

Reg. 20128830

Tattoo: L/R Z261

02/28/21

HA Cowboy Up 5405  
**FREYS COWBOY LOGIC**  
 F A R Princess 148Z

Bruns Top Cut 373 #  
**QUEENMERE OF ELLSTON T75**  
 Queenmere of Ellston P95

HA Outside 3008  
 HA Blackcap Lady 1602 #  
 WK Bobcat #  
 F A R Princess 214X #  
 Bruns Uppercut 610  
 Dakota Miss 669 Baf #  
 Hoover Dam #  
 Queenmere of Ellston M73

BW	93
ADJ. 205/WR	757/100
ADJ. 365/YR	
%IMF/RATIO	
RE/RATIO	
ADJ. SCR.	

CED	BW		WW		YW		RADG		YH		SC		\$W	
+6	+2.7		+70 20%		+119 30%		+25		+4		+38		+60	
HP	CEM		Milk		Doc		Claw		Angle				\$M	
+9.7	+10		+16		+15		+48		+48				+60	
CW	MB		RE		Fat		\$F		\$B				\$C	
+36	+15		+56		-.036 4%		+71		+103				+194	
Dam	BWR		WWR		YWR		Sons @ Auction		Daughters @ Auction		Daughters In Herd			
	2-105		2-97		None		None		None		None			
Grandam	BWR		WWR		YWR		Sons @ Auction		Daughters @ Auction					
	3-89		3-88		2-96		1-\$2500		None					

- ★ Z261 is an attractive profiling bull with a level top and a nice quarter. He is a proud bull!
- ★ Z261 is recommended for use on cows.
- ★ Dam T75 is a young cow with a very nice udder that traces back to the Pathfinder dam that produced Hoover Chief. This cow family is noted for their good nature at calving time.
- ★ Grandam P95 is a low birth weight, really moderate sized cow with a nice udder. Her son works for Paul Griffith. P95's fertility is spot-on with a 358 day calving interval. She has great mothering ability at calving time.

**HOOVER CHAIRMAN Z275**

Reg. 20128836

Tattoo: L/R Z275

03/08/21

Fortunes Conquest 224  
**BALDRIDGE CHAIRMAN**  
 Baldrige Isabel B061

Connealy Direct Deposit #  
**BLKCP EMPRESS ELLSTON N478**  
 Blkcp Empress Ellston G403 #

Connealy Confidence 0100 #  
 Fortunes 4412 Ethelda 742  
 G A R Prophet #  
 Baldrige Isabel Y69  
 Connealy Danny 5398  
 Boka Rae of Conanga 168  
 TC Friction 5130 #  
 Blkcp Empress Ellston D515 #

BW	77
ADJ. 205/WR	720/95
ADJ. 365/YR	
%IMF/RATIO	
RE/RATIO	
ADJ. SCR.	

CED	BW		WW		YW	RADG		YH	SC		\$W		
+15	2%	+1.3	10%	+61	+116	+24		+8	25%	+1.59	10%	+87	5%
HP	CEM		Milk		Doc	Claw		Angle		\$M			
+13.0	+16		1%	+43	1%	+21	+52		+48		+78		15%
CW	MB		RE		Fat		\$F		\$B		\$C		
+47	+74		+46		+0.53		+85		+134		+252		
Dam	BWR	WWR	YWR		Sons @ Auction		Daughters @ Auction		Daughters In Herd				
	5-100	5-102	4-104		2-\$4875		None		None				

- ★ Z275 is a nice, thick bull that is growing right along for being one of the very youngest in the sale.
- ★ An ultimate calving ease choice here to use on heifers! He ties as the 3<sup>rd</sup> top CED and 2<sup>nd</sup> top CEM EPD bull to sell!
- ★ If you are needing to add milk to your cow herd and are planning to retain daughters, consider this bull. He has the #1 Milk EPD in the sale!
- ★ Dam N478's sons work for Steve Agan and Philip Brown, both repeat customers.
- ★ N478 had nice performance herself: BW 70 lbs., WW 747 lbs., WR 103, YW 1040 lbs., YR 100, IMF 4.81, ratio 129, ribeye 12.5", ratio 104.
- ★ Pathfinder grandam G403 placed two bulls in AI studs - Hoover Leadman (Alta) and Hoover Emperor (Genex). Emperor was the #1 adjusted weaning weight, #1 adjusted yearling weight bull of his crop and the top selling bull in our 2012 auction. Emperor has been used heavily in overseas markets for producing high growth, good footed cattle. Three of G403's sons were the #1 WW and #1 YW bull calves of their respective crops!
- ★ Pathfinder great grandam D515 tied as the 8<sup>th</sup> top indexing cow of the Hoover herd when she died. Her first son was the #1 adjusted weaning weight bull in our history at that time at 921 pounds. D515 produced a total of 4 sons or daughters that were among the top 10 adjusted weaning weight bull or heifer calves of their respective crop.

Landi,

Thank you so much for your time and help with my questions over the past year. Your dedication and passion for your family and farm is greater than anyone I know. It is the reason I decided to invest in your herd and have supreme confidence in the quality of the animal in which I intend to model my own herd.

Again, thank you for all you and your family do, and I look forward to my next Hoover purchase.

Sincerely,  
 Elliott Terrell

**HOOVER ENTICE Z205**

Reg. 20128811

Tattoo: L/R Z205

02/19/21

SydGen Enhance  
**MOGCK ENTICE**  
 MOGCK Erica 2255 #

SydGen C C & 7 #  
**B RIBBON HEIRESS ELLSTONH436 #**  
 Blue Ribbon Heiress B536 #

SydGen Exceed 3223  
 SydGen Rita 2618  
 Mogck Sure Shot 253  
 MOGCK Erica 2162  
 S A F Connection #  
 SydGen Forever Lady 4087  
 Woodhill Fusion 177-70L  
 Blue Ribbon Heiress X171

BW	92
ADJ. 205/WR	825/109
ADJ. 365/YR	
%IMF/RATIO	
RE/RATIO	
ADJ. SCR.	

CED	BW		WW		YW		RADG		YH		SC		\$W		
-1	+3.4		+80		10% +146		4% +31		10% +1.0		10% +1.36		20% +74		
HP		CEM		Milk		Doc		Claw		Angle		SM			
+12.9		+4		+26		+25		20% +.51		+49		+59			
CW		MB		RE		Fat		\$F		\$B		\$C			
+64		15% +.70		+89		15% -.028		10% +106		15% +166		15% +274		20%	
Dam	BWR		WWR		YWR		Sons @ Auction		Daughters @ Auction		Daughters In Herd				
	10-101		10-103		3-105		1-\$7500		2-\$4000		1-101				

- ★ Z205 is a bigger framed bull that has some gas in the tank to grow! He is super long bodied, which is the easiest way to add pounds of weaning weight!
- ★ Z205 was the 9<sup>th</sup> top weaning weight bull of his crop!
- ★ Z205 is recommended for use on cows. His small head will help aid in calving ease.
- ★ Z205 has the ultimate pedigree for good disposition - CC&7 is the breed's longest standing #1 sire for Docility EPD, and Entice progeny also exhibit outstanding dispositions.
- ★ Pathfinder dam H436 has been an exceptional uddered cow, even into old age! Her progeny work for Gerald Swelling, DNA Angus and Allan Dolecheck. Allan's bull was the 8<sup>th</sup> top weaning weight bull of his crop.
- ★ H436's daughter in the herd also has a nice udder and a perfect 365 day calving interval on her 6 calves.

**Hair Shed EPDs**

Hair shedding is an important trait for most Hoover Angus customers as the ability of cattle to slick their hair coat early in the summer helps mitigate the effects of heat stress and fescue toxicity. Early shedding positively impacts milk production, fertility, weaning weights, and ultimately your bottom line!

Here are the Hoover-owned sires on the second Hair Shed Research Report. Hoover Angus has submitted over 1000 hair shed scores over the past two years, and is one of the breed's largest contributors to the database. Breed average Hair Shed EPD is +.54. Animals with values less than +.54 are considered breed improvers. Lower numbers are more desirable for this trait. Remember, this EPD is in its infancy, as much more data will need to be collected in order to have more accurate EPDs!

SydGen Sizzle -.08 (4<sup>th</sup> best bull in the breed)

Mogck Entice +.12	Hoover Inspiration +.50
Hoover Emperor +.14	Hoover No Doubt +.52
Hoover Dam +.19	Basin Excitement +.52
Connealy Counselor +.19	MBG Delmonico +.60
SydGen CC&7 +.30	Baldrige Chairman +.67
TC Gridiron 258 +.33	Hoover Elation M123 +.69
Hoover Hawkeye +.35	Bruns Top Cut 373 +.73
Hoover Cut Above P427 +.38	SA Neutron 377 +.73
TC Friction 5130 +.38	Baldrige 38 Special +.78
Mogck Bullseye +.42	Connealy Impact +.94
Connealy Commander +.48	

Of bulls with 100 or more progeny hair shed records,  
**Hoover Dam has the best EPD by a significant amount!**

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**HOOVER KNOW HOW Z12 – Lot 77**



**Lady Ida of Ellston P63**  
Flush Sister to the  
Dam of Lot 77;  
Relative of Lots 78-79



**Lady Ida of Ellston C164**  
Pathfinder Donor Grandam  
of Lot 77; Great Grandam  
of Lot 79; Fourth Generation  
Dam of Lot 78



**Lady Ida of Ellston H6**  
Owned by KDS Angus  
\$33,500 Great Grandam of  
Lot 78; Relative of  
Lots 77 & 79

**HOOVER 78 HOOVER NOTARY Z92**  
Bull Reg. 20128847 Tattoo: L/R Z92 02/03/21

Hoover No Doubt  
**HOOVER NOTARY**  
Prim Lassie Ellston L455

Baldrige 38 Special  
**LADY IDA OF ELLSTON S413**  
Lady Ida of Ellston L73

Mogck Bullseye #  
Miss Blackcap Ellston J2  
Basin Excitement #  
Prim Lassie Ellston H491  
EF Commando 1366 #  
Baldrige Isabel Y69  
Connealy Reward #  
Lady Ida of Ellston H6

BW	91
ADJ. 205/WR	761/101
ADJ. 365/YR	
%IMF/RATIO	
RE/RATIO	
ADJ. SCR.	

CED	BW	WW	YW	RADG	YH	SC	\$W
+5	+3.7	+82 5%	+147 4%	+29 20%	+8 25%	+2.11 2%	+77 15%
HP	CEM	Milk	Doc	Claw	Angle	\$M	
+12.9	+12 15%	+26	+18	+49	+55	+66	
CW	MB	RE	Fat	\$F	\$B	\$C	
+67 10%	+69	+63	-002 30%	+112 10%	+166 15%	+281 15%	
Dam	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters In Herd	
	2-105	2-100	1-107	1-\$10,000	None	None	

- ★ Z92 is a deep, soggy bull that has a lot to him! He has nice thickness, typical of the Notary progeny.
- ★ Z92 is recommended for use on cows.
- ★ Dam S413 produced a \$10,000 Know How son as her first calf selling to 66 Ranch in Alberta. Hard to top that! Z92 is her second calf, and S413 will calve again this February.
- ★ S413 was the 4<sup>th</sup> top IMF scanning heifer of her crop with a 7.22 IMF, ratio 160! She also scanned a nice 11.2" ribeye, nearly 1.5" above breed average!
- ★ S413 has a Pathfinder maternal sister working in the Hoover herd that has weaned 5 bull calves averaging 776 pounds at weaning! We want a daughter next year!
- ★ Great grandam H6 was the #1 weaning weight, #2 yearling weight heifer of her crop and sold as the lead-off bred heifer in our 2011 auction for \$33,500 to KDS Angus. We retained one flush on this great female, which resulted in L73 and one other sister.
- ★ Please read a couple small paragraphs of fourth generation dam C164's successes in the footnote of feature bull, Lot 77. She is one of our all-time greatest cows!

**HOOVER 77 HOOVER KNOW HOW Z12**

Twin w/Cow Reg. 20095240 Tattoo: L/R Z12 01/03/21

Hoover No Doubt  
**HOOVER KNOW HOW**  
Blkcp Empress Ellston L265 #

Hoover Hawkkeye  
**LADY IDA OF ELLSTON P68**  
Lady Ida of Ellston C164 #

Mogck Bullseye #  
Miss Blackcap Ellston J2  
SydGen Storm 8504  
Blkcp Empress Ellston J120  
Mogck Bullseye #  
Miss Blackcap Ellston K97  
TC Gridiron 258 #  
G G Ida 9183 #

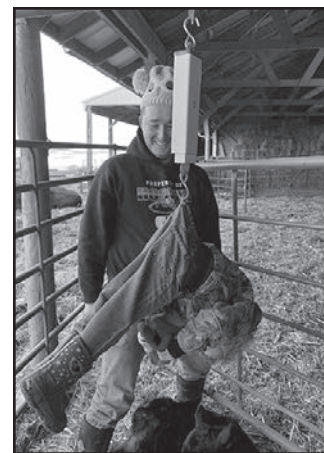
BW	58
ADJ. 205/WR	707/93
ADJ. 365/YR	
%IMF/RATIO	
RE/RATIO	
ADJ. SCR.	

CED	BW	WW	YW	RADG	YH	SC	\$W
+7	+1.3	+58	+107	+23	+5	+72	+66
HP	CEM	Milk	Doc	Claw	Angle	\$M	
+16.1 10%	+9	+32 15%	+25 20%	+50	+55	+65	
CW	MB	RE	Fat	\$F	\$B	\$C	
+44	+74	+79 25%	+033	+87	+142	+249	
Dam	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters In Herd	
	4-92	4-100	4-98	None	1-\$2900	2-103	

- ★ Z12 has been a looker since a young age! He is a long bodied, meaty, big scrotal, really thick made bull with a super slick hair coat. There is a lot to this bull! He's easy to spot!
- ★ Z12 is recommended for large framed heifers or cows. He would be an excellent choice if you are saving replacement daughters. I would expect productive, very nice uddered daughters.
- ★ Dam P68 is a super low birth weight cow that always raises a good calf. She has a superior 355 day calving interval on her 5 calvings (her twins are not included in her birth and weaning ratios by the AAA). Two daughters have been retained in the herd, one is the dam of Lot 79. A third daughter will calve for the first time this spring. P68's other daughter was selected by Jerome Loutsch.
- ★ P68 puts a big ribeye in her progeny, and with 4-108 ribeye ratio, she is one of the top ribeye ratio cows in the herd. One daughter was the 3<sup>rd</sup> top ribeye scanning female of her crop.
- ★ Pathfinder grandam C164 is regarded as one of the herd's all-time greats! She is likely one of the best 5 cows to ever be in production at Hoover Angus – from her fertility to her udder, and tremendous progeny, she nails it all.
- ★ C164 recorded 10-107 WR and a 362 day calving interval and had been flushed 5 different times. She had 28 progeny registered at Hoover Angus. At the end of her career, she had grossed over \$186,000 on registered progeny sales (excluding embryo sales), with her 13 sons averaging over \$10,000! C164's top-selling son was the \$56,000 Hoover Inspiration – the second top-selling bull in our history.

## Around the Farm

Tagging and weighing newborns one day, Gwen wanted weighed like the calves, so Andrew strung her up by her pants and weighed her! She loved it!



Ty got to pet his first fawn this summer!

**YEARLING BULLS**

**HOOVER Angus**



## HOOVER ENTICE Z76

Reg. 20128777

Tattoo: L/R Z76

01/30/21

SydGen Enhance  
**MOGCK ENTICE**  
 MOGCK Erica 2255 #

Baldrige 38 Special  
**LADY IDA OF ELLSTON T36**  
 Lady Ida of Ellston P68

SydGen Exceed 3223  
 SydGen Rita 2618  
 Mogck Sure Shot 253  
 MOGCK Erica 2162  
 EF Commando 1366 #  
 Baldrige Isabel Y69  
 Hoover Hawkeye  
 Lady Ida of Ellston C164 #

BW	85
ADJ. 205/WR	823/109
ADJ. 365/YR	
%IMF/RATIO	
RE/RATIO	
ADJ. SCR.	

CED		BW		WW		YW		RADG		YH		SC		\$W			
+3		+2.5		+87		2% +155		2% +30		15% +1.3		2% +1.59		10% +101		1%	
HP		CEM		Milk		Doc		Claw		Angle		SM					
+14.4		25%		+5		+40		1% +31		3% +32		2% +52		+85		5%	
CW		MB		RE		Fat		\$F		\$B		\$C					
+69		10%		+64		+95		10% -0.044		2% +106		15% +165		15% +299		5%	
Dam		BWR		WWR		YWR		Sons @ Auction		Daughters @ Auction		Daughters In Herd					
		2-106		2-110		1-107		1-\$14,000		None		None					
Grandam		BWR		WWR		YWR		Sons @ Auction		Daughters @ Auction		Daughters @ Auction					
		4-92		4-100		4-98		None		1-\$2900							

- ★ Retaining 1/3 revenue sharing semen interest.
- ★ Z76 is a super long, big quartered bull with added frame. The commercial guys who sell their calves by the pound at weaning will find this guy! He's a slick haired, nice performance bull.
- ★ Z76 tied as the 11<sup>th</sup> top weaning weight bull calf of his crop. We recommend him for use on cows.
- ★ Z76 is one of 9 bulls selling that offer a +100 or better \$W!
- ★ If you are needing to add milk to your cow herd and are planning to retain daughters, consider this bull. He has the 2<sup>nd</sup> top Milk EPD in the bull sale!
- ★ Dam T36 has emerged as one of our best young cows. She started her career out with a bang, producing a \$14,000 son selling to Steve Archer last year. Z76 is her second son.
- ★ T36 ties as the 11<sup>th</sup> top indexing cow of the Hoover herd with 2-110 WR on her progeny!
- ★ Please read about grandam P68 and highly successful grandam C164 in the footnote of P68's featured son, Lot 77.



**Hoover Notary**  
 Owned with IMS Cattle,  
 Tim Hackett, and Golden  
 Chute Ranch  
 \$38,000 Sire of  
 Lots 78 & 80

## HOOVER NOTARY Z78

Twin w/Bull

Reg. 20128846

Tattoo: L/R Z78

01/30/21

Hoover No Doubt  
**HOOVER NOTARY**  
 Prim Lassie Ellston L455

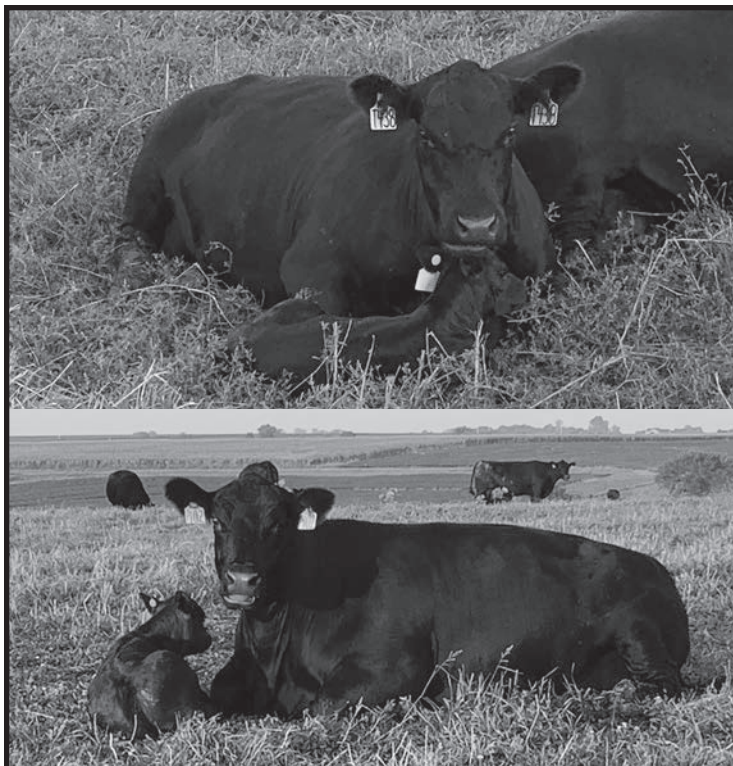
Connealy Reward #  
**MISS KEYMURA ELLSTON J489 #**  
 Miss Keymura Ellston G477

Mogck Bullseye #  
 Miss Blackcap Ellston J2  
 Basin Excitement #  
 Prim Lassie Ellston H491  
 Connealy Reflection #  
 Elituna of Conanga 3703 #  
 Woodhill Statesman 54K-90N #  
 Miss Keymura Ellston C462 #

BW	70
ADJ. 205/WR	778/103
ADJ. 365/YR	
%IMF/RATIO	
RE/RATIO	
ADJ. SCR.	

CED	BW		WW		YW		RADG		YH		SC		\$W	
+11	15%	+8	+62		+100		+18		+7	30%	+85	+72 25%		
HP	CEM		Milk		Doc		Claw		Angle		\$M			
+18.8	2%	+14	5%	+27	+21		+54		+41	15%	+93 2%			
CW	MB		RE		Fat		\$F		\$B		\$C			
+50	+78		30%	+57	+033		+88		+142		+277 15%			
Dam	BWR	WWR	YWR		Sons @ Auction		Daughters @ Auction		Daughters In Herd					
	5-97	5-102	5-101		5-\$4650		2-\$4100		None					

- ★ Z78 is a wide based, long bodied, super slick haired bull to work well on fescue. He's got some big nuts on him.
- ★ Z78 is suitable for use on heifers or cows.
- ★ Dam J489 is a one-of-a-kind cow – she has had three sets of twins or triplets for us! Her record in the boxes above for her birth, wean, and yearling ratios only show 5 calves on record (the American Angus Association doesn't include twins and triplets in a cow's production records), but she has actually given birth to 13 calves! That makes me tired just thinking about it!
- ★ J489's progeny work for Ellis Standing, Gareld Carpenter, Art Knutson, Darin Cerven, Terry Beck, Todd Creason, and Darrell Wagoner. Todd's heifer was the 6<sup>th</sup> top weaning weight, #1 yearling weight heifer of her crop. Darrell's bull was the 4<sup>th</sup> top weaning weight bull of his crop.
- ★ J489 is a 12<sup>th</sup> generation Keymura female to be bred, born, and raised at Hoover Angus!
- ★ Eight Pathfinders are found in Z78's three generation pedigree!



## Mothering Ability

In an EPD era where it is easy to get caught up in seeking out high EPDs for certain (often terminal) traits, our industry sometimes forgets about the most basic, yet most essential traits in a cow herd. One of these traits is mothering ability. We don't have an EPD for this trait, but mothering ability (or lack thereof) is quite important! I'm sure we can all tell stories of how a cow lacking in mothering ability caused a loss in time, energy, and ultimately money.

On my early morning cow check one day last August of our fall calving herd, I took pictures of these two maternal sisters and their calves. Note how the cows are laying with their calves right in front of them. This is how they would have slept overnight. These cows have superior mothering ability – they want to know exactly where their baby is so they can protect it, especially from predators that may come at night.

Also interesting about these two maternal sisters is both of them are sired by Hoover-bred bulls. The first cow by Hoover No Doubt, the second by Hoover Hawkeye (Hawkeye and No Doubt are found in the pedigrees of Lots 77-80 and throughout this offering). Mothering ability has been an important trait at Hoover Angus for over 9 decades!



# YEARLING BULLS





**Miss Blackcap Ellston N58**  
Pathfinder Hoover Donor  
Dam of Lots 81-82



**Hoover No Doubt**  
Owned with Alta Genetics  
and Spruce Mountain  
Ranch  
\$67,500 Maternal Brother to  
Lots 81-82



**HOOVER CHAIRMAN Z18 – Lot 81**



**HOOVER CHAIRMAN Z18**

Reg. 20125333

Tattoo: L/R Z18

01/09/21

Fortunes Conquest 224  
**BALDRIDGE CHAIRMAN**  
Baldrige Isabel B061

Mogck Bullseye #  
**MISS BLACKCAP ELLSTON N58 #**  
Miss Blackcap Ellston J2

Connealy Confidence 0100 #  
Fortunes 4412 Ethelda 742  
G A R Prophet #  
Baldrige Isabel Y69  
MOGCK Sure Shot #  
Mogck Mary 1255  
SydGen C C & 7 #  
Miss Blackcap Ellston D154 #

BW	74
ADJ. 205/WR	819/108
ADJ. 365/YR	
%IMF/RATIO	
RE/RATIO	
ADJ. SCR.	

CED	BW	WW	YW	RADG	YH	SC	\$W
+7	+1.3	+87 2%	+159 1%	+32 5%	+1.2 3%	+49	+94 2%
HP	CEM	Milk	Doc	Claw	Angle	\$M	
+13.0	+10	+32 15%	+31 3%	+47	+37 10%	+73	25%
CW	MB	RE	Fat	\$F	\$B	\$C	
+92	1%	+82 25%	+1.22 1%	+0.10	+143 1%	+209 1%	+344 1%
Dam	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters In Herd	
	5-92	5-107	3-103	2-\$7500	2-\$17,125	1-104	

- ★ Retaining 1/3 revenue sharing semen interest.
- ★ Z18 – what a stud! He is a deep, masculine powerhouse! He has a big scrotal and offers good bone. His picture was taken the last week in October, so he is certainly going to change by sale time – come see him in person to appreciate him! At the time I am writing this footnote, I can't think of any other bull more qualified to be the lead-off bull in our sale! He combines pedigree, phenotype, and great EPDs all in the same package!
- ★ Z18 was the 15<sup>th</sup> top weaning weight bull of the crop, and in my opinion, the thickest bull!
- ★ Z18 is the #1 \$C Chairman son in the breed!
- ★ In the bull sale today, Z18 has the #1 \$C, #1 \$B, #1 \$F, #1 Ribeye EPD and #1 CW EPD!
- ★ Pathfinder dam N58 is the best flush sister to one of the breeds hottest sires, Hoover No Doubt! No Doubt had countless sons and daughters at the top of sale reports last year. Top cattlemen have realized the value of his thickness, structure, performance, and docility in an uncompromising phenotypic package.
- ★ The successes of dam N58 keep rolling in. A maternal sister to Z18 sold for \$20,750 in our 2020 online sale to Riverbend Ranch. In our 2021 mini online sale, Ray Johnson of Johnson Angus Ranch in Connecticut picked a N58 daughter as his Pick of the Fall Heifers for \$13,500.
- ★ The #1 adjusted weaning weight bull of our entire fall crop was an N58 son at 916 pounds, and injured his shoulder prior to yearling time. A flush brother to this bull sells as feature fall bull, Lot 82. N58 will undoubtedly break the \$100,000 mark of progeny sales this year, as she has already grossed over \$90,000 on progeny, embryos and pregnancies!

- ★ Repeat customers Tyler Scales of ELK Angus and Howard Paulsen own N58's other sons.
- ★ **N58 ties as the #2 Docility EPD Pathfinder cow in America at +40!** Come see her in person to appreciate her super gentle disposition! She is an 11<sup>th</sup> generation bred, born, and raised Hoover Angus female.
- ★ As an 8 year-old cow, N58 has 9 EPDs or \$Values in or above the best 1% of the breed!
- ★ N58 produced a flush selling for \$24,000 in the 2019 Hoover Angus sale to Lylester Ranch. Pregnancies by N58 X Myers Fair-N-Square sell today as Lot 182.
- ★ At 850 pounds, WR 119, N58 was the #1 adjusted weaning weight heifer of her crop, and at the time, the #1 weaning weight female ever at Hoover Angus! She had a YW 1244 pounds, YR 120, 6.80 IMF, ratio 143, ribeye 13.3", ratio 111.
- ★ N58's three natural sons have weaned at an average 825 pounds; her two daughters 701 pounds.
- ★ N58 had a 348 day calving interval on her first four progeny before we pulled her out of production for a year to flush her. She now has an excellent 10-111 IMF ratio and 10-101 ribeye ratio.
- ★ Flush sisters to N58 have sold for \$60,000 to Dixie Valley Ranch and \$27,500 to Wall Street Cattle Co. An Entice son sold by the Wall Street cow sold for \$10,000 in their fall 2021 sale to be the 2<sup>nd</sup> top-selling bull!
- ★ N58's dam, J2, was the lead-off, \$20,000 top-selling open heifer from our 2011 auction. She then sold ½ interest for \$150,000 as a 7 year-old cow. J2 hit her financial stride eight years of age, generating nearly a quarter million dollars of revenue in a 12 month period for her new owners!
- ★ At 11 years of age, J2 produced the top-selling bull of all breeds at the 2021 Midland Bull Test for \$158,000! This bull, Sterling Bond 007, was selected by ST Genetics.
- ★ When we sold J2, we retained one flush from this female, and had five live calves born. The one bull was Hoover No Doubt; three of the four sisters earned Pathfinder honors!
- ★ Maternal sisters to Z18 sell as Lots 150-151.

**YEARLING BULLS**

**HOVER**  
Angus

# HOVER 83 Bull HOOVER SPECIAL EDITION X501

Reg. 20013564

Tattoo: L/R X501

09/23/20

Baldrige 38 Special  
HOOVER SPECIAL EDITION S454  
Edella of Ellston N473 #

Connealy Impact #  
BLKCP EMPRESS ELLSTON P403  
Blkcp Empress Ellston M403

EF Commando 1366 #  
Baldrige Isabel Y69  
Connealy Direct Deposit #  
Edella of Ellston K264  
Connealy Impression #  
Elza of Conanga 8265 #  
Hoover Dam #  
Blkcp Empress Ellston K403

BW	70
ADJ. 205/WR	841/112
ADJ. 365/YR	1211/106
%IMF/RATIO	2.96/98
RE/RATIO	10.9/88
SCROTAL	38.5

CED	BW	WW	YW	RADG	YH	SC	\$W
+11 15%	+2 30%	+78 10%	+131 15%	+24	+1.1 5%	+1.30 25%	+95 2%
HP	CEM	Milk	Doc	Claw	Angle	\$M	
+14.1 25%	+11 25%	+32 15%	+21	+57	+51	+88	3%
CW	MB	RE	Fat	\$F	\$B	\$C	
+60 20%	+70	+66	+032	+97 25%	+148	+280 15%	
Dam	BWR	VWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters In Herd	
	4-98	4-110	3-108	1-\$8750	1-\$3200	None	

- ★ X501 is extended through his front, attractive, thick, and nicely made. He was the 3<sup>rd</sup> top weaning weight, 3<sup>rd</sup> top yearling weight bull of his crop. Better yet, he can be used on either heifers or cows.
- ★ X501 has one of the top CED EPDs in the fall bull division as well as the top \$W.
- ★ Dam P403 comes from a long line of highly productive cows! She is a 16<sup>th</sup> generation Blackcap Empress Ellston female to be bred, born, and raised by 4 generations of the Hoover family. Three of the next 4 cows off the pedigree down the dam's side of this pedigree have earned Pathfinder honors.
- ★ P403 is a moderate birth weight cow, but her calves grow rapidly. She ties as the 9<sup>th</sup> top indexing cow of the herd with 4-110 WR! All four of her progeny have been in either the top 5 adjusted weaning or yearling weight calves of their respective crops! Mark Holt and Mandy Neal own her first two progeny to come to auction.
- ★ P403 was a high performing female herself – she was the 2<sup>nd</sup> top weaning weight, 2<sup>nd</sup> top yearling weight heifer of her crop!
- ★ The highlight of great grandam K403's career was producing the second top-selling bull of our 2019 auction to Mogck & Sons Angus in South Dakota. One daughter of K403 has earned Pathfinder honors.

# HOVER 84 Bull HOOVER ENTICE X461

Reg. 20013556

Tattoo: L/R X461

08/25/20

SydGen Enhance  
MOGCK ENTICE  
MOGCK Erica 2255 #

Baldrige 38 Special  
BLKCP EMPRESS ELLSTON S425  
Blkcp Empress Ellston K233

SydGen Exceed 3223  
SydGen Rita 2618  
Mogck Sure Shot 253  
MOGCK Erica 2162  
EF Commando 1366 #  
Baldrige Isabel Y69  
Basin Excitement #  
Blkcp Empress Ellston H308

BW	60
ADJ. 205/WR	739/99
ADJ. 365/YR	1147/100
%IMF/RATIO	4.17/138
RE/RATIO	10.5/85
SCROTAL	42.0

CED	BW	WW	YW	RADG	YH	SC	\$W
+9 30%	-8 15%	+67 30%	+116	+24	+5	+2.27 1%	+84 10%
HP	CEM	Milk	Doc	Claw	Angle	\$M	
+14.0 25%	+4	+32 15%	+26 15%	+40 15%	+56	+80 10%	
CW	MB	RE	Fat	\$F	\$B	\$C	
+40	+85 25%	+46	+021	+79	+136	+256 30%	
Dam	BWR	VWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters In Herd	
	2-97	2-106	1-100	None	None	None	
Grandam	BWR	VWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction		
	8-104	8-105	6-104	3-\$5500	1-\$4500		

- ★ X461 is a more moderate frame size bull with a big scrotal. He is level topped and square made. He has a small head to aid in calving ease, and he is suitable for use on heifers or cows. X461 is a nice disposition bull.
- ★ X461 was the 3<sup>rd</sup> top IMF scanning bull of his crop!
- ★ X461 has the largest Scrotal EPD in the fall bull division!
- ★ Dam S425 has raised two nice bull calves – her first was one of the top weaning calves of his crop and injured after weaning.
- ★ Grandam K233 is a beautiful, square made, soggy, nice uddered female. She has a 362 day calving interval on her 8 progeny. K233's progeny work for Kenny Henggeler, Terry Beck, Todd Creason, and Gordon Houser. Her nice No Doubt daughter sells as Lot 162.
- ★ Great grandam had a 367 day calving interval and put four replacement daughters in the herd. One is the nice R108 cow that raised featured bull calf, Lot 62.

## Got Docility?

We do! **The animals in this sale average a Docility EPD in the best 25% of the breed!** Good temperament has been a foundation of our herd, and one of the top reasons for repeat customers!



HOOVER ALTERNATIVE X430 – Lot 82



Baldrige Alternative E125  
Sire of Lot 82



Miss Blackcap Ellston J2  
Pictured at 11 years of age  
Grandam of Lot 81-82

# HOVER 82 Bull HOOVER ALTERNATIVE X430

Reg. +20016744

Tattoo: L/R X430

08/18/20

Poss Easy Impact 0119  
BALDRIDGE ALTERNATIVE E125  
Baldrige Blackbird A030

Mogck Bullseye #  
MISS BLACKCAP ELLSTON N58 #  
Miss Blackcap Ellston J2

Poss Total Impact 745 #  
Poss Elmaretta 736  
Hoover Dam #  
Baldrige Blackbird X89  
MOGCK Sure Shot #  
Mogck Mary 1255  
SydGen C C & 7 #  
Miss Blackcap Ellston D154 #

BW	78
ADJ. 205/WR	780/99
ADJ. 365/YR	1244/105
%IMF/RATIO	4.24/130
RE/RATIO	13.4/106
SCROTAL	34.3

CED	BW	WW	YW	RADG	YH	SC	\$W
+9 30%	+1.2	+83 4%	+145 4%	+28 25%	+3	+42	+76 20%
HP	CEM	Milk	Doc	Claw	Angle	\$M	
+12.0	+10	+19	+29 10%	+59	+52	+53	
CW	MB	RE	Fat	\$F	\$B	\$C	
+79 2%	+1.11 10%	+90 15%	+014	+132 1%	+206 1%	+320 2%	
Dam	BWR	VWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters In Herd	
	5-92	5-107	3-103	2-\$7500	2-\$17,125	1-104	

- ★ Retaining 1/3 revenue sharing semen interest.
- ★ X430 is a meaty, masculine bull that has the muscle you would expect out of Alternative and No Doubt's best flush sister! He is wide based, rugged made and has lots of capacity. We recommend him for use on cows.
- ★ X430 has the #1 YW EPD, #1 Marbling EPD, #1 \$Feedlot (\$F), #1 \$Grid (\$G), #1 \$Beef (\$B), and #1 \$Combined Value (\$C) in the fall bull division! His maternal brother, Lot 81, is the only bull in the sale that can beat him on \$Beef!
- ★ To save myself repeating everything I wrote in Lot 81's footnote about dam N58, please read about her in that footnote! She's quite a cow, and Andrew's favorite cow in the herd. Gwen and Ty enjoy riding her!
- ★ Sire Alternative was the \$120,000 top-selling bull of the 2018 Baldrige sale. Alternative's mother, who is sired by Hoover Dam, also produced \$155,000 Baldrige Command C036 and the \$250,000 Baldrige Versatile in the 2021 Baldrige Sale. Alternative has seen usage across the country in some of the breed's most prominent herds. The first 18 sons of Alternative sold for an average of \$11,097 in the 2019 Stevenson Fall Sale!
- ★ Flush sisters to X430 sell as Lots 150-151.



FALL BULLS





**HOOVER KNOW HOW X413 – Lot 85**

**86 Bull**

**HOOVER CHAIRMAN X442**

Reg. 20013550      Tattoo: L/R X442

Fortunes Conquest 224  
**BALDRIDGE CHAIRMAN**  
Baldrige Isabel B061

Bruns Top Cut 373 #  
**QUEENMERE OF ELLSTON P494**  
Queenmere of Ellston J36

Connealy Confidence 0100 #  
Fortunes 4412 Ethelda 742  
G A R Prophet #  
Baldrige Isabel Y69  
Bruns Uppercut 610  
Dakota Miss 669 Baf #  
SydGen C C & 7 #  
Queenmere of Ellston E224

BW	69
ADJ. 205/WR	756/101
ADJ. 365/YR	1186/104
%IMF/RATIO	2.64/87
RE/RATIO	11.9/96
SCROTAL	35.9

CED	BW		WW		YW		RADG		YH		SC		\$W	
+8	-1	25%	+73	15%	+124	20%	+24		+7	30%	+1.07		+85	10%
HP	CEM		Milk		Doc		Claw		Angle		Angle		\$M	
+10.5	+10		+29 25%		+21		+48		+45 30%		+71		25%	
CW	MB		RE		Fat		\$F		\$B		\$C			
+60	20%	+81	25%	+61		+012		+97	25%	+155	25%	+272	20%	
Dam	BWR		WWR		YWR		Sons @ Auction		Daughters @ Auction		Daughters In Herd			
	4-101		4-101		4-102		1-\$3250		1-\$2500		1-100			
Grandam	BWR		WWR		YWR		Sons @ Auction		Daughters @ Auction					
	9-104		9-107		9-104		5-\$5500		None					

- ★ X442 is a bigger framed, growthy, deep ribbed bull. Better yet, he is safe for use on heifers or cows.
- ★ Dam P494's progeny work for Pat Hardy, the 2<sup>nd</sup> top IMF scanning bull of his crop, and James Humble. P494's daughter in the herd produced the feature Lot 85 bull. P494's fertility is strong with her 366 day calving interval.
- ★ P494 was the #1 IMF scanning heifer of her crop with a 6.25 IMF, ratio 147!
- ★ Grandam J36, a beautiful CC&7 cow, is still going strong and raised the Lot 87 bull – please read about her there. These fall bulls are the last set of footnotes I'm writing for the catalog, and I'm WAY behind on the catalog this year, so these fall bull footnotes are going to be rather brief (for me) if you want to have a catalog this year!

**85 Bull**      **HOOVER KNOW HOW X413**  
Reg. 20013541      Tattoo: L/R X413      08/10/20

Hoover No Doubt  
**HOOVER KNOW HOW**  
Blkcp Empress Ellston L265 #

Baldrige 38 Special  
**QUEENMERE OF ELLSTON T429**  
Queenmere of Ellston P494

Mogck Bullseye #  
Miss Blackcap Ellston J2  
SydGen Storm 8504  
Blkcp Empress Ellston J120  
EF Commando 1366 #  
Baldrige Isabel Y69  
Bruns Top Cut 373 #  
Queenmere of Ellston J36

BW	70
ADJ. 205/WR	747/100
ADJ. 365/YR	1152/101
%IMF/RATIO	3.99/132
RE/RATIO	12.8/103
SCROTAL	36.0

CED	BW		WW		YW		RADG		YH		SC		SW	
+4	+2.0		+72	20%	+135	10%	+32	5%	+5		+1.32	20%	+61	
HP	CEM		Milk		Doc		Claw		Angle				\$M	
+15.8	15%	+13	10%	+18	+11		+41		15%	+42	20%	+66		
CW	MB		RE		Fat		SF		SB		SC			
+64	15%	+95	15%	+74	30%	+042		+126		2%	+189	3%	+311	3%
Dam	BWR		WWR		YWR		Sons @ Auction		Daughters @ Auction		Daughters In Herd			
	1-108		1-100		1-101		None		None		None			
Grandam	BWR		WWR		YWR		Sons @ Auction		Daughters @ Auction					
	4-101		4-101		4-102		1-\$3250		1-\$2500					

- ★ Retaining 1/3 revenue sharing semen interest.
- ★ X413 is a masculine bull that has lots of muscle, a big quarter, is thick made, and a little more moderate in his frame size. He is slick haired and has a tight sheath. We recommend him for use on cows.
- ★ X413 has the second highest CEM EPD in the fall bull division, indicating excellent calving ease in his daughters when they deliver their first calf.
- ★ X413 has nice carcass qualities and top carcass EPDs. He was the 4<sup>th</sup> top IMF scanning bull of his crop. He also has one of the top \$F and \$B values in the fall bull division, indicating his progeny will be profitable to feed out and sell on a grade and yield grid.
- ★ Dam T429 was a first calf heifer with X413. She is a nice uddered cow.
- ★ Please read about her dam, P494, in the footnote of Lot 86.

## Randy Blach Shares Positive Market Outlook for 2022

An increasing demand for beef coupled with a tighter cattle supply is leading to better balance within the industry, which should result in higher prices for the cow-calf, stocker/feeder and fed cattle segments, CattleFax Chief Executive Officer Randy Blach told those in attendance at last week's KLA Convention in Wichita. During his presentation, Blach predicted calf prices will average on top of \$200/cwt. in 2022, while feeder prices will average from \$165/cwt. to \$175/cwt. for the year, with a range of \$155/cwt. to \$185/cwt.

"For those of you in the cow-calf business, I know it's your time for a payday and it's coming. We see calf prices getting back up to the mid \$250s over the next two to three years in the cycle."

*Excerpts from a Kansas Livestock Association news release on December 7, 2021*

**87 Bull**      **HOOVER SPECIAL EDITION X466**  
Reg. 20013558      Tattoo: L/R X466      08/27/20

Baldrige 38 Special  
**HOOVER SPECIAL EDITION S454**  
Edella of Ellston N473 #

SydGen C C & 7 #  
**QUEENMERE OF ELLSTON J36**  
Queenmere of Ellston E224

EF Commando 1366 #  
Baldrige Isabel Y69  
Connealy Direct Deposit #  
Edella of Ellston K264  
S A F Connection #  
SydGen Forever Lady 4087  
S A Neutron 377 #  
Queenmere Thymac B140

BW	80
ADJ. 205/WR	819/109
ADJ. 365/YR	1201/105
%IMF/RATIO	3.45/114
RE/RATIO	12.2/98
SCROTAL	36.8

CED	BW	WW	YW	RADG	YH	SC	\$W
+0	+2.2	+66	30%	+109	+20	+5	+1.26 25% +66
HP	CEM	Milk	Doc	Claw	Angle	\$M	
+12.0	+2	+22	+18	+51	+51	+62	
CW	MB	RE	Fat	\$F	\$B	\$C	
+50	+87	20%	+73	30%	+035	+89	+149 30% +255
Dam	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters In Herd	
	9-104	9-107	9-104	5-\$5500	None	2-101	

- ★ X466 is a really long bodied, clean fronted bull that gets his style and clean front from his dam. He is attractively made, just like her!
- ★ X466 was the 7<sup>th</sup> top weaning weight bull of his crop. This growthy bull is recommended for use on cows.
- ★ J36, her daughter, and her granddaughter all have bulls selling today – Lots 85-87. It's pretty neat to have three generations of cows still in production together raising nice bulls!
- ★ J36 has raised numerous top weaning weight calves, and her 5 sons work for Scott Renaud, Mark Ruen, James Humble, Jerry Findley, and BJ Thompson. The only two daughters she has had were both retained in the herd.
- ★ J36 is one of my favorite fall calving cows – she is such a classic CC&7 cow – beautiful phenotype and udder, easy going, and brings in a good calf every year.



**HOOVER ENTICE X456 – Lot 88**

## HOOVER SPECIAL EDITION X517

Reg. 20013566

Tattoo: L/R X517

10/25/20

Baldrige 38 Special  
**HOOVER SPECIAL EDITION S454**  
Edella of Ellston N473 #

Hoover Dam #  
**BLUEBLOOD LADY ELLSTON R61**  
Blueblood Lady Ellston M30 #

EF Commando 1366 #  
Baldrige Isabel Y69  
Connealy Direct Deposit #  
Edella of Ellston K264  
SydGen C C & 7 #  
Erica of Ellston C124 #  
Connealy Counselor #  
Blueblood Lady Ellston B305 #

BW	78
ADJ. 205/WR	744/99
ADJ. 365/YR	1149/100
%IMF/RATIO	2.60/86
RE/RATIO	13.0/105
SCROTAL	35.5

CED	BW	WW	YW	RADG	YH	SC	\$W		
-1	+1.7	+73	15%	+120	25%	+23	+5	+68	+65
HP	CEM	Milk	Doc	Claw	Angle	\$M			
+13.4	+2	+14	+7	+44	25%	+60	+59		
CW	MB	RE	Fat	\$F	\$B	\$C			
+49	+62	+97	10%	+002	+93	+147	+250		
Dam	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters In Herd			
	2-103	2-97	1-100	None	None	None			

- ★ X517 is a little bit more moderate framed, but do remember he is the youngest bull of the group. He is recommended for use on cows.
- ★ Dam R61 has a set of twins not included in her ratios by the AAA. One of these twins is raising her first calf now, and she is a pretty first calf heifer!
- ★ R61 is a 17<sup>th</sup> generation Blueblood Lady Ellston cow to be raised right here in Southern Iowa by four generations of the Hoover family. Three of the next four cows off X517's pedigree down the dam's side have earned Pathfinder status. This has been an exceptional cow family over the years. They are the kind that you expect them to bring in a whopping good calf every single year!
- ★ Nine Pathfinders are found in X517's three generation pedigree. If you want to retain replacement daughters, give him a look – with the cow power on both the top and bottom sides of his pedigree, I don't see how you can go wrong!

## HOOVER COUNSELOR X478

Reg. 20013560

Tattoo: L/R X478

09/02/20

Connealy Counselor #  
**HOOVER COUNSELOR N29**  
Erica of Ellston G366 #

Connealy Impact #  
**MISS ERICA ELLSTON R488**  
Miss Erica Ellston M446

Connealy Mentor 7374 #  
Jaze of Conanga 234  
SydGen C C & 7 #  
Erica of Ellston D184  
Connealy Impression #  
Elza of Conanga 8265 #  
Hoover Dam #  
Miss Erica Ellston E298 #

BW	73
ADJ. 205/WR	735/98
ADJ. 365/YR	1127/98
%IMF/RATIO	3.63/120
RE/RATIO	13.1/106
SCROTAL	34.9

CED	BW		WW		YW	RADG		YH	SC		SW	
+8	-4		20%		+60	+112		+25		+7	30%	
HP		CEM		Milk		Doc		Claw		Angle		\$M
+18.7	2%		+10	+34		10%		+15	+53		+58	
CW		MB		RE		Fat		\$F		\$B		\$C
+49		+81		25%		+1.03		5%		+018		+97
								25%		+159		20%
										+275		15%
Dam	BWR		WWR		YWR		Sons @ Auction		Daughters @ Auction		Daughters In Herd	
	3-104		3-100		3-101		1-\$3000		1-\$3600		None	

- ★ X478 is a deep sided bull that should make nice, productive daughters. He has a small head and bone appropriate for calving ease. He is recommended for heifers or cows.
- ★ X478 had a nice ultrasound scan and was the 5<sup>th</sup> top IMF scanning bull. He has the #1 Ribeye EPD and #1 Heifer Pregnancy (HP) EPD in the fall bull division.
- ★ Dam R488 has an amazing 347 day calving interval! Her son works for Scott Davidson, and her daughter for Elliott Terrell in Tennessee. Elliott sends good reports about his young cow!
- ★ Nine Pathfinders are found in X478's three generation pedigree! Pathfinders are cows identified by the American Angus Association as superior cows for their initial early calving, superior wean ratios on progeny, and a calving interval near 365 days.
- ★ Sixth generation dam, Miss Erica Ellston N46, has given rise to an outstanding cow family. Seventeen daughter descendants have stemmed from N46, nine of which earned Pathfinder honors. N46 and these 17 daughters have weaned a total of 114 progeny at 104 wean ratio!

### Combined \$Value (\$C)

This relatively new index provided by the American Angus Association attempts to characterize cattle by combining maternal (\$M) and terminal traits (\$B) into one index. \$C is heavily weighted towards the "terminal" traits found in \$B, and \$C has a .95 correlation to \$B.

As a review of \$B, this is a terminal index, comprising of the traits YW, DMI (Dry Matter Intake), Marbling, CW (Carcass Weight), RE (Ribeye), and Fat. \$B is designed for herds that send all of their calves (male and female) to the feedyard, retain ownership, and hang them on a quality-based carcass-merit grid.

## HOOVER ENTICE X456

Reg. 20013554

Tattoo: L/R X456

08/25/20

SydGen Enhance  
**MOGCK ENTICE**  
MOGCK Erica 2255 #

Hoover Inspiration  
**MISS ERICA ELLSTON N250**  
Miss Erica Ellston B297

SydGen Exceed 3223  
SydGen Rita 2618  
Mogck Sure Shot 253  
MOGCK Erica 2162  
SydGen C C & 7 #  
Lady Ida of Ellston C164 #  
H&K Neutron T137  
Miss Erica Ellston T215 #

BW	78
ADJ. 205/WR	833/111
ADJ. 365/YR	1279/112
%IMF/RATIO	2.13/70
RE/RATIO	14.1/114
SCROTAL	38.5

CED	BW		WW		YW		RADG		YH		SC		\$W	
+1	+4.0		+79	10%	+139	10%	+29	20%	+1.2	3%	+1.88	4%	+78	15%
HP	CEM		Milk		Doc		Claw		Angle		SM			
+12.0	+4		+35	5%	+35	1%	+38	10%	+44	25%	+54			
CW	MB		RE		Fat		\$F		\$B		\$C			
+76	3%	+50	+99	10%	-037	4%	+121	3%	+173	10%	+278	15%		
Dam	BWR	WWR	YWR		Sons @ Auction		Daughters @ Auction		Daughters In Herd					
	5-95	5-104	5-104		None		1-\$2900		2-104					

- ★ Retaining 1/3 revenue sharing semen interest.
- ★ X456 is a big, stout bull that has a little more bone. He is meaty and thick, I really like him! His laid-back attitude makes him the complete package.
- ★ X456 was the 4<sup>th</sup> top weaning weight, 2<sup>nd</sup> top yearling weight, 2<sup>nd</sup> top ribeye scanning bull of his crop! We recommend him for use on cows.
- ★ X456 ties with the top Milk EPD in the fall bull division and the 2<sup>nd</sup> highest Docility EPD! X456 has the 2<sup>nd</sup> largest Scrotal EPD in the fall bull division!
- ★ Dam N250 is a tank! She's a big gal, but has tons of body to go along with her added frame. Two excellent daughters work in the herd, and her third daughter was a photo feature in our sale last year selling to Jeremy Loving.
- ★ N250 was high performing herself: WW 747 lbs., WR 110, YW 1134 lbs., YR 111.
- ★ Grandam B297 was also a super deep-sided, broody cow. She ended her career with 14 progeny at a perfect 365 day calving interval! She brought an unprecedented 4 photo feature sons to auction, and averaged \$5500 on her 6 sons – an impressive figure for a cow who would be 19 years old if still living!
- ★ I could talk more about the great cows that were 3<sup>rd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> generation in this pedigree, but I've got to have catalog layout done tomorrow, and I'm still writing footnotes! Where has the time gone this fall/winter?!!



Ryan Stortenbecker, son of long-time repeat customer LeRoy Stortenbecker, showed the Champion Rate of Gain Steer at the 2021 Mills County Fair with his Hoover-sired steer that gained 4.26 pounds per day!



**FALL BULLS**





**HOOVER ENTICE X447 – Lot 91**



**Erica of Ellston T450**  
Dam of Lot 92  
Udder at 2 years of age



## HOOVER INCREDIBLE X483

Reg. 20013561 Tattoo: L/R X483 09/05/20

Panther Cr Incredible 6704  
**JAR INCREDIBLE 6104 808**  
Jar Erica 6104

Musgrave Invision  
Panther Cr JH Blackbird 409  
TC Total 410 #  
JAR Ava Lee 048 3202  
EF Commando 1366 #  
Baldrige Isabel Y69  
Hoover Headliner J32  
Erica of Ellston E250 #

BW	59
ADJ. 205/WR	716/95
ADJ. 365/YR	1095/95
%IMF/RATIO	2.34/77
RE/RATIO	11.0/89
SCROTAL	32.9

Baldrige 38 Special  
**ERICA OF ELLSTON T450**  
Erica of Ellston M45

CED	BW		WW	YW	RADG		YH	SC	\$W	
+12	10%	-2.4	2%	+55	+98	+24	+4	+78	+65	
HP	CEM		Milk	Doc		Claw	Angle		\$M	
+16.1	10%	+8	+25	+22	30%	+43	20%	+51	+81	10%
CW	MB		RE	Fat		\$F	\$B	\$C		
+34	+67		+28	+030		+81	+126	+244		
Dam	BWR		WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction		Daughters @ Auction		Daughters In Herd	
	1-93		1-95	1-95	None		None		None	
Grandam	BWR		WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction		Daughters @ Auction			
	6-100		6-100	5-101	2-\$6500		1-\$2250			

- ★ X483 is a long bodied bull with nice bone. He has the lowest BW EPD of any animal selling and one of the top CED EPDs! He is certainly suitable for use on heifers if you like.
- ★ Dam T450 was a first calf heifer with X483. She is an exceptional uddered young cow, and moved up in time with her second calf born this fall.
- ★ T450 was the #1 IMF scanning heifer of her crop!
- ★ Grandam M45 is a good cow whose progeny work for Pat Hardy, Steve Archer, and Randy McDonnell. Two of her daughters work in the herd.
- ★ Great grandam E250 was an extremely successful cow and served as a donor. Two of her daughters were the #1 IMF scanning females of their crop, and one son was #1!
- ★ E250 produced the lead-off, top-selling open heifer in our 2016 auction at \$10,750 to the Mickey family in Illinois. Others that have E250 progeny include: Eddie LaBoube, Freddie Jones, Taylor Ridge, LeRoy Stortenbecker, Henry Langstraat, Mark Groth, and Jerry Ebert.
- ★ You'll note the Erica cow family here – X483's fourth generation dam is B235 – who is also the grandam of the great G366 cow that many of our featured lots descend from today.



## HOOVER COWBOY LOGIC X457

Reg. 20013555 Tattoo: L/R X457 08/25/20

HA Cowboy Up 5405  
**FREYS COWBOY LOGIC**  
F A R Princess 148Z

HA Outside 3008  
HA Blackcap Lady 1602 #  
WK Bobcat #  
F A R Princess 214X #  
Connealy Consensus #  
Gespa of Conanga 9380  
Hoover Dam #  
Miss Blackcap Ellston G417

BW	72
ADJ. 205/WR	823/110
ADJ. 365/YR	1210/106
%IMF/RATIO	2.24/74
RE/RATIO	13.1/106
SCROTAL	35.0

Connealy Commander  
**MISS BLACKCAP ELLSTON S460**  
Miss Blackcap Ellston J421 #

CED	BW	WW	YW	RADG	YH	SC	\$W
+8	+7	+71 20%	+124 20%	+24	+5	+51	+69 30%
HP	CEM	Milk	Doc	Claw	Angle	\$M	
+13.2	+5	+22	+12	+45 30%	+41 15%	+56	
CW	MB	RE	Fat	\$F	\$B	\$C	
+46	+20	+71	+011	+83	+115	+205	
Dam	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters In Herd	
	2-114	2-110	2-108	None	None	None	
Grandam	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction		
	9-100	9-99	6-104	1-\$8500	3-\$5175		

- ★ X457 is a square made, long bodied bull. He is recommended for large framed heifers or cows.
- ★ X457 was the 6<sup>th</sup> top weaning weight, tie for 5<sup>th</sup> top yearling weight bull of his crop!
- ★ Dam S460 is young, but already doing a knockout job! She ties as the 11<sup>th</sup> top indexing cow of the herd and the 11<sup>th</sup> top ribeye ratio cow of the herd!
- ★ S460's first daughter in the herd is raising her first calf now.
- ★ Pathfinder grandam J421 has raised several top weaning weight calves of their respective crops, and her progeny work for Kyle VanHoweling, Beck Angus Farm, Felix Mills, and Jeff Anderson. Three of these were photo features in our past sales.
- ★ Please read about great grandam G417, and her dam, C446, in the footnote of feature bull, Lot 91.



## HOOVER ENTICE X447

Reg. 20013551 Tattoo: L/R X447 08/21/20

SydGen Enhance  
**MOGCK ENTICE**  
MOGCK Erica 2255 #

SydGen C C & 7 #  
**MISS BLACKCAP ELLSTON P481 #**  
Miss Blackcap Ellston G417

SydGen Exceed 3223  
SydGen Rita 2618  
Mogck Sure Shot 253  
MOGCK Erica 2162  
S A F Connection #  
SydGen Forever Lady 4087  
TC Friction 5130 #  
Miss Blackcap Ellston C446 #

BW	72
ADJ. 205/WR	815/109
ADJ. 365/YR	1210/106
%IMF/RATIO	2.80/92
RE/RATIO	13.4/108
SCROTAL	39.4

CED	BW		WW		YW		RADG		YH		SC		\$W	
+7	+8		+64		+116		+29 20%		+7 30%		+1.45 15%		+76 20%	
HP	CEM		Milk		Doc		Claw		Angle		SM			
+13.5	30%	+3	+35 5%		+36 1%		+35 4%		+43 25%		+69 30%			
CW	MB		RE		Fat		\$F		\$B		\$C			
+57	25%	+76	30%	+91	15%	-048	2%	+107	15%	+171	10%	+291	10%	
Dam	BWR		WWR		YWR		Sons @ Auction		Daughters @ Auction		Daughters In Herd			
	4-100		4-106		4-105		2-\$400		1-\$3250		None			

- ★ Retaining 1/3 revenue sharing semen interest.
- ★ X447 is a good bull that offers more length of body and a big scrotal. He is a meaty bull and super slick haired which of course is good for working on fescue. X447 is recommended for large framed heifers or cows.
- ★ X447 was the 9<sup>th</sup> top weaning weight, 5<sup>th</sup> top yearling weight, 4<sup>th</sup> top ribeye scanning bull of his crop!
- ★ X447 ties as the top Milk EPD in the fall bull division and has the top Docility EPD! He is a very gentle bull, as we would certainly expect from his pedigree, as Entice and CC&7 have some of the best disposition progeny in the country.
- ★ Dam P481 is a highly productive cow and has a 367 day calving interval. Her sons work for Doug Gross and Jason Sieren, both repeat customers that have an eye for the good ones! Doug and Jason both come to the farm ahead of the sale to evaluate the bulls, and we highly encourage this! It's our goal that our customers select the best bull(s) for their needs. Everyone's needs are slightly different, and we'll sure help if you need help narrowing down the choices. I know this catalog is big and has lots of information, so let us help you zero in on bulls that can best meet your needs!
- ★ P481's daughter was one of the top weaning and yearling weight calves of her crop and works for repeat customer Dustin Enabnit.
- ★ Grandam G417 served as a working donor and achieved the amazing feat of *three* of her daughters (by three different sires) earning the Pathfinder honor. This is extremely rare!
- ★ Pathfinder great grandam C446 worked in the herd until 15 years of age, and the only reason she was culled at that time was because of a lump on her chin – otherwise her structure and udder were every bit as good as a cow half her age! The calf she raised at 15 years old weaned at 783 pounds! This is the type of cow America needs!
- ★ Four of C446's sons to come to auction were photo features, and a total of 6 sons averaged \$6525.

**FALL BULLS**

**HOOVER**  
Angus



**HOOVER ENTICE X410 – Lot 94**



**Erica of Ellston L5**  
Great Grandam of Lot 95

**HOVER 95 Bull HOOVER COWBOY LOGIC X422**  
Reg. 20013544 Tattoo: L/R X422 08/16/20

HA Cowboy Up 5405  
**FREYS COWBOY LOGIC**  
F A R Princess 148Z

HA Outside 3008  
HA Blackcap Lady 1602 #  
WK Bobcat #  
F A R Princess 214X #  
EF Commando 1366 #  
Baldrige Isabel Y69  
Bruns Top Cut 373 #  
Erica of Ellston L5

BW	68
ADJ. 205/WR	807/108
ADJ. 365/YR	1177/103
%IMF/RATIO	3.24/107
RE/RATIO	13.1/106
SCROTAL	37.2

Baldrige 38 Special  
**ERICA OF ELLSTON T462**  
Erica of Ellston P445

CED		BW		WW		YW		RADG		YH		SC		\$W		
+9	30%	+2.0		+70	20%	+120	25%	+22		+6		+1.60	10%	+74	20%	
HP		CEM		Milk		Doc		Claw		Angle				\$M		
+12.8		+10		+25		+21		+29		1%		+41		15% +89 3%		
CW		MB		RE		Fat		\$F		\$B		\$C				
+48		+4.7		+4.3		+0.29		+85		+123		+249				
Dam	BWR		WWR		YWR		Sons @ Auction		Daughters @ Auction		Daughters In Herd					
	1-106		1-108		1-103		None		None		None					
Grandam	BWR		WWR		YWR		Sons @ Auction		Daughters @ Auction		Daughters In Herd					
	3-104		3-100		2-104		1-\$3750		None		None					

- ★ X422 is a long bodied, wide based, bigger boned bull. He is suggested for large framed, well-developed heifers or cows.
- ★ Dam T461 was one of my favorite heifers of her crop, and was a first calf heifer with X422.
- ★ Grandam P445 served as a working donor for us, and her first ET calves will be born this spring at Hoover Angus. Her natural son works for repeat customer Jerry Findley.
- ★ P445 was from the tremendous flush of Top Cut progeny from L5. P445's flush brothers included the \$33,000 Hoover Top Notch P409 selling to Select Sires, Baldrige Performance Angus, and Ray Sikes and the \$24,000 and Hoover Cut Above P427 selling to Accelerated Genetics and Hart Farms. Other bulls from this flush were selected by Jarrod Kirk, Lyle Olson, and Travis McGee. These 5 flush brothers averaged \$23,800!
- ★ Please refer to Lot 1 to read-up on phenomenal great grandam L5.

**HOVER 96 Bull HOOVER COWBOY LOGIC X450**  
Reg. 20013552 Tattoo: L/R X450 08/24/20

HA Cowboy Up 5405  
**FREYS COWBOY LOGIC**  
F A R Princess 148Z

HA Outside 3008  
HA Blackcap Lady 1602 #  
WK Bobcat #  
F A R Princess 214X #  
Mogck Bullseye #  
Miss Blackcap Ellston J2  
H&K Neutron 377 B2  
Miss Erica Ellston B320 #

BW	63
ADJ. 205/WR	735/98
ADJ. 365/YR	1097/96
%IMF/RATIO	3.09/102
RE/RATIO	11.7/94
SCROTAL	36.5

Hoover No Doubt  
**MISS ERICA ELLSTON R63**  
Miss Erica Ellston E138

CED	BW		WW		YW	RADG		YH	SC		\$W		
+9	30%	+1.3	+66	30%	+115	+22		+5	+1.67	10%	+68		
HP	CEM		Milk		Doc		Claw		Angle		\$M		
+8.7	+15		2%	+22	+19		+44		25%	+44	25%	+69	30%
CW	MB		RE		Fat		\$F		\$B		\$C		
+44	+38		+42		+034		+83		+118		+222		
Dam	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction		Daughters @ Auction		Daughters In Herd					
	3-97	3-97	3-98	None		1-\$5000		None					

- ★ X450 is a level topped, deep bodied bull with a leg on all four corners.
- ★ X450 has the highest CEM EPD in the fall bull division, indicating excellent calving ease in his daughters when they deliver their first calf. X450 is recommended for heifers or cows.
- ★ Dam R63 is a classic No Doubt daughter. Her first daughter works for Lyle Olson, her second daughter is going into our replacement herd.
- ★ R63's progeny have been high IMF calves, and R63 serves as the herd's 7<sup>th</sup> top IMF ratio cow with 2-163 IMF ratio!
- ★ Grandam E138 was a great 'ole cow that had a 361 day calving interval on her 11 progeny. Three of her daughters work in the Hoover herd. She was a really gentle female also.
- ★ I can remember the next four generations of cows down X450's dam's side, and they were all excellent cows! Good uddered, productive cows that helped the Hoover family live off the land and cattle for the past 94 years!



**Erica of Ellston S19**  
Dam of Lot 94  
Udder at 3 years of age

**HOVER 94 Bull HOOVER ENTICE X410**  
Reg. 20013539 Tattoo: L/R X410 08/10/20

SydGen Enhance  
**MOGCK ENTICE**  
MOGCK Erica 2255 #

Baldrige 38 Special  
**ERICA OF ELLSTON S19**  
Erica of Ellston M2

SydGen Exceed 3223  
SydGen Rita 2618  
Mogck Sure Shot 253  
MOGCK Erica 2162  
EF Commando 1366 #  
Baldrige Isabel Y69  
Basin Excitement #  
Erica of Ellston G216 #

BW	69
ADJ. 205/WR	752/100
ADJ. 365/YR	1195/104
%IMF/RATIO	4.42/146
RE/RATIO	13.2/106
SCROTAL	35.2

CED	BW		WW		YW		RADG		YH		SC		\$W		
+4	+2.1		+78		10%		+134		10%		+26		+1.0 10%		
HP		CEM		Milk		Doc		Claw		Angle		SM			
+16.3		10%		+2		+26		+28		10%		+38		10%	
CW		MB		RE		Fat		\$F		\$B		SC			
+57		25%		+91		20%		+73		30%		+0.08		+96	
		30%		+160		20%		+289		10%					
Dam	BWR		WWR		YWR		Sons @ Auction		Daughters @ Auction		Daughters In Herd				
	1-100		1-100		1-104		None		None		None				
Grandam	BWR		WWR		YWR		Sons @ Auction		Daughters @ Auction						
	6-93		6-98		6-101		1-\$7750		2-\$4050						

- ★ Retaining 1/3 revenue sharing semen interest.
- ★ X410 is a wide based, smooth made, nice fronted, powerful bull. He's bigger framed, stout, and one of my favorites! He has a good disposition. He is likely best suited for use on cows.
- ★ X410 was the #1 IMF scanning bull of his crop, and had a nice ribeye too. If you feed out your steers and retain replacement daughters, consider this bull!
- ★ Dam S19 has a beautiful udder, as does her dam.
- ★ Grandam M2's first daughter works in the herd and has achieved Pathfinder honors with a 357 day calving interval.
- ★ M2's two bull calves have averaged an 824 pound weaning weight, the first of which works for repeat customer Jeff Bellamy. M2's daughters work for Andy Huffington and Keith Borer. Keith was a first-time Hoover customer this year, and had this report about the three heifers he bought from us, "Calves look good, we are happy with the disposition of the heifers and calving as well."
- ★ M2 is certainly a low birth weight, easy-calving cow that has a 366 day calving interval on her calves.
- ★ Great grandam G216 produced the \$26,000 Hoover Quintain! Quintain was the #1 weaning weight bull calf of his crop and the 3<sup>rd</sup> top selling bull of our sale. Several other G216 progeny were among the very top of the crop for weaning weights.
- ★ G216 is a full brother to the Hoover Home Run bull who had a tenure at ORigen.





**HOOVER CHAIRMAN X423 – Lot 97**



**Elbamere Queen Ellston N431**  
Pathfinder Hoover Donor  
Dam of Lot 97

## 99 HOOVER CHAIRMAN X423

Reg. 20013545

Tattoo: L/R X423

08/17/20

Fortunes Conquest 224  
**BALDRIDGE CHAIRMAN**  
Baldrige Isabel B061

Basin Excitement #  
**ELBAMERE QUEEN ELLSTON N431 #**  
Elbamere Queen Ellston G461

Connealy Confidence 0100 #  
Fortunes 4412 Ethelda 742  
G A R Prophet #  
Baldrige Isabel Y69  
Basin Expedition R156  
Basin Lady S532 AK  
SylGen C C & 7 #  
Elbamere Queen Ellston D507 #

BW	78
ADJ. 205/WR	726/97
ADJ. 365/YR	1126/98
%IMF/RATIO	2.88/95
RE/RATIO	13.2/106
SCROTAL	36.2

CED	BW		WW		YW		RADG		YH		SC		\$W	
+9	30%	-3	20%	+56	+99		+20		+3		+54		+73	25%
HP	CEM			Milk			Doc		Claw		Angle		\$M	
+17.0	5%	+11	25%	+33	10%	+29	10%	+39	10%	+41	15%	+97	1%	
CW	MB			RE			Fat		\$F		\$B		\$C	
+38	+84		25%	+65		+048		+77		+133		+270		20%
Dam	BWR		WWR		YWR		Sons @ Auction		Daughters @ Auction		Daughters In Herd			
	5-111		5-108		4-107		1-\$6500		None		1-91			
Grandam	BWR			WWR			YWR		Sons @ Auction		Daughters @ Auction			
	10-103			10-106			10-104		3-\$6425		3-\$2400			

- ★ X423 is a deep bodied, good quartered bull with a small head to aid in calving ease. He is one of the nicest bulls in the pen! Use him safely on heifers or cows.
- ★ X423 has one of the top \$Maternal Values of all the bulls selling today, and I would agree! His cow family has done a tremendous job for us! If you want to retain exceptional replacement daughters, put X423 at the top of your list!
- ★ Pathfinder dam N431 is a working donor. She is a beautiful, slick haired, superior udder cow. Her only daughter was the #1 weaning weight, #1 yearling weight heifer of her crop. This was her *third* calf that was the #1 weaning or yearling weight calf of their respective crop!
- ★ Repeat customer Jared Richman selected N431's son that weaned at 894 pounds.
- ★ Grandam G461 is still going strong at 13 years of age! G461 is one of the most sound, beautiful 13 year-olds to be found! Her udder and teat size is still exceptional. She has a 362 day calving interval!
- ★ Numerous G461 progeny have been at the top of their crop for weaning and yearling weight.
- ★ The next cows down the dam's side of this pedigree are all cows I remember as being exceptional cows: D507 (a Pathfinder), B456, P22, and L913. The L913 cow has 13 Pathfinder cows that have stemmed from her, as well as a total of 43 cows that have served in the Hoover herd! What a great cow family this has been through the generations!

## 98 HOOVER SPECIAL EDITION X493

Reg. 20013563

Tattoo: L/R X493

09/17/20

Baldrige 38 Special  
**HOOVER SPECIAL EDITION S454**  
Edella of Ellston N473 #

Bruns Top Cut 373 #  
**ELLSTON PRIDE P400**  
Ellston Pride H431 #

EF Commando 1366 #  
Baldrige Isabel Y69  
Connealy Direct Deposit #  
Edella of Ellston K264  
Bruns Uppercut 610  
Dakota Miss 669 Baf #  
SylGen C C & 7 #  
Ellston Pride C410

BW	65
ADJ. 205/WR	744/99
ADJ. 365/YR	1110/97
%IMF/RATIO	3.01/99
RE/RATIO	12.7/102
SCROTAL	33.3

CED	BW		WW		YW	RADG		YH	SC	\$W	
+10	20%	-1.5	10%	+55	+105		+21		+4	+59	+75 20%
HP	CEM			Milk	Doc	Claw		Angle	SM		
+17.5	4%	+5		+35	5%	+9	+55		+51	+81	10%
CW	MB			RE	Fat	\$F		\$B	\$C		
+37	+63			+51	+030		+78		+125	+243	
Dam	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction		Daughters @ Auction		Daughters In Herd			
	4-99	4-102	4-101	None		2-\$9625		1-94			

- ★ X493 is a long bodied bull with a nice, long stride. He's clean fronted and square made. He is an excellent choice to use on heifers if you like.
- ★ X493 has the 2<sup>nd</sup> lowest BW EPD and ties as the top Milk EPD in the fall bull division.
- ★ Dam P400's daughter was selected as the "Pick of the fall 2019 heifers" in our 2020 mini online sale by Riverbend Ranch. She was a really pretty heifer!
- ★ P400's other daughters work for repeat customer Jeff Graham and ourselves. P400 sure puts some eye appeal in her progeny.
- ★ Pathfinder grandam H431 had a highly successful career with repeat customers Jeff Graham, Steve & Tricia Kralik, Todd Creason, and Jason Stoll taking her progeny home with them. Three of her daughters work in the Hoover herd.

## 99 HOOVER ENTICE X467

Reg. +20018326

Tattoo: L/R X467

08/27/20

SylGen Enhance  
**MOGCK ENTICE**  
MOGCK Erica 2255 #

Roth Famous 1006 #  
**QUEEN OF ELLSTON C50 #**  
Hawley West Girl 227

SylGen Exceed 3223  
SylGen Rita 2618  
Mogck Sure Shot 253  
MOGCK Erica 2162  
Famous 7001 #  
Roth Formera 9199  
Great Western of Verola 478  
Lickings Eldorado 371 806

BW	75
ADJ. 205/WR	792/101
ADJ. 365/YR	1192/101
%IMF/RATIO	2.56/78
RE/RATIO	14.2/112
SCROTAL	35.6

CED	BW		WW		YW		RADG		YH		SC		\$W											
-3	+4.2		+77		10%		+133		15%		+26		+1.4		1%		+151		15%		+76		20%	
HP	CEM		Milk		Doc		Claw		Angle		SM													
+13.0	+1		+31		15%		+34		1%		+32		2%		+45		30%		+72		25%			
CW	MB		RE		Fat		SF		SB		SC													
+72	5%		+35		+86		15%		-005		30%		+117		5%		+159		20%		+278		15%	
Dam	BWR		WWR		YWR		Sons @ Auction		Daughters @ Auction		Daughters In Herd													
	14-100		14-106		11-103		23-\$6875		5-\$6550		7-105													

- ★ X467 is a long, stretchy bull with a bigger frame. This growthy bull is recommended for use on cows.
- ★ X467 offers one of the top Docility EPDs in the sale today!
- ★ X467 is a maternal brother to Hoover 44 Mag, the 6<sup>th</sup> top-selling bull of our 2019 auction to Alta Genetics and Diamond J Angus Ranch for \$24,000! Stephanie Hatzenbuehler recently reported, "44 Mag sired my heaviest bull calf and second heaviest heifer calf this year".
- ★ Pathfinder donor dam C50 is regarded as the 2<sup>nd</sup> best cow ever in production at Hoover Angus! She also has the 2<sup>nd</sup> most registered progeny of any Hoover-owned cow at 56 (second only to Hoover Dam's dam).
- ★ At just a couple short months away from 17 years of age, we laid C50 to rest north of our bull barn, next to the other greats like CC&7, Gridiron, Bullseye, and G366.
- ★ Prior to holding C50 out of production for one year to flush her, she had a 363 day calving interval on her 13 natural progeny, which included stealing flushes in 6 different years. C50 weaned her 14<sup>th</sup> natural calf at over 16 years of age!
- ★ C50 was a superior uddered cow even at her age, and offered foot and structure quality rarely found. Her progeny work in 7 states and Canada. Eleven of her progeny have been photo features and 5 have topped the \$10,000 mark – for a 2004 model cow, that is excellent! Her 28 total progeny to come to auction averaged \$6825.
- ★ C50 has an amazing *three* Pathfinder daughters, one of which has grossed over \$100,000 in registered progeny sales and produced the \$26,000 lead-off bull in the 2019 Hoover sale to Mohnen Angus.
- ★ One C50 daughter raised the #1 adjusted weaning weight, #1 adjusted yearling weight bull of the 2019 Hoover crop and sold to Alta Genetics. C50 has a total of 8 active daughters in the Hoover herd, 7 of which have weaned progeny averaging an incredible 105 WR!
- ★ C50 had exceptional performance herself – WW 765 lbs., WR 115, YW 1050 lbs., YR 109. She scanned a whopping 13.2" ribeye to ratio 112. She was the 6<sup>th</sup> top adjusted weaning weight heifer of her crop.
- ★ Descendants of C50 in the yearling bull division include Lots 47-52. See pictures of C50 and her relatives on pages 21-23. Feature bred heifer, Lot 133, is a direct C50 daughter – she is beautiful!

**FALL BULLS**

**HOOVER**  
Angus

**HOOVER COWBOY LOGIC X441**

Reg. 20013549

Tattoo: L/R X441

08/21/20

HA Cowboy Up 5405  
**FREYS COWBOY LOGIC**  
 F A R Princess 148Z

Connealy Commander  
**BLKCP EMPRESS ELLSTON R408**  
 Blackcap Empress Ellston J54

HA Outside 3008  
 HA Blackcap Lady 1602 #  
 WK Bobcat #  
 F A R Princess 214X #  
 Connealy Consensus #  
 Gespa of Conanga 9380  
 TC Friction 5130 #  
 Blkcp Empress Ellston C344 #

BW	72
ADJ. 205/WR	814/109
ADJ. 365/YR	1206/105
%IMF/RATIO	2.79/92
RE/RATIO	11.8/95
SCROTAL	35.1

CED	BW	WW	YW	RADG	YH	SC	\$W
+10 20%	+2 30%	+68 25%	+119 30%	+22	+7 30%	+64	+78 15%
HP	CEM	Milk	Doc	Claw	Angle	\$M	
+12.0	+7	+29 25%	+15	+46	+43 25%	+67	
CW	MB	RE	Fat	\$F	\$B	\$C	
+34	+39	+57	+011	+68	+106	+204	
Dam	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters In Herd	
	3-100	3-108	2-107	1-\$5250	None	None	

- ★ X441 is a nice, attractive profiling bull with a good quarter. X441 was the 10<sup>th</sup> top weaning weight bull of his crop! He has a little different pedigree for many of our repeat customers. X441 can be used on heifers or cows.
- ★ Dam R408 a good cow going strong with a 364 day calving interval. Her first son was the 4<sup>th</sup> top weaning weight bull of his crop and selected by repeat customer Mark Lents.
- ★ Donor grandam J54 raised thick, stout calves every year! J54 was a moderate sized, super low birth weight cow with a beautiful udder. She produced four photo feature sons or daughters. Her nine progeny averaged \$5300 and work for Loren Parkhurst, David Carrier, Bill Archer, Darrell Wagoner, Roger Tibben, Todd Creason (2), Chad & Craig Davison, and Dan & Grant Smith. Two sons have been selected as herd sires.
- ★ Pathfinder donor great grandam C344 has been one of our all-time greats! She has a long record of highly successful progeny, many of which were among the top weaning weight calves of their calf crop. I'll try to hit the highlights here.
- ★ C344 maintained a 359 day calving interval on her first 13 natural progeny, which included stealing flushes 5 different years, a testament to her exemplary fertility! C344 was laid to rest at 16 years of age. Her udder was still impeccable, and her feet that never had a human hand touch them were still amazing.
- ★ We sold C344's last large group of ET sons in our 2021 sale. She would have been 17 years of age if still living, and her sons averaged a whopping \$7150! These sons went to astute cattlemen in three states plus Canada. She joined the elite \$100,000+ club last year when her gross progeny sales topped the \$100,000 mark.
- ★ One daughter of C344 was the #1 adjusted weaning weight heifer of her crop. Another daughter was the 14<sup>th</sup> top weaning weight heifer calf of her crop when C344 was 13 years old!

**HOOVER ENTICE X409 – Lot 102**

**Ellstons Keymura N479**  
 Dam of Lot 102  
 Udder at 6 years of age

**HOOVER 38 SPECIAL X463**

Reg. 20013557

Tattoo: L/R X463

08/26/20

Baldrige 38 Special  
**HOOVER 38 SPECIAL S4**  
 Blueblood Lady Ellston M3

Connealy Commander  
**BLKCP EMPRESS ELLSTON R445**  
 Blackcap Empress Ellston J54

EF Commando 1366 #  
 Baldrige Isabel Y69  
 Hoover Dam #  
 Blueblood Lady Ellston H118 #  
 Connealy Consensus #  
 Gespa of Conanga 9380  
 TC Friction 5130 #  
 Blkcp Empress Ellston C344 #

BW	75
ADJ. 205/WR	767/102
ADJ. 365/YR	1201/105
%IMF/RATIO	2.68/88
RE/RATIO	12.3/99
SCROTAL	35.7

CED	BW	WW	YW	RADG	YH	SC	\$W
-1	+3.5	+87 2%	+143 5%	+24	+9 15%	+77	+86 5%
HP	CEM	Milk	Doc	Claw	Angle	\$M	
+13.5 30%	+2	+24	+28 10%	+29 1%	+28 1%	+96 1%	
CW	MB	RE	Fat	\$F	\$B	\$C	
+63 15%	+53	+66	+037	+99 25%	+143	+281 15%	
Dam	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters In Herd	
	3-100	3-102	3-103	None	2-\$3100	None	

- ★ X463 is a bigger framed, longer bodied bull. He has the 2<sup>nd</sup> top YW EPD and 2<sup>nd</sup> top \$M index in the fall bull division. X463 is recommended for use on cows.
- ★ Sire S4 was our 2018 top-selling bull at \$39,000 to Eagle Hill Farms. S4 was the 2<sup>nd</sup> top adjusted weaning weight bull of his crop at 905 pounds, WR 116! He posted a 1427 pound yearling weight, YR 110, and an adjusted 41.55 cm scrotal. He scanned a 4.18 IMF, ratio 118, and a 17.2" ribeye, ratio 114. He was the 5<sup>th</sup> top YW bull of his crop, and the #1 ribeye scanning bull. Don Dixon of Eagle Hill reports S4 has a phenomenal disposition and his calves have made great improvements to his herd.
- ★ Dam R445 is an easy fleshing, square made, nice uddered cow with a 362 day calving interval. Her daughters work for Jeremy Loving and Stan & Jon Becker.
- ★ Please read about grandam J54 and great grandam C344 in the footnote of 100.

**HOOVER ENTICE X409**

Reg. 20013538

Tattoo: L/R X409

08/09/20

SydGen Enhance  
**MOGCK ENTICE**  
 MOGCK Erica 2255 #

Basin Excitement #  
**ELLSTONS KEYMURA N479 #**  
 Ellstons Keymura H418 #

SydGen Exceed 3223  
 SydGen Rita 2618  
 Mogck Sure Shot 253  
 MOGCK Erica 2162  
 Basin Expedition R156  
 Basin Lady 5532 AK  
 SydGen C C & 7 #  
 Ellstons Keymura D80

BW	70
ADJ. 205/WR	731/97
ADJ. 365/YR	1149/100
%IMF/RATIO	2.46/81
RE/RATIO	11.9/96
SCROTAL	38.5

CED	BW	WW	YW	RADG	YH	SC	\$W
+10 20%	-8 15%	+69 25%	+128 20%	+33 3%	+8 25%	+1.50 15%	+73 25%
HP	CEM	Milk	Doc	Claw	Angle	\$M	
+17.2 5%	+6	+26	+29 10%	+51	+47	+72 25%	
CW	MB	RE	Fat	\$F	\$B	\$C	
+58 25%	+49	+80 25%	-024 10%	+114 10%	+163 15%	+283 15%	
Dam	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters In Herd	
	5-99	5-100	4-102	1-\$6750	1-\$3200	None	

- ★ Retaining 1/3 revenue sharing semen interest.
- ★ X409 is a nice phenotype, middle of the road frame size bull that is long and extended. Typical of the Entice cattle, he has a super tight sheath and a good disposition. X409 is suitable for use on heifers or cows.
- ★ We noted that X409 was a calm bull on picture taking day, and it's no surprise with his pedigree. He should certainly sire good disposition cattle.
- ★ X409 has one of the top RADG EPDs in the bulls selling today.
- ★ Pathfinder dam N479 is a nice uddered female with a 362 day calving interval. Her progeny work for repeat customers Chamness Angus and Wayne Reinhart.
- ★ Pathfinder grandam H418 was a picture-perfect uddered cow whose 5 sons to come to auction averaged \$6200!

**Got Growth?**

**45%** of the bulls selling have a **WW EPD** in or above the best 1-10% of the breed!

**85%** have a **WW EPD** in the best 30% of the breed or higher!

**FALL BULLS**



# 103 Spring Bred Heifer

## ELBAMERE QUEEN ELLSTON X121

Reg. 19813212

Tattoo: L/R X121

02/13/20

Basin Excitement #  
HOOVER ELATION M123  
Pride of Ellston K68 #

Hoover Hawkkey  
ELBAMERE QUEEN ELLSTON T179  
Elbamere Queen Ellston J231

Basin Expedition R156  
Basin Lady S532 AK  
SydGen C C & 7 #  
Pride of Ellston D58 #  
Mogck Bullseye #  
Miss Blackcap Ellston K97  
MCATL 1961 278  
Elbamere Queen Ellston F138

BW	72
ADJ. 205/WR	634/98
ADJ. 365/YR	912/96
%IMF/RATIO	3.74/75
RE/RATIO	10.5/99



**Erica of Ellston N54**  
Pathfinder Hoover Donor  
Grandam of Lot 105;  
Relative of Lots 104-109, 111

CED	BW	WW	YW	RADG	YH	SC	\$W
+2	+1.5	+54	+99	+21	+5	+61	+68 30%
HP	CEM	Milk	Doc	Claw	Angle	\$M	
+15.2	15%	+11	25%	+35	4%	+29	10% +57 +58 +76 15%
CW	MB	RE	Fat	\$F	\$B	\$C	
+37	+25	+59	+017	+76	+108	+216	
Dam	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters In Herd	
	2-107	2-100	1-96	None	None	None	

- ★ Ultrasound safe to Hoover Attraction, due approximately April 20, 2022.
- ★ X121 is a nice phenotype heifer that does have some white on her udder and under her flank for those concerned with such things. She is a level topped, deep bodied, nice disposition heifer.
- ★ Dam T179 was a first calf heifer with X121. T179 has a 367 day calving interval, which will tighten up this year, as she is due to calve in January.
- ★ Grandam J231 is also a fertile cow with a 364 day calving interval. Her progeny work for Brad Ayers, Dan & Grant Smith, and Joe Davis.

# 104 Spring Bred Heifer

## ERICA OF ELLSTON X302

Reg. 19813271

Tattoo: L/R X302

03/21/20

Fortunes Conquest 224  
BALDRIDGE CHAIRMAN  
Baldrige Isabel B061

Connealy Impact #  
ERICA OF ELLSTON R282  
Erica of Ellston N90

Connealy Confidence 0100 #  
Fortunes 4412 Ethelda 742  
G A R Prophet #  
Baldrige Isabel Y69  
Connealy Impression #  
Elza of Conanga 8265 #  
Mogck Bullseye #  
Erica of Ellston L5

BW	76
ADJ. 205/WR	666/103
ADJ. 365/YR	989/104
%IMF/RATIO	3.54/71
RE/RATIO	11.1/105

CED	BW	WW	YW	RADG	YH	SC	\$W
+10	20%	-9	10%	+73	15%	+137	10% +25 +1.1 10% +73 +87 4%
HP	CEM	Milk	Doc	Claw	Angle	\$M	
+17.8	3%	+11	25%	+35	4%	+23	25% +42 20% +44 25% +84 5%
CW	MB	RE	Fat	\$F	\$B	\$C	
+61	20%	+43	+1.26	1%	+002	+100	20% +150 30% +279 15%
Dam	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters In Herd	
	3-101	3-102	3-103	1-\$5750	1-\$4250	None	

- ★ Ultrasound safe to Connealy Garrison, due approximately March 16, 2022.
- ★ X302 has a little more frame than most Chairmans. She is wide based and long bodied.
- ★ X302 is the #1 Ribeye EPD animal selling today, and she ties as the 2<sup>nd</sup> high Ribeye EPD Hoover-owned female!
- ★ Dam R282 is a super big Ribeye EPD cow too, 3<sup>rd</sup> high Ribeye EPD cow in production at Hoover Angus, in the best 1% of current dams. She scanned a whopping 13.5" ribeye to ratio 116.
- ★ R282 is from the great Erica line! Her son works for Mike Grimm, and her daughter for Gareld Carpenter.
- ★ Grandam N90 served as a donor and produced three sons averaging \$9000. They work for Jim Bisinger, Dan Olson, and Bill Archer. N90 was the 8<sup>th</sup> top indexing cow of the herd with 4-110 WR at the time of her untimely death.
- ★ Please read about great grandam L5 in the footnote of her featured daughter, Lot 106. L5 is a daughter of the great G366 cow – read about her in Lot 106's footnote too.



*Gwen and Ty with their first bottle calf "Princess Lovey", as named by Gwen*



# 105 Spring Bred Heifer

## ERICA OF ELLSTON X130

Reg. 19813216

Tattoo: L/R X130

02/14/20

Hoover No Doubt  
HOOVER KNOW HOW  
Blkcp Empress Ellston L265 #

Baldrige 38 Special  
ERICA OF ELLSTON T69  
Erica of Ellston N54 #

Mogck Bullseye #  
Miss Blackcap Ellston J2  
SydGen Storm 8504  
Blkcp Empress Ellston J120  
EF Commando 1366 #  
Baldrige Isabel Y69  
Basin Excitement #  
Erica of Ellston G366 #

BW	76
ADJ. 205/WR	582/90
ADJ. 365/YR	902/95
%IMF/RATIO	3.93/79
RE/RATIO	12.3/116

CED	BW	WW	YW	RADG	YH	SC	\$W
-3	+4.2	+66	30%	+128	15%	+31	10% +8 25% +2.05 2% +55
HP	CEM	Milk	Doc	Claw	Angle	\$M	
+18.0	2%	+8	25%	+24	3%	+34	3% +40 15% +77 15%
CW	MB	RE	Fat	\$F	\$B	\$C	
+50	+58	+83	25%	+008	+101	20%	+152 30% +274 20%
Dam	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters In Herd	
	2-114	2-101	1-95	None	None	None	
Grandam	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction		
	6-93	6-106	4-105	3-\$5100	2-\$13,250		

- ★ Ultrasound safe to Hoover Attraction, due approximately March 20, 2022.
- ★ X130 is a clean fronted, wide based heifer whose ears were nipped a little in the cold.
- ★ X130's pedigree is a rare find, as it combines the three most successful cow families at Hoover Angus all wrapped into one pedigree – the Ericas on the bottom and the Blackcap Empress Ellston and Miss Blackcap Ellston cow families on the top!
- ★ Dam T69 was a first calf heifer with X130. T69 has a 362 day calving interval. Her second calf weaned at 761 pounds to tie as the 4<sup>th</sup> top weaning weight heifer of our 2021 crop! T69's flush sister has the embryos selling as Lot 181.
- ★ Pathfinder donor grandam N54 is Landi's favorite daughter of G366. N54 records a 355 day calving interval which includes stealing flushes three different years! Fertility in this cow family is truly exceptional.
- ★ N54's first two daughters serve as working Hoover Angus donors, the first of which has earned Pathfinder honors. This cow, R217, is the dam of Hoover Elite – read more about him on page 2 of our sire directory. A full brother to Elite sells as Lot 10.
- ★ N54's next daughter, V30, was the 2<sup>nd</sup> top IMF heifer of her crop and serves as a donor for the McFarland and McIntosh family in Ohio. N54's 2020 calf was the 11<sup>th</sup> top weaning weight heifer of her crop.
- ★ N54 has good mothering skills (this clearly runs in this Erica cow family), and a beautiful udder. See pictures on page 6. N54 is a phenotypic standout, is square made, and an ideal Angus female!
- ★ Great grandam G366 is undoubtedly the most influential cow in recent Hoover history. She earned her place in the history books not by flashy genomics and unrealistic EPDs, but by progeny that performed and excelled in the real world, in a multitude of different environments for many cattlemen in different states. Numerous calves of G366 were at the very top of their crop for weaning weight, and went on to make great cattle from there. The torch has been passed to her daughters and granddaughters, and we find them bringing in some of the very best calves of each crop. At least 15 daughter descendants of the great G366 cow have served as working donors – and we generally don't make cows into donors until they have a proven progeny record.
- ★ G366 has three Pathfinder daughters – two in the Hoover herd, and one owned by JJ Scheckel – this female was purchased as an embryo at the National Western from us. Currently in the Hoover cow herd, the 2<sup>nd</sup> top indexing cow is a direct G366 daughter (and full sister to N54). The 3<sup>rd</sup> top indexing cow in the herd is R96, a G366 granddaughter. Two other direct daughters of G366 also are part of the top 15 indexing cows of the herd. It doesn't get any better than this! G366 descendants lead-off this catalog as Lots 1-17.

**SPRING BRED HEIFERS**

**HOOVER**  
Angus





**Erica of Ellston S7**  
Hoover Donor  
Dam of Lot 106;  
Relative of Lots 104-109, 111



**Erica of Ellston Z33**  
Full Sister to Lot 106;  
Relative of Lots 104-109, 111



**Erica of Ellston Z37**  
Owned by  
Moon Creek Farms and  
Hansine Ranch Partnership  
\$36,500 Full Sister to Lot 106;  
Relative of Lots 104-109, 111



**Erica of Ellston Z40**  
Owned by Abernathy Ranches  
and William Vacek  
\$30,000 Full Sister to Lot 106;  
Relative of Lots 104-109, 111



## ERICA OF ELLSTON X85 – Lot 106

- offered "pick" of averaged a WW EPD of +90 and \$C of +303, but had the hard-to-find phenotype to go along with it! Flush mates to these heifers include bulls Lots 3-5.
- ★ The Ericas have been a dominant force for our top-end genetics for many years. They have proven themselves the hard way – by progeny performance and success.
  - ★ Six of the past 7 years, sons of the Ericas have been the Lot 1 bulls in our sales, including this year! In our 2021 auction, of the 8 animals that hit the \$20,000+ price tag, 6 of them were from the Erica cow family.
  - ★ The success stories that can be told about the Ericas far out-weigh the space on this page, but look through our past sale catalogs to find the breadth and depth of achievements from them.
  - ★ Dam S7 started her career out with a bang, producing the #1 adjusted weaning weight heifer of our 2019 crop that was the lead-off, top-selling female of our 2021 sale at \$32,000 to Pine View Angus. She serves as a donor for the Wessel family.
  - ★ S7 serves as a working donor for us and records 3-116 IMF ratio and 3-106 Ribeye ratio.
  - ★ S7's individual performance data: BW 72 lbs., WW 827 lbs., WR 107, YW 1094 lbs., YR 106, IMF 9.23, ratio 156, ribeye 13.2", ratio 103. S7 was the #1 IMF scanning heifer of her crop, and her ribeye scan was 3.5" above breed average! Among her ET contemporaries, she was the #1 adjusted weaning weight and yearling weight heifer!
  - ★ Superior udders run in this cow family, and the 5 generations of cows down the dam's side of this pedigree have been excellent uddered cows, even into old age. Great grandam G366's udder at over 12 years of age would rival most 3-4 year-old females in the breed today. Please see a picture of her udder on page 10.
  - ★ Grandam L5 has one of the highest progeny averages at Hoover Angus – 10 total progeny sold by Hoover Angus have averaged a whopping \$24,100! Sons from Hoover Angus are on the roster of three AI studs: Alta Genetics, Select Sires, and Accelerated Genetics.
  - ★ L5 has raised numerous calves that rose to the top of their calf crop. One daughter of L5 serves as a working Pathfinder donor; and four other daughters of L5 have been flushed at Hoover Angus.
  - ★ Great grandam G366 is regarded as the best cow in our history. Currently, a daughter and granddaughter rank as the #2 and #3 top indexing cows of the Hoover herd, respectively, and two other daughters rank in the top 15 indexing cows of the herd. Three daughters of G366 have earned the Pathfinder designation, and at least 15 of her daughter descendants have served as donors.
  - ★ X85 is a rare combination of the 2 most famous cow families at Hoover Angus – the Ericas on the bottom and Blackcaps on the top. No Doubt's Blackcap dam is still making headlines at 11 years of age – she was the dam of the 2021 top-selling bull of all breeds at the 2021 Midland Bull Test for \$158,000. No Doubt's dam is a 10<sup>th</sup> generation Blackcap female to be bred, born, and raised in Ellston, Iowa by four generations of the Hoover family!
  - ★ Sire No Doubt has produced some of the most sought-after and high-selling bulls and females of the breed in 2021 from coast to coast. The power, performance, muscle and docility of No Doubt is evidenced in this female.
  - ★ This high growth, high carcass, really attractive phenotype heifer is bred to calve a little later, but most certainly still donor quality. Calve her out, flush her a couple times through the summer, then roll her to a fall calving period!

**106**  
**Spring Bred**  
**Heifer**

## ERICA OF ELLSTON X85

Reg. 19813203

Tattoo: L/R X85

02/09/20

Mogck Bullseye #  
**HOOVER NO DOUBT**  
Miss Blackcap Ellston J2

Baldrige 38 Special  
**ERICA OF ELLSTON S7**  
Erica of Ellston L5

Mogck Sure Shot #  
Mogck Mary 1255  
SydGen C C & 7 #  
Miss Blackcap Ellston D154 #  
EF Commando 1366 #  
Baldrige Isabel Y69  
Connealy Counselor #  
Erica of Ellston G366 #

BW	78
ADJ. 205/WR	702/108
ADJ. 365/YR	1091/115
%IMF/RATIO	7.25/145
RE/RATIO	11.5/108

CED	BW	WW	YW	RADG	YH	SC	\$W
-3	+3.9	+86	2% +169	1% +35	2% +1.5	1% +1.55	15% +81
HP	CEM	Milk	Doc	Claw	Angle	\$M	
+12.3	+5	+34	5% +29	10% +49	+47	+51	
CW	MB	RE	Fat	\$F	\$B	\$C	
+79	3% +94	20% +96	10% -0.07	30% +128	2% +198	2% +308	3%
Dam	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters In Herd	
	3-98	3-108	2-111	None	2-\$34,250	None	
Grandam	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction		
	3-105	3-106	2-107	8-\$23,000	2-\$28,500		

- ★ Ultrasound safe to Mogck Empire 110, due approximately April 14, 2022.
- ★ X85 is one of my favorites! She has the classic No Doubt style you would expect, a hard-to-fault phenotype, is long bodied, has good bone and structure. Better yet, she is a direct daughter of the great S7 cow, and from the most famous cow line at Hoover Angus!
- ★ X85 was the 15<sup>th</sup> top weaning weight heifer of her crop and the 4<sup>th</sup> top yearling weight heifer! X85 has the #1 YW EPD, #1 \$Beef Value, and #1 RADG EPD of all the females selling as well as being one of 8 females selling that has a +300 or better \$C.
- ★ X85 is a super gentle heifer, and we used her as our decoy the second day of taking sale pictures. She was great!
- ★ We offered the "Pick of the No Doubt Flush Sisters" in our 2021 mini online sale – these heifers were full sisters to X85. The pick sold for \$36,500 to repeat customers Moon Creek Farms and Hansine Ranch Partnership. These 5 flush sisters were

**HOOVER**  
*Angus*

**SPRING BRED HEIFERS**





**ERICA OF ELLSTON X19 – Lot 107**

## 108 Spring Bred Heifer

## ERICA OF ELLSTON X71

Reg. 19813198

Tattoo: L/R X71

02/05/20

EF Commando 1366 #  
**BALDRIDGE 38 SPECIAL**  
Baldrige Isabel Y69

EF Complement 8088 #  
Riverbend Young Lucy W1470  
Styles Upgrade J59 #  
Baldrige Isabel T935  
Famous 7001 #  
Roth Formera 9199  
TC Gridiron 258 #  
Erica of Ellston V65

BW	72
ADJ. 205/WR	656/101
ADJ. 365/YR	957/100
%IMF/RATIO	3.99/80
RE/RATIO	10.6/100

Roth Famous 1006 #  
**ERICA OF ELLSTON S67**  
Erica of Ellston C124 #

CED	BW		WW		YW		RADG		YH		SC		\$W								
+2	+3.3		+78		10%		+134		10%		+23		+7		+50		+72		20%		
HP		CEM		Milk		Doc		Claw		Angle		SM									
+11.8		+10		+21		+17		+43		20%		+59		+66							
CW		MB		RE		Fat		SF		SB		SC									
+55		30%		+71		+76		30%		+038		+94		30%		+147		+257		30%	
Dam		BWR		WWR		YWR		Sons @ Auction		Daughters @ Auction		Daughters In Herd									
		3-95		3-98		2-101		1-\$4250		None		None									

- ★ Ultrasound safe to Mogck Empire 110, due approximately February 25, 2022.
- ★ X71 is an attractively made, thick, smooth, more moderate framed heifer.
- ★ Dam S67 is a fertile cow with a 362 day calving interval. Her first son works for repeat customer Eddie LaBoube down in the historic town of Hermann, Missouri on the Missouri River. This bull was deep, stout, and level topped.
- ★ Grandam C124 is found in thousands of pedigrees in the Angus world today – she is the famed dam of Hoover Dam! If you want your history lesson on this cow, go through our past catalogs to find all of her deeds.
- ★ C124 is one of the few cows in the breed to have two Pathfinder daughters and one Pathfinder son (Hoover Dam). She is the highest grossing income cow in the history of Hoover Angus, with over one quarter million dollars in direct progeny sales. Seven of C124's progeny topped the \$10,000 mark.
- ★ Take home a part of the tremendous Erica cow family in this heifer!

## 107 Spring Bred Heifer

## ERICA OF ELLSTON X19

Reg. 19813181

Tattoo: L/R X19

01/08/20

SydGen Enhance  
**MOGCK ENTICE**  
MOGCK Erica 2255 #

Basin Excitement #  
**ERICA OF ELLSTON M2**  
Erica of Ellston G216 #

SydGen Exceed 3223  
SydGen Rita 2618  
Mogck Sure Shot 253  
MOGCK Erica 2162  
Basin Expedition R156  
Basin Lady S532 AK  
SydGen C C & 7 #  
Erica of Ellston X16

BW	69
ADJ. 205/WR	620/96
ADJ. 365/YR	940/99
%IMF/RATIO	4.85/97
RE/RATIO	11.4/108

CED		BW		WW		YW		RADG		YH		SC		\$W	
+7		+3.1		+69		20%		+124		20%		+28		25%	
HP		CEM		Milk		Doc		Claw		Angle				SM	
+15.1		15%		+7		+32		10%		+22		30%		+38	
CW		MB		RE		Fat		\$F		\$B		\$C			
+52		+.65		+.80		25%		-.020		15%		+.96		25%	
Dam		BWR		WWR		YWR		Sons @ Auction		Daughters @ Auction		Daughters In Herd			
		6-93		6-98		6-101		1-\$7750		2-\$4050		2-103			

- ★ Ultrasound safe to Ram! Optics 0710, due approximately February 22, 2022.
- ★ X19 is a thick, soggy, easy fleshing, curious, really nice heifer! My calving book notes from when X19 was born read, "born really fast!"
- ★ We really noticed how calm X19 was on picture-taking day.
- ★ Dam M2 has a very nice udder and her first daughter works in the herd and has achieved Pathfinder honors with a 357 day calving interval. Read more about this daughter in the footnote of Lot 111.
- ★ M2's two bull calves averaged an 824 pound weaning weight, the first of which works for repeat customer Jeff Bellamy. M2's daughters work for Andy Huffington and Keith Borer. Keith was a first-time Hoover customer this year, and had this report about the three heifers he bought from us, "Calves look good, we are happy with the disposition of the heifers and calving as well."
- ★ M2 is certainly a low birth weight, easy-calving cow that has a 366 day calving interval on her calves.
- ★ Grandam G216 produced the \$26,000 Hoover Quintain! Quintain was the #1 weaning weight bull calf of his crop and the 3<sup>rd</sup> top selling bull of our sale.
- ★ X19 is from the Erica cow family that has put 11 bulls in 6 different AI studs! G216 is a full brother to the Hoover Home Run bull who had a tenure at ORlgen.
- ★ G216 is no stranger to weaning top calves or bringing featured sons to auction – her 2016 calf was a photo feature, the 8<sup>th</sup> top weaning weight bull of his crop, selling to Dave Palas.
- ★ G216's other son to come to auction was the 7<sup>th</sup> top weaning weight, #1 yearling weight bull of our 2012 auction, a photo feature, and the 2<sup>nd</sup> top-selling bull! He works for Jallo Angus Ranch, Gain & Weigh Stock Farm, and Gordon Helle.

## 109 Spring Bred Heifer

## ERICA OF ELLSTON X278

Reg. 19813266

Tattoo: L/R X278

03/10/20

Connealy Commander  
**HOOVER CHIEF**  
Queenmere of Ellston K189 #

Connealy Consensus #  
Gespa of Conanga 9380  
SydGen Journey 8200  
Queenmere of Ellston G218 #  
S A F Connection #  
SydGen Forever Lady 4087  
H&K Impressive  
Erica of Ellston E250 #

BW	92
ADJ. 205/WR	683/105
ADJ. 365/YR	998/105
%IMF/RATIO	3.75/75
RE/RATIO	9.4/89

CED	BW		WW		YW		RADG		YH		SC		\$W	
-6	+6.0		+79		10%	+140	10%	+31	10%	+1.2	3%	+1.49	15%	+60
HP	CEM		Milk		Doc		Claw		Angle		SM			
+18.7	2%	+0	+24		+28		10%	+50		+49		+61		
CW	MB		RE		Fat		SF		SB		SC			
+69	10%	+44	+54		-013		20%	+123	3%	+165	15%	+275	15%	
Dam	BWR	WWR	YWR		Sons @ Auction			Daughters @ Auction			Daughters In Herd			
	2-117	2-100	2-103		1-\$4000			None			None			

- ★ Ultrasound safe to Connealy Garrison, due approximately April 2, 2022.
- ★ X278 is a beautiful heifer that is massive, deep, and has nice bone. She's a foundational brood cow in the making!
- ★ My notes from breeding time say that X278 was "the best disposition" heifer of the group!
- ★ Dam S146 is a classic CC&7 daughter – slick haired and nice uddered. Her first son works for John Dowell and X278 is her second calf.
- ★ Grandam J259 put two replacement daughters in the herd and her three sons averaged \$5850.
- ★ Pathfinder great grandam E250 was an extremely successful cow and served as a donor. Two of her daughters were the #1 IMF scanning females of their crop, and one son was #1!
- ★ E250 produced the lead-off, top-selling open heifer in our 2016 auction at \$10,750 to the Mickey family in Illinois. Others that have E250 progeny include: Eddie LaBoube, Freddie Jones, Taylor Ridge, LeRoy Stortenbecker, Henry Langstraat, Mark Groth, and Jerry Ebert.
- ★ Fourth generation dam B235, also a Pathfinder, is the grandam of the great G366 cow – the most famed and influential cow in the Hoover herd in recent history. Lots 1-17 bulls descend from this cow. This is the same cow line that produced Hoover Dam, the bull that grossed over \$5.3 million in semen and certificate sales!

ALL animals in this sale are either tested free of the known genetic conditions in Angus cattle, or have no pedigree risk.

# SPRING BRED HEIFERS

# HOOPER Angus

# 110 Spring Bred Heifer

## BLACKBIRD OF ELLSTON X141

Reg. 19813221

Tattoo: L/R X141

02/14/20

Basin Excitement #  
HOOPER ELATION M123  
Pride of Ellston K68 #

Connealy Counselor #  
BLACKBIRD OF ELLSTON L68  
Blackbird of Ellston G24 #

Basin Expedition R156  
Basin Lady S532 AK  
SydGen C C & 7 #  
Pride of Ellston D58 #  
Connealy Mentor 7374 #  
Jaze of Conanga 234  
TC Gridiron 258 #  
Blackbird of Ellston X78 #

BW	74
ADJ. 205/WR	621/96
ADJ. 365/YR	885/93
%IMF/RATIO	4.05/81
RE/RATIO	10.8/102

CED	BW	WW	YW	RADG	YH	SC	\$W
+4	+1.4	+55	+96	+21	+6	+2.05 2%	+73 20%
HP	CEM	Milk	Doc	Claw	Angle	\$M	
+17.3	4%	+12	15%	+37	2%	+21	+55
CW	MB	RE	Fat	\$F	\$B	\$C	
+38	+1.7	+77	30%	+059	+84	+111	+221
Dam	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters In Herd	
	7-100	7-97	5-100	3-\$6600	1-\$7500	2-113	

- ★ Ultrasound safe to Mogck Empire 110, due approximately February 20, 2022.
- ★ X141 is a long bodied, pretty fronted heifer. Nine Pathfinders are found in her pedigree!
- ★ X141 has the 3<sup>rd</sup> top Milk EPD of any female selling!
- ★ Dam L68 is an attractive female also who puts this nice look in her progeny. L68 maintains a 369 day calving interval on her 8 calvings (a set of twins is not included in her ratios in the boxes above). Her interval will tighten up significantly this year as she is set to calve about three weeks earlier. She was an awesome heifer to work with calving the first year.
- ★ L68's first daughter works for Nancy Madigan in Illinois.
- ★ L68's sons work for Lyle Olson (an excellent bull) and two for Brad Ayers. Brad's first bull was the 3<sup>rd</sup> biggest ribeye scanning bull of our 2018 auction, and Brad does an excellent job of finding one of the best bulls for one of the most bargain prices!
- ★ L68 scanned an enormous 15.3" ribeye, ratio 124! She was the 2<sup>nd</sup> biggest ribeye scanning heifer of her crop!
- ★ Grandam G24 earned Pathfinder status and maintained a 362 day calving interval. One son was the 5<sup>th</sup> top weaning weight bull of his crop and John's favorite bull. He sold to Doug Garrett. Other sons work for Tyson Poldsofer and Bruce Crumpacker.
- ★ Great grandam X78 recorded 10-95 BWR, 10-109 WR, 10-106 YR and a 361 day calving interval to earn her Pathfinder honors. Her 7 sons to come to auction (6 features) averaged \$8400 – a tremendous price for a 2000 model cow! Four sons topped the \$10,000 mark. I would put her among our top 10 cows ever in production!
- ★ I have to mention Pathfinder 4<sup>th</sup> generation dam S78 who was born 25 years ago (boy, that makes me feel old). She was one of the great cows of her day – she ended her career with a tremendous record: a 364 day calving interval on progeny that were at 94 BWR, 103 WR, and 103 YR. She was a cow that could be counted on to bring in one of the best, stoutest calves every single year.



BLKCP EMPRESS ELLSTON X136 – Lot 112

# 112 Spring Bred Heifer

## BLKCP EMPRESS ELLSTON X136

Reg. 19813218

Tattoo: L/R X136

02/14/20

EF Commando 1366 #  
BALDRIDGE 38 SPECIAL  
Baldrige Isabel Y69

Hoover Leadman  
BLACKCAP EMPRESS ELLSTON T60  
Blkcp Empress Ellston P229

EF Complement 8088 #  
Riverbend Young Lucy W1470  
Styles Upgrade J59 #  
Baldrige Isabel T935  
Connealy Commander  
Blkcp Empress Ellston G403 #  
Bruns Top Cut 373 #  
Blkcp Empress Ellston H4

BW	60
ADJ. 205/WR	669/103
ADJ. 365/YR	927/97
%IMF/RATIO	7.50/150
RE/RATIO	12.9/122

CED	BW	WW	YW	RADG	YH	SC	\$W
+10	20%	-4	15%	+61	+96	+18	+5
HP	CEM	Milk	Doc	Claw	Angle	\$M	
+14.6	20%	+7	+32	10%	+22	30%	+47
CW	MB	RE	Fat	\$F	\$B	\$C	
+41	+69	+83	25%	+023	+79	+133	+267
Dam	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters In Herd	
	2-88	2-102	1-97	None	None	None	
Grandam	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters In Herd	
	5-95	5-99	4-98	1-\$2100	None	None	

- ★ Ultrasound safe to Mogck Empire 110, due approximately February 27, 2022.
- ★ X136 is a moderate sized, really deep, big quartered, thick heifer. She won't get too big as a mature cow!
- ★ Check out X136's ultrasound data! She was the 2<sup>nd</sup> top IMF heifer and 2<sup>nd</sup> top ribeye heifer of her contemporary group (95 head).
- ★ Dam T60 is a gorgeous young female doing an excellent job. She was one of my favorite heifer calves at weaning time, and is still a standout today. T60's second calf is featured bull calf, Lot 26, and he is one of my favorites!
- ★ T60 was the 13<sup>th</sup> top weaning weight heifer of her crop at 720 lbs., WR 109.
- ★ T60's sire, Leadman, was the 2<sup>nd</sup> top adjusted weaning weight bull calf of his crop, missing the 900 pound mark by one pound! His phenomenal Pathfinder dam produced three-in-a-row #1 adjusted weaning weight bull or heifer calves with her first three natural calves! Leadman works for Alta Genetics and Diamond J Angus Ranch.
- ★ Grandam P229 is a phenomenal daughter-maker! Her first daughter produced a \$7500 photo feature bull calf as her first calf. Steve Medlin from Tennessee purchased P229's only son, and was so pleased with him, he came back to Hoover Angus again for his second bull purchase last year. P229 has a third daughter going into our replacement herd, and she was the #1 IMF scanning heifer among nearly 100 contemporaries.
- ★ Great grandam H4 was counted on to bring in a good calf every single year. H4 had as good of an udder as you will find! She was a very feminine fronted, beautiful CC&7 cow.
- ★ Fourth generation dam X216 was a tremendous herd bull maker, every one she had was a standout for muscle, thickness, and growth. She ended her career with 10-110 WR and a 356 day calving interval.

# 111 Spring Bred Heifer

## ERICA OF ELLSTON X260

Reg. 19813261

Tattoo: L/R X260

03/07/20

Connealy Counselor #  
HOOPER COUNSELOR N29  
Erica of Ellston G366 #

Connealy Impact #  
ERICA OF ELLSTON P77 #  
Erica of Ellston M2

Connealy Mentor 7374 #  
Jaze of Conanga 234  
SydGen C C & 7 #  
Erica of Ellston D184  
Connealy Impression #  
Elza of Conanga 8265 #  
Basin Excitement #  
Erica of Ellston G216 #

BW	72
ADJ. 205/WR	674/104
ADJ. 365/YR	901/95
%IMF/RATIO	3.83/77
RE/RATIO	9.4/89

CED	BW	WW	YW	RADG	YH	SC	\$W
+13	5%	-2.3	2%	+50	+94	+19	+4
HP	CEM	Milk	Doc	Claw	Angle	\$M	
+19.5	1%	+7	+31	15%	+23	25%	+64
CW	MB	RE	Fat	\$F	\$B	\$C	
+31	+1.8	+45	+059	+72	+96	+186	
Dam	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters In Herd	
	5-103	5-104	3-103	1-\$6000	None	None	
Grandam	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters In Herd	
	6-93	6-98	6-101	1-\$7750	2-\$4050		

- ★ Ultrasound safe to Hoover Attraction, due approximately March 19, 2022.
- ★ X260 has a very pretty Angus head. She is long and extended, pretty fronted, and should make a really nice cow. Here is your opportunity to get some of the great G366 cow in your herd, through the top side of her pedigree.
- ★ X260 has the lowest BW EPD of all the females selling as well as one of the top CED EPDs. She has the 2<sup>nd</sup> highest Heifer Pregnancy (HP) EPD too.
- ★ X260 is a rare find with 10 Pathfinders in her three generation pedigree!
- ★ Dam P77 is a fertile cow with a 357 day calving interval. Her son that was the 7<sup>th</sup> top weaning weight bull of his crop works for long-time repeat customer Roger Cerven.
- ★ Please read about grandam M2 and Pathfinder great grandam G216 in the footnote of M2's featured daughter, Lot 107.

Hoover Angus would like to thank our customers who have supported us over the years. Currently, three generations of the Hoover family make a living from Angus genetics. We aren't vested in other industries; Angus cattle are our livelihood! THANK YOU for the opportunity to serve you!



## SPRING BRED HEIFERS



# HOOPER 113 Spring Bred Heifer

## EDELLA OF ELLSTON X303

Reg. 19813272

Tattoo: L/R X303

03/22/20

Moore Gold 710  
MOORE GOLD MINE  
Moore Upward 623 #

Lemar Dakota Gold 18T  
Moore Bando 1961 510 #  
Sitz Upward 307R #  
Moore Jet Service 918  
MCATL Triple Stack #  
M A Barbara 495 #  
TC Gridiron 258 #  
Hawley Rain Girl 458 #

BW	82
ADJ. 205/WR	632/97
ADJ. 365/YR	925/97
%IMF/RATIO	4.75/95
RE/RATIO	9.0/85

MCATL Triple Stack 889-495  
EDELLA OF ELLSTON K150  
Edella of Ellston F9

CED	BW		WW		YW		RADG		YH		SC		\$W	
+0	+3.8		+74 15%		+118 30%		+22		+8 25%		+1.14 30%		+64	
HP	CEM		Milk		Doc		Claw		Angle				\$M	
+16.9	5%	+1	+19		+13		+41 15%		+33 2%		+72 25%			
CW	MB		RE		Fat		\$F		\$B				\$C	
+57	25%	+30	+34		+009		+97 25%		+129				+239	
Dam	BWR	WWR	YWR		Sons @ Auction		Daughters @ Auction		Daughters In Herd					
	6-100	6-97	6-100		3-\$3925		1-\$2750		None					

- ★ Ultrasound safe to Mogck Empire 110, due approximately February 23, 2022.
- ★ X303 is a soggy, more compact package. She will make a pretty mature cow!
- ★ My calving book notes from when X303 was born, "Born in the lot and had sucked before anyone found it! We obviously failed to get dam K150 in a calving pen before she dropped the calf, but all was well! That can sometimes happen when we are super busy and a cow doesn't show many pre-calving signs!
- ★ Dam K150 has produced sons and daughters for Ed Smith, DNA Angus, Jerry Long, and Jeff Anderson, all repeat customers.
- ★ We were heartbroken to lose grandam F9 to a lightning strike that killed 5 young cows under a tree shortly after weaning K150. F9 had a 356 day calving interval and was one of my very favorites of her crop. F9 weaned at 703 pounds, WR 113.
- ★ Pathfinder great grandam 458 was one of our last purchased cows. Born in 1998, she served as a donor for us and had numerous calves that were in the top 5 weaning weight calves of their crop. She had 14 calves on record at 97 BWR and a tremendous 108 WR! She finally went to town at 15 years of age because she was open – she still walked good, had a superior udder, and looked great. Not many cows in the breed today can raise a 754 pound bull calf at 15 years of age!



**Princess of Ellston G25**  
Pathfinder Hoover Donor  
Grandam of Lot 115;  
Great Grandam of Lot 114

# HOOPER 115 Spring Bred Heifer

## PRINCESS OF ELLSTON X259

Reg. 19813260

Tattoo: L/R X259

03/06/20

Baldrige 38 Special  
HOOPER SPECIAL EDITION S454  
Edella of Ellston N473 #

Mogck Bullseye #  
PRINCESS OF ELLSTON N271 #  
Princess of Ellston G25 #

EF Commando 1366 #  
Baldrige Isabel Y69  
Connealy Direct Deposit #  
Edella of Ellston K264  
MOGCK Sure Shot #  
Mogck Mary 1255  
SydGen C C & 7 #  
Princess of Ellston V198 #

BW	73
ADJ. 205/WR	759/117
ADJ. 365/YR	997/105
%IMF/RATIO	5.04/101
RE/RATIO	9.5/90

CED	BW		WW		YW		RADG		YH		SC		\$W	
+5	+2.4		+76 10%		+133 10%		+23		+1.2 3%		+1.05		+75 15%	
HP	CEM		Milk		Doc		Claw		Angle		SM			
+15.5	15%	+13	10%	+25	+25 20%		+44 25%		+46		+78		10%	
CW	MB		RE		Fat		\$F		\$B		\$C			
+57	25%	+76		+41		+022		+96 25%		+148		+270		20%
Dam	BWR		WWR		YWR		Sons @ Auction		Daughters @ Auction		Daughters In Herd			
	6-100		6-106		3-102		1-\$2750		None		1-98			

- ★ Ultrasound safe to Ram Optics 0710, due approximately February 28, 2022.
- ★ X259 is an easy fleshing, long bodied heifer. We expect the Special Edition females to make excellent females! She does have white on her udder and underneath side.
- ★ X259 was the 4<sup>th</sup> top adjusted weaning weight heifer calf of her crop!
- ★ Dam N271 has a nearly perfect 366 day calving interval, which will tighten up when she calves this spring. She has earned Pathfinder honors for her exemplary progeny performance and sustained fertility.
- ★ N271's son works for repeat customer Francis Faust, and her daughter works in the Hoover herd and produced the Lot 114 bred heifer.
- ★ Pathfinder donor grandam G25 was one of the prettiest cows on the farm, her photo above does not capture the true essence of this cow. Her style, structure, udder quality, and disposition were superior. When we took this picture of G25, we could do nothing to get her to raise her head, she is so incredibly quiet.
- ★ G25 was a superior cow! She had 10 calves on record and an excellent 363 day calving interval. Four of her seven sons to come to auction were photo features – including two that topped the \$12,000 mark! At 10 years of age, she raised the 7<sup>th</sup> top selling bull of our 2019 auction at \$17,000 to Deep Creek Angus and Curt Miller, both of South Dakota. This bull was an outstanding bull, possibly the thickest bull in the auction, weaned off at 812 pounds and had the 3<sup>rd</sup> highest YW among all sale bulls.
- ★ Other progeny of G25 work for Chad & Craig Davison, Mark Anderson, Brenner Angus of Colorado, Randy Miller, Todd Glendenning, and Carl Wibholm. Carl's bull was the 11<sup>th</sup> top weaning weight bull of his crop, and one of my absolute favorites in our 2018 sale.
- ★ Pathfinder grandam V198 recorded 10-110 WR and a 360 day calving interval.

# HOOPER 114 Spring Bred Heifer

## PRINCESS OF ELLSTON X112

Reg. 19813210

Tattoo: L/R X112

02/11/20

Fortunes Conquest 224  
BALDRIDGE CHAIRMAN  
Baldrige Isabel B061

Connealy Confidence 0100 #  
Fortunes 4412 Ethelda 742  
G A R Prophet #  
Baldrige Isabel Y69  
Connealy Impression #  
Elza of Conanga 8265 #  
Mogck Bullseye #  
Princess of Ellston G25 #

BW	66
ADJ. 205/WR	635/98
ADJ. 365/YR	947/100
%IMF/RATIO	3.64/73
RE/RATIO	11.9/112

Connealy Impact #  
PRINCESS OF ELLSTON T146  
Princess of Ellston N271 #

CED	BW		WW		YW		RADG		YH		SC		\$W	
+11	15%	-6	15%	+59	+109		+23		+5		+1.17	30%	+67	30%
HP	CEM		Milk		Doc		Claw		Angle				\$M	
+16.8	5%	+14	4%	+28	30%	+26	15%	+55		+53		+74		20%
CW	MB		RE		Fat		\$F		\$B		\$C			
+38	+59		+75		30%	+010		+75		+125		+236		
Dam	BWR		WWR		YWR		Sons @ Auction		Daughters @ Auction		Daughters In Herd			
	1-99		1-98		1-100		None		None		None			
Grandam	BWR		WWR		YWR		Sons @ Auction		Daughters @ Auction					
	6-100		6-106		3-102		1-\$2750		None					

- ★ Ultrasound safe to Connealy Garrison, due approximately April 20, 2022.
- ★ X112 is a deep chested, soggy made, easy fleshing, good quartered heifer. She has one rounded ear from being born in the extreme cold!
- ★ Dam T146 was a first calf heifer with X112. T146 is a nice, pretty female with a very nice udder and teat size. The American Angus Association has started collecting udder scores (two independent traits of teat size and udder suspension), and we started collecting this data with our fall 2021 calf crop to submit. Hoover Angus strives to be a leader in the accurate collection and submission of data!
- ★ Pathfinder grandam N271 is the dam of Lot 115, the 4<sup>th</sup> top weaning weight heifer of her crop. Please read more about N271 in Lot 115's footnote.
- ★ Great grandam G25 served as a working Pathfinder donor, and was one of our favorites! She was a beautiful CC&7 cow that brought in a good calf every single year. See her picture above Lot 115.
- ★ I don't talk much about the service sires to these heifers in their footnotes for the sake of space, but you may read about them in our sire directory glued in the front of your catalog. This heifer's service sire, Garrison, is not in our sire directory, but can be found on page 52.



Jeff and David H - two of  
our long-term employees!

They keep us rolling!

# SPRING BRED HEIFERS

# HOOPER Angus



**Hoover Chief**  
Owned with Alta Genetics  
\$30,000 Sire of Lot 116

## 117 Spring Bred Heifer

## MISS ERICA ELLSTON X166

Reg. 19813229

Tattoo: L/R X166

02/18/20

EF Commando 1366 #  
**BALDRIDGE 38 SPECIAL**  
Baldrige Isabel Y69

EF Complement 8088 #  
Riverbend Young Lucy W1470  
Styles Upgrade J59 #  
Baldrige Isabel T935  
MOGCK Sure Shot #  
Mogck Mary 1255  
Hoover Dam #  
Miss Erica Ellston F61

Mogck Bullseye #  
**MISS ERICA ELLSTON M229 #**  
Miss Erica Ellston K258

BW	77
ADJ. 205/WR	651/100
ADJ. 365/YR	963/101
%IMF/RATIO	5.77/116
RE/RATIO	10.2/96

CED	BW		WW		YW		RADG		YH		SC		\$W	
+2	+2.0		+78	10%	+120	25%	+1.7		+7		+55		+88	4%
HP	CEM		Milk		Doc		Claw		Angle				SM	
+16.7	5%	+3	+26		+27		10%	+4.9		+4.5		30%	+98	1%
CW	MB		RE		Fat		SF		SB				SC	
+53	+1.16		10%	+4.1	+0.61		+85		+152		30%	+295	10%	
Dam	BWR		WWR		YWR		Sons @ Auction		Daughters @ Auction		Daughters In Herd			
	7-102		7-104		6-105		1-\$3750		1-\$6200		2-108			

- ★ Ultrasound safe to Raml Optics 0710, due approximately March 2, 2022.
- ★ X166 is a long bodied, easy fleshing heifer with a little more frame. She is an 11<sup>th</sup> generation Miss Erica Ellston female to be bred, born, and raised at Hoover Angus.
- ★ X166 has the top \$Maternal Value of any female selling! Her high IMF scan contributed to her being the 2<sup>nd</sup> top Marbling EPD female to sell!
- ★ Pathfinder dam M229 is a great daughter-maker! Her first two daughters in the Hoover herd are making phenomenal young cows. One of these was the 5<sup>th</sup> top weaning weight, 3<sup>rd</sup> top yearling weight, 4<sup>th</sup> top ribeye scanning heifer of her crop. M229 has a 361 day calving interval on her 7 calves, indicating excellent fertility.
- ★ Repeat customer Rodney Lovitt selected a daughter of M229 for \$6200, and her son was selected by long time repeat customer Dustin McCoy.
- ★ This pedigree is deep with good cows – ask Joy or John about 5<sup>th</sup> generation dam F99. She was an extremely deep bodied cow that produced until 18 years of age and recorded 15-103 WR (one calf was lost shortly after birth and does not show up in her weaning records).

## 116 Spring Bred Heifer

## MISS ERICA ELLSTON X252

Reg. 19813257

Tattoo: L/R X252

03/05/20

Connealy Commander  
**HOVER CHIEF**  
Queenmere of Ellston K189 #

Connealy Commander  
**MISS ERICA ELLSTON S180**  
Miss Erica Ellston N250

Connealy Consensus #  
Gespa of Conanga 9380  
SydGen Journey 8200  
Queenmere of Ellston G218 #  
Connealy Consensus #  
Gespa of Conanga 9380  
Hoover Inspiration  
Miss Erica Ellston B297

BW	71
ADJ. 205/WR	698/108
ADJ. 365/YR	981/103
%IMF/RATIO	3.49/70
RE/RATIO	11.4/108

CED		BW		WW		YW		RADG		YH		SC		SW	
+5		+2.3		+73		15%		+113		+23		+6		+66	
+70		25%													
HP		CEM		Milk		Doc		Claw		Angle				SM	
+16.2		10%		+3		+21		+21		+56		+4.5		30%	
+64															
CW		MB		RE		Fat		SF		SB		SC			
+43		+2.7		+83		25%		-0.30		10%		+85		+125	
+226															
Dam		BWR		WWR		YWR		Sons @ Auction		Daughters @ Auction		Daughters In Herd			
		3-103		3-106		2-104		None		1-\$3250		None			
Grandam		BWR		WWR		YWR		Sons @ Auction		Daughters @ Auction					
		5-95		5-104		5-104		None		1-\$2900					

- ★ Ultrasound safe to Mogck Empire 110, due approximately February 19, 2022.
- ★ X252 is a slick, wide based, deep bodied heifer.
- ★ Dam S180 has a 366 day calving interval on her three progeny. It appears she will have met the parameters to earn Pathfinder honors this spring when the American Angus Association releases the 2022 Pathfinder report the week after our sale.
- ★ S180's first daughter works for Steve McFarland in Ohio. Steve reports about this female, "V110 raised our #1 weaning weight bull calf in 2021 at 827 pounds, ratio 109. She bred back first service AI and is due for her second calf at 368 days." This son is the highest \$C son of TEX Playbook to be born in 2021 in the Angus breed! Steve is pretty excited about this bull calf!
- ★ S180's son sells as a real nice Cowboy Logic son, Lot 30.
- ★ Grandam N250 is a big, exceptionally deep sided, easy fleshing cow. A featured daughter works for Jeremy Loving, and N250 has one of the top fall bulls selling, feature Lot 88. This high performing bull weaned at 833 pounds to be the 4<sup>th</sup> top weaning weight bull of his crop, 2<sup>nd</sup> top YW bull, and 2<sup>nd</sup> top ribeye scanning bull!
- ★ Great grandam B297 was also a super deep-sided, broody cow. She ended her career with 14 progeny at a perfect 365 day calving interval! She brought an unprecedented 4 photo feature sons to auction, and averaged \$5500 on her 6 sons – an impressive figure for a cow who would be 19 years old if still living!

## 118 Spring Bred Heifer

## BLKCP EMPRESS ELLSTON X138

Reg. 19813220

Tattoo: L/R X138

02/14/20

Connealy Cool 39L  
**SYDGEN SIZZLE**  
WK Hazel 9201

Connealy Heat 0243 #  
JMc Jeena Allie 8345 5399 #  
Pine Ridge Hammer S322 #  
ALC Hazel L12L  
Basin Excitement #  
Pride of Ellston K68 #  
Woodhill Statesman 54K-90N #  
Blackcap Empress R210 #

Hoover Elation M123  
**BLKCP EMPRESS ELLSTON P509**  
Blkcp Empress Ellston F501 #

BW	73
ADJ. 205/WR	622/96
ADJ. 365/YR	915/96
%IMF/RATIO	3.39/68
RE/RATIO	11.3/107

CED	BW	WW	YW	RADG	YH	SC	\$W
+11 15%	+1 25%	+57	+99	+20	+4	+99	+65
HP	CEM	Milk	Doc	Claw	Angle	\$M	
+18.5 2%	+12 15%	+26	+19	+43 20%	+56	+85 4%	
CW	MB	RE	Fat	\$F	\$B	\$C	
+29	-.04	+63	+.031	+60	+79	+187	
Dam	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters In Herd	
	3-103	3-99	2-100	None	None	1-110	

- ★ Ultrasound safe to Hoover Victorious, due approximately February 20, 2022.
- ★ X138 is a deep, broody, yet pretty fronted heifer. The Sizzle heifers shine as bred heifers, and this one sure does. Another trait of Sizzle progeny is super slick hair coats, and X138 does that very well too.
- ★ X138 is a 15<sup>th</sup> generation Blackcap Empress Ellston female to be bred, born, and raised in Ellston, Iowa for the Hoover family! The first two cows "off the pedigree" going down the dam's side of X138's pedigree are remembered as some of the good 'ole gals – extremely productive cows that were counted on to bring in an excellent calf year after year.
- ★ Dam P509's first daughter, S419, is doing a tremendous job in the Hoover herd and ties as the 11<sup>th</sup> top indexing cow! S419's first daughter was the #1 adjusted weaning weight, #1 adjusted yearling weight heifer of her crop and was purchased as a photo feature in our 2021 auction by repeat customer Gerald Swelling. Gerald loves her! S419's second daughter was the 7<sup>th</sup> top weaning, 4<sup>th</sup> top yearling weight heifer, and sells as a feature bred heifer, Lot 152.
- ★ Grandam F501 earned Pathfinder honors and produced two sons averaging \$5500. One daughter was the 4<sup>th</sup> top weaning weight, 5<sup>th</sup> top yearling weight heifer of her crop.
- ★ Great grandam R210, a Pathfinder, has been gone for over a decade now, but recorded 12-102 WR. Ask Joy or John, she was one of the best of her day! Progeny sold to three states and Canada.



Photo courtesy of  
Jeff DeYoung,  
Iowa Farmer Today

The Hoover Angus family was on the front cover of *Iowa Farmer Today* on May 1, 2021 for the beginning of Beef Month, and John and the heifers were pictured inside the newspaper.



# SPRING BRED HEIFERS



# 119 Spring Bred Heifer

## BLUEBLOOD LADY ELLSTON X172

Reg. 19813232

Tattoo: L/R X172

02/18/20

SydGen Enhance  
MOGCK ENTICE  
MOGCK Erica 2255 #

Hoover Emperor  
BLUEBLOOD LADY ELLSTON M128  
Blueblood Lady Ellston B93

SydGen Exceed 3223  
SydGen Rita 2618  
Mogck Sure Shot 253  
MOGCK Erica 2162  
SydGen C C & 7 #  
Blkcp Empress Ellston G403 #  
Mogck New Design 878 C1181  
Blueblood Lady Ellston Z93 #

BW	81
ADJ. 205/WR	755/116
ADJ. 365/YR	1078/113
%IMF/RATIO	5.11/102
RE/RATIO	11.6/109

CED	BW	WW	YW	RADG	YH	SC	\$W
+3	+2.7	+81	5% +143	5% +29	20% +1.2	3% +2.01	3% +86
HP	CEM	Milk	Doc	Claw	Angle	\$M	
+19.2	1%	+3	+32	10%	+32	2%	+39
CW	MB	RE	Fat	\$F	\$B	\$C	
+63	15%	+81	30%	+84	20%	-0.28	10%
Dam	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters In Herd	
	6-101	6-104	5-104	3-\$4350	None	1-108	

- ★ Ultrasound safe to Connealy Garrison, due approximately March 31, 2022.
- ★ X172 is an attractively made, long spined, smooth, soggy female that will make a great brood cow! She was the 6<sup>th</sup> top weaning weight heifer of her crop!
- ★ X172 has one of the top Heifer Pregnancy (HP) EPDs of any female selling! She is one of 8 females selling today with a +300 or better \$C.
- ★ Dam M128 has a perfect 365 day calving interval and is an easy cow to work with at calving time. Her sons work for Brad Ayers, Clay Howerton, and Ryan Knobbe.
- ★ M128's daughter that works in the herd was the 9<sup>th</sup> top weaning weight heifer of her crop and is off to a great start with her first calf that weaned at 814 pounds and sells as Lot 18.
- ★ M128 is a big ribeye female, scanning a 14.2" ribeye herself. She is now the 3<sup>rd</sup> top ribeye ratio cow of the herd with 4-113 ribeye ratio!
- ★ Granddam B93 was a small cow that always weaned a huge percentage of her body weight. Her 11 calves have come on a 363 day calving interval – I call that fertility! Her sons and daughters work for Mike Bredemeier, Rod Hart, Steve Gillman, Lisa Buchholz, Steve & Doug Garrett, Matt Erickson, Randy Huninghake, and Ralph Ballanger. She definitely puts some style and muscle in her progeny.
- ★ Pathfinder great granddam Z93 was one of the best herd bull makers we have ever had in production. Every single bull calf she raised was a standout in his crop. She ended her career with 12-98 BWR, 12-104 WR, 12-101 YR, 12-107 IMF ratio, 12-104 RE ratio and a 360 day calving interval. Z93 had nearly a perfect udder at the end of her career at 13 years of age. She was a smaller framed, very easy fleshing gal.



JESSICA OF ELLSTON X194 – Lot 121

# 121 Spring Bred Heifer

## JESSICA OF ELLSTON X194

Reg. 19813238

Tattoo: L/R X194

02/23/20

Hoover No Doubt  
HOOVER KNOW HOW  
Blkcp Empress Ellston L265 #

SydGen Journey 8200  
JESSICA OF ELLSTON M314 #  
Jessica of Ellston E265 #

Mogck Bullseye #  
Miss Blackcap Ellston J2  
SydGen Storm 8504  
Blkcp Empress Ellston J120  
SydGen Journey 4355  
Basin Lucy 1736  
H&K Neutron 377 B2  
Jessica of Ellston B242 #

BW	72
ADJ. 205/WR	695/107
ADJ. 365/YR	1050/110
%IMF/RATIO	6.85/137
RE/RATIO	10.4/98

CED	BW	WW	YW	RADG	YH	SC	\$W
+2	+2.5	+65	30% +131	15% +32	10% +1.0	10% +2.01	3% +64
HP	CEM	Milk	Doc	Claw	Angle	\$M	
+19.0	1%	+6	+30	20%	+15	+40	15%
CW	MB	RE	Fat	\$F	\$B	\$C	
+77	3%	+68	+54	+060	+138	1%	+185
Dam	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters In Herd	
	7-95	7-104	6-104	2-\$4500	1-\$4250	2-100	

- ★ Ultrasound safe to Mogck Empire 110, due approximately March 2, 2022.
- ★ X194 is a soggy brood cow! She's a tank!
- ★ X194 has the top \$Feedlot Value of any female selling today and the 4<sup>th</sup> top \$C!
- ★ X194 was super calm on picture taking day – she takes after her mother, who has an excellent disposition! M314 is one of my favorite cows to work with at AI time, because even when she is in heat, she never gets in a hurry!
- ★ X194 is one of 4 bred heifers selling that is backed by three (or more) consecutive generations of Pathfinder cows down her dam's side! Where else can you find this? In any given year, less than 1% of the nation's Angus dams are included in the Pathfinder report.
- ★ Dam M314 has a 363 day calving interval on her 7 progeny. Her progeny work for Sydenstricker Genetics, Monty Collins, and Terry Shaffer. Two pretty daughters work in the herd.
- ★ Pathfinder granddam E265 has been gone for many years now, but added style and substance to her progeny. She ended her career with an impeccable 364 day calving interval on 11 progeny!

# 120 Spring Bred Heifer

## LADY IDA OF ELLSTON X299

Reg. 19813269

Tattoo: L/R X299

03/20/20

EF Commando 1366 #  
BALDRIDGE 38 SPECIAL  
Baldrige Isabel Y69

SydGen C C & 7 #  
LADY IDA OF ELLSTON L32  
Lady Ida of Ellston C164 #

EF Complement 8088 #  
Riverbend Young Lucy W1470  
Styles Upgrade J59 #  
Baldrige Isabel T935  
S A F Connection #  
SydGen Forever Lady 4087  
TC Gridiron 258 #  
G G Ida 9183 #

BW	82
ADJ. 205/WR	699/108
ADJ. 365/YR	963/101
%IMF/RATIO	3.82/77
RE/RATIO	9.9/93

CED	BW	WW	YW	RADG	YH	SC	\$W
+2	+1.8	+77	10% +132	15% +27	+1.2	3% +88	+78
HP	CEM	Milk	Doc	Claw	Angle	\$M	
+16.0	10%	+9	+25	20%	+47	+43	25%
CW	MB	RE	Fat	\$F	\$B	\$C	
+60	20%	+80	30%	+50	+026	+102	20%
Dam	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters In Herd	
	7-104	7-103	6-101	1-\$3500	3-\$3800	None	

- ★ Ultrasound safe to Raml Optics 0710, due approximately March 4, 2022.
- ★ X299 is a clean fronted, bigger framed heifer that offers good length of body – what people come to Hoovers for!
- ★ The CC&7 shines through in this pedigree giving X299 a nice disposition.
- ★ Dam L32 is a broody, slick haired, square-made female that is a model Angus cow. She has a 362 day calving interval on her 7 progeny. Her progeny work for Randy Taylor, Noel Williams, Chuck Gravois and Lyle Ellison.
- ★ Pathfinder granddam C164 is regarded as one of the herd's all-time greats! She is likely one of the best 5 cows to ever be in production at Hoover Angus – from her fertility to her udder, and tremendous progeny, she nails it all.
- ★ C164 recorded 10-107 WR and a 362 day calving interval and had been flushed 5 different times. She had 28 progeny registered at Hoover Angus. At the end of her career, she had grossed over \$186,000 on registered progeny sales (excluding embryo sales), with her 13 sons averaging over \$10,000! C164's top-selling son was the \$56,000 Hoover Inspiration – our second top-selling bull in history. Her top daughter was H6, the #1 weaning weight, #2 yearling weight heifer of her crop that sold as the lead-off bred heifer in our 2011 auction for \$33,500 to KDS Angus.

*We are fortunate to live just a few miles away from Derek Jones who helps out on weekends, the summer, and about anytime he isn't in school! He's always in good spirits, even after trying to get John and his bobcat unstuck from the mud!*



# SPRING BRED HEIFERS

# HOOVER Angus

## 122 Spring Bred Heifer ELBAMERE QUEEN ELLSTON X227

Reg. 19813247 Tattoo: L/R X227 02/28/20

Fortunes Conquest 224  
**BALDRIDGE CHAIRMAN**  
Baldrige Isabel B061

Connealy Impact #  
**ELBAMERE QUEEN ELLSTON S2**  
Elbamere Queen Ellston G168 #

Connealy Confidence 0100 #  
Fortunes 4412 Ethelda 742  
G A R Prophet #  
Baldrige Isabel Y69  
Connealy Impression #  
Elza of Conanga 8265 #  
SydGen C C & 7 #  
Elbamere Queen Ellston D71

BW	64
ADJ. 205/WR	645/99
ADJ. 365/YR	971/102
%IMF/RATIO	3.90/78
RE/RATIO	10.6/100

CED	BW		WW		YW	RADG		YH	SC		SW		
+11	15%	-9	10%	+62	+108	+22		+8	25%	+2.53	1%	+78	15%
HP	CEM			Milk		Doc		Claw		Angle		\$M	
+12.2	+9		+32		10%	+18	+52		+53		+69		30%
CW	MB			RE		Fat		\$F		\$B		\$C	
+43	+27			+74		+006		+83		+119		+223	
Dam	BWR	WWR		YWR	Sons @ Auction		Daughters @ Auction		Daughters In Herd				
	3-106	3-100		2-106	None		1-\$3900		None				

- ★ Ultrasound safe to Freys Cowboy Logic, due approximately February 19, 2022.
- ★ X227 is a curious, bigger framed gal that has good body to her. I like her! She is a 13<sup>th</sup> generation bred, born, and raised female from the Elbamere Queen family at Hoover Angus!
- ★ X227 is the #1 Scrotal EPD female to sell today.
- ★ Dam S2 has a superb 354 day calving interval on her 3 progeny. Her first daughter that was the 4<sup>th</sup> top ribeye scanning heifer of her crop works for repeat customer Jerry Findley.
- ★ With 2-110 ribeye ratio, S2 ties as the 6<sup>th</sup> top ribeye ratio cow of the herd!
- ★ S2 weaned at 773 pounds to be the 8<sup>th</sup> top weaning weight heifer of her crop, and her twin brother weaned at 887 pounds to be the 5<sup>th</sup> top weaning weight bull of his crop!
- ★ Pathfinder grandam G168 was a highly productive cow that ended her career with a 361 day calving interval and two sets of twins. Her sons averaged \$7575 and work for Ryan Thornton, Mike Archer, Glen Hanson, and Brandon Taglauer. Five of G168's progeny were among the top 10 adjusted weaning weight calves of their respective crops!
- ★ G168 descends from a tremendous cow family – her 4<sup>th</sup> generation dam has a total of 43 daughter descendants that have worked in the Hoover herd, with 13 of those earning Pathfinder honors!

## 124 Spring Bred Heifer BLACKBIRD OF ELLSTON X254

Reg. 19813258 Tattoo: L/R X254 03/05/20

HA Cowboy Up 5405  
**FREYS COWBOY LOGIC**  
F A R Princess 148Z

Baldrige 38 Special  
**BLACKBIRD OF ELLSTON T151**  
Blackbird of Ellston P265

HA Outside 3008  
HA Blackcap Lady 1602 #  
WK Bobcat #  
F A R Princess 214X #  
EF Commando 1366 #  
Baldrige Isabel Y69  
Connealy Counselor #  
Blackbird of Ellston D362

BW	70
ADJ. 205/WR	602/93
ADJ. 365/YR	991/104
%IMF/RATIO	4.59/92
RE/RATIO	11.9/112

CED	BW		WW		YW		RADG		YH		SC		\$W	
+9	25%	+1.4	+80	10%	+150	3%	+30	15%	+1.2	3%	+1.18	30%	+82	10%
HP	CEM		Milk		Doc		Claw		Angle				\$M	
+13.9	25%	+10	+27		+13		+40		15%	+43	25%	+72	25%	
CW	MB		RE		Fat		\$F		\$B		\$C			
+54	+71		+54		+030		+92		+143		+257		30%	
Dam	BWR		WWR		YWR		Sons @ Auction		Daughters @ Auction		Daughters In Herd			
	2-107		2-102		1-104		None		None		None			
Grandam	BWR		WWR		YWR		Sons @ Auction		Daughters @ Auction					
	3-110		3-102		2-107		1-\$6000		1-\$2300					

- ★ Ultrasound safe to Raml Optics 0710, due approximately February 24, 2022.
- ★ X254 is a pretty, easy fleshing, really long, deep, and thick heifer. She is one of the most slick haired females in her calf crop, which is of course important when grazing endophyte-infected fescue.
- ★ X254 was T151's first calf. Her second calf was the 4<sup>th</sup> top weaning weight bull of his crop at 832 pounds. He is a nice Magnitude son that sells as Lot 65. T151 has a 352 day calving interval on her first two progeny.
- ★ T151 weaned at 722 pounds to be the 11<sup>th</sup> top weaning weight heifer of her crop.
- ★ Grandam P265 is a twinning machine. She is due with her third-in-a-row set this February! She even has a superior 356 day calving interval!
- ★ P265's progeny work for Paul Nelson and Gerald Swelling. Paul's bull was the 8<sup>th</sup> top weaning weight bull of his crop and the #1 ribeye scanning bull of our 2021 sale yearlings with a 17.8" ribeye! P265 is the herd's 4<sup>th</sup> top ribeye ratio cow with 3-113 ribeye ratio!
- ★ X254 is a 13<sup>th</sup> generation bred, born, and raised Blackbird of Ellston female. Her 6<sup>th</sup> generation dam G100 will be one we remember for a long time – she was deep, soggy, fertile and highly productive. G100 produced until over 17 years of age, and the day she went to town, she walked just as smooth as what she did when she was half that age. She ended her career with a whopping 110 wean ratio on her progeny!

## 123 Spring Bred Heifer BLACKBIRD OF ELLSTON X271

Reg. 19813264 Tattoo: L/R X271 03/09/20

Baldrige 38 Special  
**HOOVER SPECIAL EDITION S454**  
Edella of Ellston N473 #

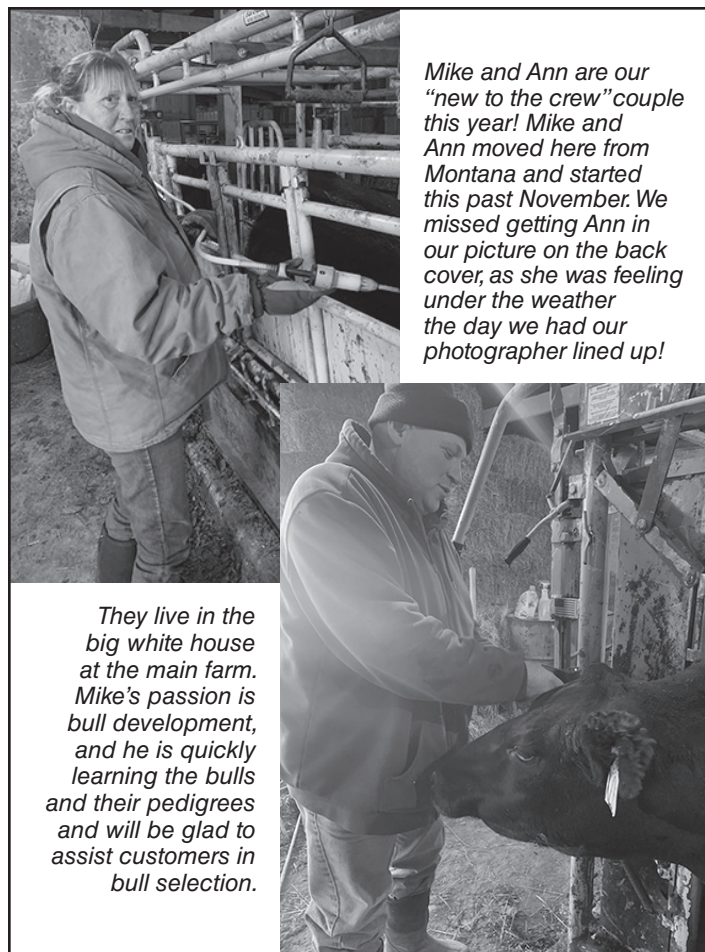
Moore Gold Mine  
**BLACKBIRD OF ELLSTON S299**  
Blackbird of Ellston D362

EF Commando 1366 #  
Baldrige Isabel Y69  
Connealy Direct Deposit #  
Edella of Ellston K264  
Moore Gold 710  
Moore Upward 623 #  
Woodhill Statesman 54K-90N #  
Blackbird of Ellston A24 #

BW	77
ADJ. 205/WR	608/94
ADJ. 365/YR	894/94
%IMF/RATIO	4.33/87
RE/RATIO	9.9/93

CED	BW		WW		YW	RADG		YH	SC		\$W	
+7	+9		+65 30%		+108	+18		+5	+1.75 10%		+81 10%	
HP	CEM		Milk		Doc		Claw		Angle		\$M	
+17.4	4%	+5	+30 20%		+18	+49		+55	+95		1%	
CW	MB		RE		Fat		\$F		\$B		\$C	
+27	+81 30%		+20		+062		+56		+104		+230	
Dam	BWR	WWR	YWR		Sons @ Auction		Daughters @ Auction		Daughters In Herd			
	3-104	3-98	2-99		1-\$3000		None		None			

- ★ Ultrasound safe to Mogck Empire 110, due approximately February 24, 2022.
- ★ X271 is a more moderate heifer that is deep chested, has an attractive profile and is a proud gal. The clubby guys might find her!
- ★ X271 has one of the top \$Maternal Values in the females selling.
- ★ Dam S299's first son works for repeat customer Kirk Egbert in Idaho – he was a deep bodied, nice Elation son. S299's 2021 son was one of the youngest bull calves of the crop, but nonetheless weaned at an adjusted 762 pounds!
- ★ S299 was her dam's last calf, and D362 had a 366 day calving interval on her 11 calves. She had an average 101 WR on her progeny and her very first daughter was a photo feature selling to repeat customer Bill Hargrafen. A featured son works for Wayne Haidisiak, and her other progeny work for Eagle Grip Cattle Co., Homer Tanner, Allan Dolecheck, Ryan Wilson, and Dustin McCoy.
- ★ D362 was a moderate bodied, thick, stout cow, as was her dam A24, a Pathfinder.
- ★ X271 and Lot 124 share the common ancestor of the great G100 cow – read about her in the last paragraph of Lot 124's footnote. John, Joy & Landi can remember her vividly, even though she has been gone now for close to 20 years!



Mike and Ann are our "new to the crew" couple this year! Mike and Ann moved here from Montana and started this past November. We missed getting Ann in our picture on the back cover, as she was feeling under the weather the day we had our photographer lined up!

They live in the big white house at the main farm. Mike's passion is bull development, and he is quickly learning the bulls and their pedigrees and will be glad to assist customers in bull selection.



**MISS BLACKBIRD ELLSTON X178**

Reg. 19813234

Tattoo: L/R X178

02/19/20

Mogck Bullseye #  
**HOOPER NO DOUBT**  
Miss Blackcap Ellston J2

Baldrige 38 Special  
**MISS BLACKBIRD ELLSTON S177**  
Miss Blackbird Ellston L52

Mogck Sure Shot #  
Mogck Mary 1255  
SydGen C C & 7 #  
Miss Blackcap Ellston D154 #  
EF Commando 1366 #  
Baldrige Isabel Y69  
Hoover Dam #  
Miss Blackbird Ellston C224

BW	68
ADJ. 205/WR	627/97
ADJ. 365/YR	917/97
%IMF/RATIO	7.31/146
RE/RATIO	9.5/90

CED	BW	WW	YW	RADG	YH	SC	\$W
+7	+8	+62	+110	+23	+3	+1.80	5% +65
HP	CEM	Milk	Doc	Claw	Angle	\$M	
+14.3	20%	+12	15%	+22	+20	+35	4% +43 25% +86 3%
CW	MB	RE	Fat	\$F	\$B	\$C	
+37	+1.24	5%	+38	+0.72	+79	+148	+278 15%
Dam	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters In Herd	
	3-94	3-96	2-101	1-\$4500	None	None	
Grandam	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction		
	5-97	4-101	4-101	1-\$5250	None		

- ★ Ultrasound safe to Ram! Optics 0710, due approximately February 20, 2022.
- ★ X178 is an attractive, easy fleshing, stylish heifer. She is moderate and broody; I really like her! She was one of the top IMF scanning heifers of her crop! X178 has the #1 Marbling EPD in the sale!
- ★ X178 traces back 13 generations to Miss Blackbird of Ellston 2, a 1947-model female, sired by the foundational herd sire at Hoover Angus, Revolutions Bell Boy. Bell Boy would have been 10 years old when he sired this cow. I wonder if Walt Hoover would have dreamed that Bell Boy would be in the ancestry of a vast majority of Hoover bloodlines nearly 90 years after he purchased this bull?
- ★ Dam S177 is a fertile cow with a 355 day calving interval. She is the dam of the featured open heifer, Lot 173. S177's only son works for Dr. Erik Laumann.
- ★ With 2-153 IMF ratio, S177 is the herd's 3<sup>rd</sup> top IMF ratio cow!
- ★ Grandam L52 has put more replacement daughters (5) in the herd than nearly any other cow that hasn't served as a donor. They are superior uddered females doing a very nice job!



**BLKCP EMPRESS ELLSTON X261 – Lot 126**

**BLKCP EMPRESS ELLSTON X261**

Reg. 19813262

Tattoo: L/R X261

03/07/20

EF Commando 1366 #  
**BALDRIDGE 38 SPECIAL**  
Baldrige Isabel Y69

SydGen C C & 7 #  
**BLKCP EMPRESS ELLSTON N476**  
Blkcp Empress Ellston D515 #

EF Complement 8088 #  
Riverbend Young Lucy W1470  
Styles Upgrade J59 #  
Baldrige Isabel T935  
S A F Connection #  
SydGen Forever Lady 4087  
TC Gridiron 258 #  
Blkcp Empress Ellston A648

BW	81
ADJ. 205/WR	691/106
ADJ. 365/YR	1054/110
%IMF/RATIO	4.95/99
RE/RATIO	11.1/105

CED	BW	WW	YW	RADG	YH	SC	\$W
+3	+1.9	+86	2%	+149	3%	+30	15% +1.2 3% +1.41 20% +87 4%
HP	CEM	Milk	Doc	Claw	Angle	\$M	
+20.9	1%	+5	+26	+30	5%	+34	3% +32 2% +97 1%
CW	MB	RE	Fat	\$F	\$B	\$C	
+53	+1.15	10%	+44	-0.18	15%	+87	+160 20% +305 4%
Dam	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters In Herd	
	5-113	5-107	4-109	2-\$5250	None	1-103	

- ★ Ultrasound safe to Connealy Garrison, due approximately April 30, 2022.
- ★ X261 is a bigger framed heifer, but sure has plenty of body to go along with it. She is wide based, correct, flat in her top line, and a real nice total package! She is a gentle heifer. When AAA regional manager Adam Conover came for a herd visit in September, this heifer was one of his favorites!
- ★ X261 offers the highest Heifer Pregnancy (HP) EPD of any animal selling today and the 2<sup>nd</sup> highest \$Maternal Value! She is one of 8 females selling with a +300 or better \$C and one of 7 females with a +1.00 Marbling EPD or greater.
- ★ Dam N476 is a productive cow with one nice daughter retained in the herd – she is the dam of Lot 127. N476's sons work for Doug Kirk and Howard Paulsen. Howard's bull was the 2<sup>nd</sup> top YW bull of his crop and the #1 \$Beef animal of our 2018 sale.
- ★ N476's most recent calf was a heifer weaning at 768 pounds to be the 3<sup>rd</sup> top weaning weight heifer of our 2021 crop.
- ★ N476 is a maternal sister to the great G403 cow that placed two bulls in AI studs – Hoover Leadman (Alta) and Hoover Emperor (Genex). Emperor was the #1 adjusted weaning weight, #1 adjusted yearling weight bull of his crop and the top selling bull in our 2012 auction. Emperor has been used heavily in overseas markets for producing high growth, good footed cattle. Three of G403's sons were the #1 WW and #1 YW bull calves of their respective crops.
- ★ Pathfinder grandam D515 tied as the 8<sup>th</sup> top indexing cow of the Hoover herd when she died. Her first son was the #1 adjusted weaning weight bull in our history at that time at 921 pounds. D515 produced a total of 4 sons or daughters that were among the top 10 adjusted weaning weight bull or heifer calves of their respective crop. Sons work for Tom Young, Allan Dolecheck, Carl Dethlefs & Sons, Richard Beck, and Highland Farms.

**CONNEALY GARRISON**

**19829303**



CED	BW	WW	YW	SC	DOC	HP	CEM	MILK	MB	RE	CLAW	ANGLE
+13	-3.0	+70	+126	+69	+31	+14.8	+9	+28	+73	+88	+58	+58
10%	1%	20%	20%		3%	20%		30%		15%		

Connealy Rampart  
**CONNEALY STRONGHOLD**  
Presta of Conanga 5817

Basin Payweight 1682 #  
**JOY OF CONANGA 234 747X**  
Jaze of Conanga 234

Connealy Confidence Plus  
Rubista of Conanga 2304 #  
Connealy Comrade 1385 #  
Pretty of Conanga 8821 388X #  
Basin Payweight 006S #  
21AR O Lass 7017  
Connealy Lead On #  
Jaycee of Conanga 233

\$M	+71	25%
\$F	+82	10%
\$B	+136	
\$C	+247	

- ★ Garrison was selected by Alta Genetics in the the spring 2021 Connealy Angus sale and is the service sire of several heifers selling today.
- ★ Garrison is a laid back bull that is really stylish and attractive, and doesn't sacrifice muscle and bone like most bulls with such an elite calving ease package! Garrison is more moderate in frame than most Hoover cattle, and was used on some of our bigger framed heifers for their first calf.

**ALL bred females selling in this sale will NOT require an A.I. certificate to be purchased by the new owner in order to register her first calf. Females due with an A.I. calf are sold with A.I. breeding privilege to save you time and expense.**



**BLKCP EMPRESS ELLSTON X229 – Lot 127**

## 128 Spring Bred Heifer

## BLACKBIRD OF ELLSTON X137

Reg. 19813219

Tattoo: L/R X137

02/14/20

EF Commando 1366 #  
**BALDRIDGE 38 SPECIAL**  
Baldrige Isabel Y69

EF Complement 8088 #  
Riverbend Young Lucy W1470  
Styles Upgrade J59 #  
Baldrige Isabel T935  
Bruns Uppercut 610  
Dakota Miss 669 Baf #  
Connealy Counselor #  
Blackbird of Ellston G24 #

BW	69
ADJ. 205/WR	739/114
ADJ. 365/YR	974/102
%IMF/RATIO	4.13/83
RE/RATIO	11.5/108

Bruns Top Cut 373 #  
**BLACKBIRD OF ELLSTON T97**  
Blackbird of Ellston L68

CED		BW		WW		YW		RADG		YH		SC		\$W	
+9	25%	+2	25%	+93	1%	+154	2%	+23		+1.1	10%	+1.75	10%	+119	1%
HP		CEM		Milk		Doc				Claw		Angle		\$M	
+15.1	15%	+9		+41	1%	+21			+44	25%	+54			+94	1%
CW		MB		RE		Fat				\$F		\$B		\$C	
+67	10%	+76		+88	20%	+017			+94	30%	+152	30%	+291	10%	
Dam	BWR		WWR		YWR		Sons @ Auction		Daughters @ Auction		Daughters In Herd				
	1-103		1-114		1-102		None		None		None				
Grandam	BWR		WWR		YWR		Sons @ Auction		Daughters @ Auction						
	7-100		7-97		5-100		3-\$6600		1-\$7500						

- ★ Ultrasound safe to Mogck Empire 110 due approximately February 16, 2022.
- ★ X137 is a pretty fronted heifer with nice thickness. She is easy to find in the pasture! It appears she has the start of a nice udder.
- ★ X137 was the 8<sup>th</sup> top weaning weight heifer of her crop! She offers a really nice, well-balanced set of EPDs! She ties as the #1 WW EPD, #1 Milk EPD, and #1 \$Weaned Calf Value female to sell. She also has one of the top \$Maternal indexes.
- ★ Dam T97 was a first calf heifer with X137, and we lost her while she was raising X137.
- ★ Please take a minute or two to read about grandam L68, Pathfinder great grandam G24, and 4<sup>th</sup> generation dam X78, also a Pathfinder, in the footnote of Lot 110. This is one of the great cow families of Hoover Angus!

## 127 Spring Bred Heifer

## BLKCP EMPRESS ELLSTON X229

Reg. 19813248

Tattoo: L/R X229

02/29/20

EF Commando 1366 #  
**BALDRIDGE 38 SPECIAL**  
Baldrige Isabel Y69

Baldrige Chairman  
**BLKCP EMPRESS ELLSTON T214**  
Blkcp Empress Ellston N476

EF Complement 8088 #  
Riverbend Young Lucy W1470  
Styles Upgrade J59 #  
Baldrige Isabel T935  
Fortunes Conquest 224  
Baldrige Isabel B061  
SydGen C C & 7 #  
Blkcp Empress Ellston D515 #

BW	75
ADJ. 205/WR	696/107
ADJ. 365/YR	1045/110
%IMF/RATIO	4.29/86
RE/RATIO	12.0/113

CED	BW		WW		YW		RADG		YH		SC		\$W	
-4	+3.9		+88		2% +154		2% +27		+1.1 10%		+1.47 15%		+90 3%	
HP	CEM		Milk		Doc		Claw		Angle				\$M	
+15.2	15%	+7	+34		5% +26		15% +42		20% +59				+65	
CW	MB		RE		Fat		\$F		\$B				\$C	
+64	15%	+72	+58		+032		+100		20% +152		30% +262		25%	
Dam	BWR		WWR		YWR		Sons @ Auction		Daughters @ Auction		Daughters In Herd			
	2-110		2-103		1-110		None		None		None			
Grandam	BWR		WWR		YWR		Sons @ Auction		Daughters @ Auction					
	5-113		5-107		4-109		2-\$5250		None					

- ★ Ultrasound safe to Raml Optics 0710, due approximately February 22, 2022.
- ★ X229 is an attractive, nice quartered heifer with plenty of rib and a smooth topline.
- ★ X229 is one of the calmest heifers of the group when she goes through the chute, and we noticed this on picture taking day too. She would be a great 4-H project for a young livestock enthusiast!
- ★ X229 has some of the top WW and YW EPDs among the females selling!
- ★ Dam T214 was a high performing female too, weaning at 716 pounds to be the 15<sup>th</sup> top weaning weight heifer of her crop, YW 1028 lbs., YR 108. She scanned a big 12.5" ribeye to ratio 117.
- ★ T214 is a pretty, young female that has a 369 day calving interval that will shorten up to significantly less than 365 days with her third calf.
- ★ My calving book notes from T214's first year calving say she was a great cow to work with. Her second year calving, she calved out in the lot (cows are supposed to be noticed in time and put into a calving pen *before* they calve), and by the time we found her and her calf, the calf was up sucking! We usually don't get too far away from the cows during calving season, so she spit it out quick and the calf got right up!
- ★ Please read about successful grandam N476 in the footnote of her featured daughter, Lot 126.



*John, Gwen and Ty on John's 96th birthday!*

## 129 Spring Bred Heifer

## MISS EMPRESS ELLSTON X250

Reg. 19813255

Tattoo: L/R X250

03/04/20

Fortunes Conquest 224  
**BALDRIDGE CHAIRMAN**  
Baldrige Isabel B061

Basin Excitement #  
**MISS EMPRESS ELLSTON R79**  
Miss Empress Ellston H131 #

Connealy Confidence 0100 #  
Fortunes 4412 Ethelda 742  
G A R Prophet #  
Baldrige Isabel Y69  
Basin Expedition R156  
Basin Lady S532 AK  
SydGen C C & 7 #  
Miss Empress V75

BW	81
ADJ. 205/WR	679/105
ADJ. 365/YR	957/101
%IMF/RATIO	5.43/109
RE/RATIO	9.8/92

CED	BW		WW		YW		RADG		YH		SC		\$W	
+7	+1.2		+75		10% +128		15% +.22		+5		-.08		+81 10%	
HP	CEM		Milk		Doc		Claw		Angle		SM			
+17.2	4%		+9		+26		+25 20%		+.56		+.39 10%		+85 4%	
CW	MB		RE		Fat		SF		SB		SC			
+51	+.56		+.71		+.020		+.88		+.135		+.260		30%	
Dam	BWR		WWR		YWR		Sons @ Auction		Daughters @ Auction		Daughters In Herd			
	4-103		4-101		3-102		1-\$4250		None		1-98			
Grandam	BWR		WWR		YWR		Sons @ Auction		Daughters @ Auction					
	9-108		9-106		7-103		1-\$2900		3-\$3675					

- ★ Ultrasound safe to Hoover Attraction, due approximately March 13, 2022.
- ★ X250 is a smooth, slick, long bodied heifer that will make a real nice, herd-building female. You can't go wrong with her, especially in fescue country!
- ★ I don't talk much about the sires of these heifers because we have a detailed sire directory glued in the front of this catalog, but I will mention Chairman and his dam here. Chairman's dam is one of the most up-and-coming females of the breed. Chairman was B061's first natural calf, and now her progeny sales are approaching \$1 million! She is the dam of Baldrige Pappy, the \$110,000 Hoover No Doubt son, as well as Baldrige Gibson, Baldrige Done Deal and Baldrige Movin On.
- ★ Dam R79's first daughter is in the replacement herd, and her first son works for repeat customer Rodney Lovitt.
- ★ R79 is an ideal-looking Angus cow – deep sided, easy fleshing, and pretty fronted. She has good mothering skills at calving time.
- ★ Pathfinder grandam H131 is also a pretty, slick haired, superior uddered female who is still going strong even into old age! Her progeny work for John Probasco, Chris Cadle, Mark Groth, and Todd Creason. Two of her progeny were among the top 10 adjusted weaning weight calves of their respective crops. Another productive daughter of H131 works in the Hoover herd.



# 130 Spring Bred Heifer

## BLKCP EMPRESS ELLSTON X276

Reg. 19813265

Tattoo: L/R X276

03/10/20

EF Commando 1366 #  
BALDRIDGE 38 SPECIAL  
Baldrige Isabel Y69

EF Complement 8088 #  
Riverbend Young Lucy W1470  
Styles Upgrade J59 #  
Baldrige Isabel T935  
SydGen C C & 7 #  
Lady Ida of Ellston C164 #  
Woodhill Statesman 54K-90N #  
Blkcp Empress Ellston C114

BW	79
ADJ. 205/WR	656/101
ADJ. 365/YR	946/99
%IMF/RATIO	4.84/97
RE/RATIO	11.1/105

CED	BW	WW	YW	RADG	YH	SC	\$W
+0	+2.7	+70	20% +108	+19	+1.2	3% +34	+79 10%
HP	CEM	Milk	Doc	Claw	Angle	\$M	
+13.7	25%	+8	+28 30%	+19	+31	2% +46	+91 2%
CW	MB	RE	Fat	\$F	\$B	\$C	
+41	+1.07	15%	+51	+0.31	+74	+140	+273 20%
Dam	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters In Herd	
6-107	6-102	4-103	3-\$5100	None	None	None	

- ★ Ultrasound safe to Raml Optics 0710, due approximately February 22, 2022.
- ★ X276 is a pretty, thick, nicely made heifer with the classic length we find in 38 Specials. She is a 15<sup>th</sup> generation bred, born, and raised Blackcap Empress Ellston female from Hoover Angus!
- ★ X276 is one of 7 females to sell with a +1.00 Marbling EPD or greater!
- ★ Dam N169 has earned Pathfinder honors with an excellent 364 day calving interval on her 6 progeny. Her 4 sons have averaged a 784 pound weaning weight, and sons work for Mike Archer, Matt & Jon Groves, and Bear Valley Farm.
- ★ Grandam F298 also earned Pathfinder honors, and had 10 calves at a 359 day calving interval! Her progeny averaged a 105 WR.
- ★ Eight Pathfinders are found in X276's three generation pedigree!

## Customer Corner



Brian and  
Brandon Taglauer

Lyle Olson



Joy and  
Richard Swaney

All long-time Hoover Angus customers!

# 131 Spring Bred Heifer

## BLACKBIRD BONNIE ELLSTONX317

Reg. 19813277

Tattoo: L/R X317

03/30/20

Connealy Counselor #  
HOOVER COUNSELOR N29  
Erica of Ellston G366 #

Connealy Mentor 7374 #  
Jaze of Conanga 234  
SydGen C C & 7 #  
Erica of Ellston D184  
EF Commando 1366 #  
Baldrige Isabel Y69  
Basin Excitement #  
Blackbird Bonnie EllstonJ413 #

BW	55
ADJ. 205/WR	569/88
ADJ. 365/YR	892/94
%IMF/RATIO	4.37/88
RE/RATIO	9.2/87

CED	BW	WW	YW	RADG	YH	SC	\$W
+12	10%	-8	15%	+74	15%	+134	10% +25
HP	CEM	Milk	Doc	Claw	Angle	\$M	
+16.4	10%	+9	+31	15%	+27	10% +44	25% +59
CW	MB	RE	Fat	\$F	\$B	\$C	
+57	25%	+60	+61	+0.10	+97	25%	+145
Dam	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters In Herd	
1-83	1-88	1-94	None	None	None	None	
Grandam	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters In Herd	
7-104	7-101	7-101	1-\$4000	2-\$4925			

- ★ Ultrasound safe to Hoover Attraction, due approximately March 13, 2022.
- ★ X317 is a young, but nice heifer. Check out her CED/BW EPD to WW and YW EPD spread!
- ★ Dam S437 was a first calf heifer with X317. S437 is a soft sided, easy fleshing, sound-made cow that has some of the top WW and YW EPDs of any cow in the herd! She was the #1 adjusted yearling weight heifer of her crop at 1074 pounds.
- ★ Grandam L413 has progeny working for John Palmer, Brady Geidel and Michael Kusgen. She has a 367 day calving interval.
- ★ L413 was the #1 adjusted weaning weight, 8<sup>th</sup> top yearling weight heifer of her crop!
- ★ Starting with great grandam J413, there are three consecutive generations of Pathfinder cows down the dam's side of X317's pedigree! The first cow "off the pedigree" was F492, and F492's first two daughters both earned Pathfinder honors!
- ★ J413 had three calves that were among the top 10 adjusted weaning weight calves of their respective crops. This cow family has been around for 15 consecutive generations at Hoover Angus, and they have stuck around because they have been good, solid, functional Angus cows that can thrive on Southern Iowa fescue!

# 132 Spring Bred Heifer

## MISS ERICA ELLSTON X132

Reg. 19813217

Tattoo: L/R X132

02/14/20

Hoover No Doubt  
HOOVER KNOW HOW  
Blkcp Empress Ellston L265 #

Mogck Bullseye #  
Miss Blackcap Ellston J2  
SydGen Storm 8504  
Blkcp Empress Ellston J120  
TC Friction 3275  
TC Barbara 3022  
Roth Famous 1006 #  
Miss Erica Ellston X42

BW	80
ADJ. 205/WR	651/100
ADJ. 365/YR	952/100
%IMF/RATIO	4.34/87
RE/RATIO	10.0/94

CED	BW	WW	YW	RADG	YH	SC	\$W
-5	+4.6	+64	+119	25%	+28	25%	+7
HP	CEM	Milk	Doc	Claw	Angle	\$M	
+15.9	10%	+6	+23	15%	+43	20%	+51
CW	MB	RE	Fat	\$F	\$B	\$C	
+49	+58	+46	+0.15	+95	30%	+140	+238
Dam	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters In Herd	
10-105	10-102	10-102	2-\$4000	5-\$3850	2-107		

- ★ Ultrasound safe to Mogck Empire 110, due approximately February 20, 2022.
- ★ X132 is a level topped heifer with nice bone.
- ★ Pathfinder dam H58 has a 360 day calving interval on 11 progeny! As a two year-old heifer, she calved in March, and every single year since then she has calved in February, with the exception of last year, when she calved in January. Her fertility has been exceptional, as has her longevity. Fertility is the #1 profitability factor in cow-calf operations!
- ★ H58 has two daughters working in the Hoover herd, the oldest of which has achieved Pathfinder honors. Read on page 21 about what it takes to earn this honor.
- ★ H58's progeny work for Rohach Angus Farm, Marvin Enabnit, Jim Ingalls, Myron Nothwehr, BJ Wolfe, Andrew Davidson, and Randy Boldt.

89 Hoover-owned females have a **Docility** EPD  
in or above the **best 1%** of the breed!

SPRING BRED HEIFERS

HOOVER  
Angus



**QUEEN OF ELLSTON X185 – Lot 133**



**Queen of Ellston C50**  
Pathfinder Hoover Donor  
Candid photo  
at 12 years of age  
Dam of Lot 133;  
Grandam of Lot 134

**HOOPER**  
134  
Spring Bred  
Heifer

**QUEEN OF ELLSTON X163**

Reg. 19813228

Tattoo: L/R X163

02/17/20

HA Cowboy Up 5405  
**FREYS COWBOY LOGIC**  
F A R Princess 148Z

HA Outside 3008  
HA Blackcap Lady 1602 #  
WK Bobcat #  
F A R Princess 214X #  
EF Commando 1366 #  
Baldrige Isabel Y69  
Roth Famous 1006 #  
Hawley West Girl 227

BW	60
ADJ. 205/WR	591/91
ADJ. 365/YR	925/97
%IMF/RATIO	3.91/78
RE/RATIO	9.5/90

Baldrige 38 Special  
**QUEEN OF ELLSTON T11**  
Queen of Ellston C50 #

CED	BW	WW	YW	RADG	YH	SC	\$W
+14 3%	-7 15%	+63	+109	+23	+7	+2.08 2%	+72 20%
HP	CEM	Milk	Doc	Claw	Angle	\$M	
+13.8 25%	+16 1%	+27	+18	+62	+57	+66	
CW	MB	RE	Fat	\$F	\$B	\$C	
+41	+54	+30	+033	+78	+118	+219	
Dam	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters In Herd	
	2-92	2-91	1-97	None	None	None	
Grandam	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters In Herd	
	14-100	14-106	11-103	23-\$6875	5-\$6550	7-105	

- ★ Ultrasound safe to Hoover Victorious, due approximately February 26, 2022.
- ★ X163 is a long spined heifer with nice bone. She strides out nice and smooth.
- ★ X163 offers the highest CED and CEM EPDs in the spring bred heifer division.
- ★ Dam T11 was a first calf heifer with X163. Her second calf, a nice heifer by Incredible, will be retained as her replacement.
- ★ T11 is a flush sister to Hoover 44 Mag, the 6<sup>th</sup> top-selling bull of our 2019 auction to Alta Genetics and Diamond J Angus Ranch for \$24,000!
- ★ Please read about Pathfinder donor grandam C50 in the footnote of her daughter, Lot 133. It's worth the read, she has been a tremendous cow!

**HOOPER**  
133  
Spring Bred  
Heifer

**QUEEN OF ELLSTON X185**

Reg. +19816299

Tattoo: L/R X185

02/21/20

SydGen Enhance  
**MOGCK ENTICE**  
MOGCK Erica 2255 #

SydGen Exceed 3223  
SydGen Rita 2618  
Mogck Sure Shot 253  
MOGCK Erica 2162  
Famous 7001 #  
Roth Formera 9199  
Great Western of Verola 478  
Lickings Eldorado 371 806

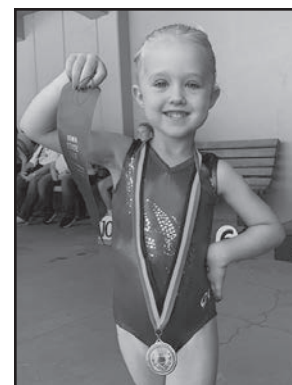
BW	82
ADJ. 205/WR	660/100
ADJ. 365/YR	1034/100
%IMF/RATIO	5.40/97
RE/RATIO	11.5/99

CED	BW		WW		YW		RADG		YH		SC		\$W		
-2	+2.8		+64		+121		25%	+29	20%	+1.1	10%	+1.61	10%	+71	25%
HP	CEM		Milk		Doc		Claw		Angle				SM		
+14.1	25%	+3	+38		2%	+28	10%	+54			+53			+53	
CW	MB		RE		Fat		\$F				\$B			\$C	
+58	25%	+52			+62		+017		+102		20%	+147		+244	
Dam	BWR		WWR		YWR		Sons @ Auction		Daughters @ Auction		Daughters In Herd				
	14-100		14-106		11-103		23-\$6875		5-\$6550		7-105				

- ★ Ultrasound safe to Connealy Garrison, due approximately April 1, 2022.
- ★ X185 is a heifer that really shines! She is easy to spot in this pasture for her length of body, rib, added bone, and smooth look. She has a pretty Angus head.
- ★ For those looking for heavier milking females, X185 fits the bill – she has the 2<sup>nd</sup> highest Milk EPD of all the females selling today.
- ★ Pathfinder donor dam C50 is regarded as the 2<sup>nd</sup> best cow ever in production at Hoover Angus! I'll try to hit the highlights here. At just a couple short months away from 17 years of age, we laid C50 to rest north of our bull barn, next to the other greats like CC&7, Gridiron, Bullseye, and G366.
- ★ Prior to holding C50 out of production for one year to flush her, she had a 363 day calving interval on her 13 natural progeny, which included stealing flushes in 6 different years. C50 weaned her 14<sup>th</sup> natural calf at over 16 years of age!
- ★ C50 had a superior udder, even into old age, and offered foot and structure quality rarely found. She was our oldest Pathfinder cow included on the 2019 Report, and is one of only a handful of Hoover cows to have grossed over \$100,000 on registered progeny sales. Progeny work in 7 states and Canada. Eleven of her progeny have been photo features in our past sales and 5 have topped the \$10,000 mark – for a 2004 model cow, that is excellent! Her 28 total progeny to come to auction averaged \$6825.
- ★ C50 has an amazing *three* Pathfinder daughters, one of which has grossed over \$100,000 in registered progeny sales and produced the \$26,000 lead-off bull in the 2019 Hoover sale to Mohnen Angus.
- ★ One C50 daughter raised the #1 adjusted weaning weight, #1 adjusted yearling weight bull of the 2019 Hoover crop and sold to Alta Genetics. C50 has a total of 8 active daughters in the Hoover herd, 7 of which have weaned progeny averaging an incredible 105 WR!
- ★ C50 had exceptional performance herself – WW 765 lbs., WR 115, YW 1050 lbs., YR 109. She scanned a whopping 13.2" ribeye to ratio 112. She was the 6<sup>th</sup> top adjusted weaning weight heifer of her crop.
- ★ There are very few C50 embryos left in the tank. This may very well be the last chance to purchase a direct C50 daughter! She comes highly recommended.
- ★ See many descendants of C50 on pages 21-23.



Andrew and Landi hardly ever get off the farm, but it has been one of Landi's lifetime goals to take a family vacation each year. Last year was the first! They took a loop through Missouri, Tennessee, Kentucky, Ohio, and Illinois seeing customers in each state. Thanks for the hospitality along the way! It was great to see Hoover genetics at work! This picture was taken at Pleasant Valley Farms in Shelbyville, TN.



Gwen places 2nd in her age division in the Iowa State Fair tumbling competition!



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**SPRING BRED HEIFERS**



# 135 Spring Bred Heifer

## ELLSTONS MISS BLACKBIRD X202

Reg. 19813241

Tattoo: L/R X202

02/24/20

Mogck Bullseye #  
**HOOVER BULLSEYE S476**  
Elbamere Queen Ellston G461

Connealy Counselor #  
**ELLSTONS MISS BLACKBIRD N281**  
Ellstons Miss Blackbird L63

Mogck Sure Shot #  
Mogck Mary 1255  
SydGen C C & 7 #  
Elbamere Queen Ellston D507 #  
Connealy Mentor 7374 #  
Jaze of Conanga 234  
Basin Excitement #  
Ellstons Miss Blackbird J58

BW	78
ADJ. 205/WR	589/91
ADJ. 365/YR	893/94
%IMF/RATIO	3.73/75
RE/RATIO	9.3/88

CED	BW	WW	YW	RADG	YH	SC	\$W
+6	+2.8	+68	25% +112	+22	+7	+89	+75 15%
HP	CEM	Milk	Doc	Claw	Angle	\$M	
+17.7	3%	+11	25% +30	20% +29	10% +48	+54	+86 3%
CW	MB	RE	Fat	\$F	\$B	\$C	
+45	+24	+65	+008	+84	+117	+238	
Dam	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters In Herd	
	5-101	5-96	3-97	None	1-\$1800	None	
Grandam	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction		
	7-98	7-105	5-104	1-\$12,000	1-\$2100		

- ★ Ultrasound safe to Raml Optics 0710, due approximately February 19, 2022.
- ★ X202 is a pretty fronted, attractive heifer that is a little more moderate and compact.
- ★ Sire S476 was a bull sold in our 2019 sale, but injured himself prior to breeding season. The bull got better, but since we had already replaced the bull for the customer that purchased him, we used S476 as a clean-up bull. He was no slouch of a bull, as he weaned at 933 pounds to be one of our heaviest weaning weight bulls in our history! We recently bred S476's dam in the fall herd – she is 13 years old and still going strong with a 362 day calving interval on her 11 recorded progeny. She'll wean her 12<sup>th</sup> calf this March.
- ★ Dam N281 is a great cow to work with at calving time each year. Even as a heifer, I have notes that she was a nice, calm female to work with. She has a 358 day calving interval. Dean Becker of Minnesota took home an open heifer daughter of N281.
- ★ Grandam L63 is a beautiful cow that produces some darn nice progeny! Her best son was the #1 yearling weight, 3<sup>rd</sup> top weaning weight bull of our 2019 crop and sold for \$12,000 to long-time repeat customer Lyle Olson. L63's 2020 daughter is one of my favorites by Hoover Longevity. She was the 10<sup>th</sup> top weaning weight heifer and 2<sup>nd</sup> top ribeye scanning heifer of her crop. A total of four of her progeny were among the top 10 adjusted weaning weight calves of their respective crops!
- ★ Great grandam J58 was a beautiful uddered cow that produced one Pathfinder daughter.
- ★ Seven Pathfinders are found in X202's three generation pedigree.



QUEEN OF ELLSTON X189 – Lot 137

# 137 Spring Bred Heifer

## QUEEN OF ELLSTON X189

Reg. 19813237

Tattoo: L/R X189

02/21/20

Hoover No Doubt  
**HOOVER NOTARY**  
Prim Lassie Ellston L455

Hoover Dam #  
**QUEEN OF ELLSTON K11 #**  
Queen of Ellston C355 #

Mogck Bullseye #  
Miss Blackcap Ellston J2  
Basin Excitement #  
Prim Lassie Ellston H491  
SydGen C C & 7 #  
Erica of Ellston C124 #  
R B M Neutron X3 192  
Queen of Ellston A345 #

BW	69
ADJ. 205/WR	639/98
ADJ. 365/YR	951/100
%IMF/RATIO	6.33/127
RE/RATIO	12.0/113

CED	BW	WW	YW	RADG	YH	SC	\$W
+11	15%	-1.9	4% +64	+115	30% +24	+7	+1.56 15% +76 15%
HP	CEM	Milk	Doc	Claw	Angle	\$M	
+10.0	+5	+28	30% +34	1% +36	5% +47	+74	20%
CW	MB	RE	Fat	\$F	\$B	\$C	
+59	25%	+80	30% +1.18	2% +0.03	+106	15% +171	10% +296 10%
Dam	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters In Herd	
	8-104	8-103	6-102	2-\$5750	None	2-97	

- ★ Ultrasound safe to Connealy Garrison, due approximately April 7, 2022.
- ★ *Intriguing donor cow prospect! Hoover Angus does reserve the right to one successful flush on this female (4 embryo minimum) at the buyer's convenience and Hoover Angus' expense.*
- ★ X189 is a bit bigger framed heifer that is long, stretchy, smooth, and proud. She is a gentle disposition heifer that truly matches her Docility EPD. She ties as the #1 Docility EPD female to sell!
- ★ X189 has been a pretty heifer since she was a calf! She is super slick haired to work well on fescue.
- ★ X189 had a really nice scan, and she is the 2<sup>nd</sup> top Ribeye EPD female to sell! It is rare for cattle with such high muscle to also be calving ease, but X189 is – she has the 2<sup>nd</sup> lowest BW EPD of the females selling!
- ★ Several cool things I discovered by looking at X189's pedigree a bit: all 7 cows in her three generation pedigree are Hoover cows (all with Ellston in their name). Her pedigree also brings in both of our most well-known sires: No Doubt and Hoover Dam. X189 is backed by three consecutive generations of Pathfinder cows down her dam's side of the pedigree!
- ★ Pathfinder dam K11 is a beautiful cow with a picture-perfect udder, even into old age! She has an excellent 366 day calving interval on her 8 progeny and a great disposition. Three of her daughters have been retained in the herd. Her oldest daughter produced Hoover Attraction – read about him on page 7 of your sire directory.
- ★ See K11 and Attraction's photos on the next page.
- ★ K11's sons work for Nathaniel Jackson and John Hartley.
- ★ K11 is the #1 Ribeye EPD cow in production at Hoover Angus! Likewise, she is the #1 ribeye ratio cow of the herd with a whopping 6-119 ribeye ratio! Two of her daughters have been the #1 scanning ribeye females of their crop out of 100+ heifers.
- ★ Pathfinder grandam C355 was always counted on to bring in a great calf at weaning time. She had two Pathfinder daughters to her honor. She ended her career with a 359 day calving interval on her 10 calvings and an average 107 WR on her progeny! Her 6 progeny to come to auction averaged \$6775, and two topped the \$10,000 mark.
- ★ X189 has a unique EPD profile – ultra calving ease, superior ribeye, and excellent docility and foot projections! She's got a lot of mating flexibility and might just make a pretty neat donor for someone!

# 136 Spring Bred Heifer

## BLACKBIRD OF ELLSTON X239

Reg. 19813249

Tattoo: L/R X239

03/02/20

Baldrige 38 Special  
**HOOVER SPECIAL EDITION S454**  
Edella of Ellston N473 #

SydGen Sizzle  
**BLACKBIRD OF ELLSTON T6**  
Blackbird of Ellston K226 #

EF Commando 1366 #  
Baldrige Isabel Y69  
Connealy Direct Deposit #  
Edella of Ellston K264  
Connealy Cool 39L  
WK Hazel 9201  
Connealy Reward #  
Blackbird of Ellston H38

BW	70
ADJ. 205/WR	617/95
ADJ. 365/YR	947/100
%IMF/RATIO	3.31/66
RE/RATIO	11.1/105

CED	BW	WW	YW	RADG	YH	SC	\$W
+5	+1.6	+71	20% +129	15% +26	+1.0	10% +1.43	15% +83 10%
HP	CEM	Milk	Doc	Claw	Angle	\$M	
+14.3	20%	+4	+35	4% +33	2% +40	15% +49	+78 10%
CW	MB	RE	Fat	\$F	\$B	\$C	
+54	+57	+75	30% -0.005	30% +94	30% +144	+265	25%
Dam	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters In Herd	
	2-102	2-98	1-100	None	None	None	
Grandam	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction		
	7-97	7-102	7-100	2-\$9000	2-\$5500		

- ★ Ultrasound safe to Freys Cowboy Logic, due approximately March 4, 2022.
- ★ X239 is a big ribbed, wide based heifer. She is a very gentle heifer, and her genomics read this way also. X239 is super slick haired and should work well on fescue.
- ★ X239 ties as the 2<sup>nd</sup> highest Docility EPD heifer in the spring bred heifer division!
- ★ Dam T6 has been one of my favorite Sizzle daughters since she was little. T6 now has a 356 day calving interval. Her 2021 son was an excellent Entice son that weaned at 758 pounds, but was getting picked on really bad by the other bulls and we had to sell him privately this past November. It's always the good ones!
- ★ Grandam K226 brings in a good calf every year! Her progeny work for Loehner Family Angus, Jerome Loutsch, Todd Creason, and H&S Cattle. Todd's bull tied as the 8<sup>th</sup> top weaning weight bull of his crop and was a really good, thick, stout bull. Tom Loehner returns to Hoover Angus to buy bulls because we help him select slick haired animals that work good in his south central Missouri location.
- ★ K226 is a fertile cow with a 363 day calving interval.

**SPRING BRED HEIFERS**

**HOOVER**  
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**Hoover Attraction**  
Owned with Mickey Angus  
\$15,000 Maternal Brother  
to Lot 138,  
Relative of Lot 137;  
service sire of many  
heifers selling



**Queen of Ellston K11**  
Pathfinder Dam of Lot 137,  
Grandam of Lot 138

**138**  
Spring Bred  
Heifer

### QUEEN OF ELLSTON X306

Reg. 19813274

Tattoo: L/R X306

03/23/20

Fortunes Conquest 224  
**BALDRIDGE CHAIRMAN**  
Baldrige Isabel B061

Connealy Confidence 0100 #  
Fortunes 4412 Ethelda 742  
G A R Prophet #  
Baldrige Isabel Y69  
Connealy Cool 39L  
WK Hazel 9201  
Hoover Dam #  
Queen of Ellston C355 #

BW	80
ADJ. 205/WR	596/92
ADJ. 365/YR	894/94
%IMF/RATIO	5.82/117
RE/RATIO	8.7/82

CED	BW	WW	YW	RADG	YH	SC	\$W
+3	+2.9	+60	+109	+19	+3	+1.16 30%	+60
HP	CEM	Milk	Doc	Claw	Angle	\$M	
+14.5 20%	+9	+26	+23 25%	+46 30%	+54	+76 15%	
CW	MB	RE	Fat	\$F	\$B	\$C	
+40	+95 20%	+48	+013	+74	+136	+252	
Dam	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters In Herd	
	3-106	3-97	2-100	1-\$15,000	None	None	
Grandam	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction		
	8-104	8-103	6-102	2-\$5750	None		

- ★ Ultrasound safe to Raml Optics 0710, due approximately February 26, 2022.
- ★ X306 is a slick haired, moderate framed heifer with nice length of body and a pretty front. She has a nice classic Angus head.
- ★ Dam S22 is a super slick haired, nice uddered cow with a 374 day calving interval that will shorten up to right at 365 days when she calves in February this year.
- ★ S22 is the dam of Hoover Attraction, the bull purchased by the Mickey family in Illinois and we share possession with Mickeys. Attraction is the service sire to several of these bred heifers selling today. See more about him on page 7 of our sire directory.
- ★ Please read about superior Pathfinder grandam K11 and Pathfinder great grandam C355 in the footnote of Lot 137.

## Got Muscle?

119 Hoover-owned females have a Ribeye EPD in the best 1-10% of the breed! The top 10 Ribeye EPD females at Hoover Angus are by 8 different sires – we use many bulls that are superior for muscle, not just one. Muscle and thickness have always been important to the Hoover family and customers!

**139**  
Spring Bred  
Heifer

### ELBAMERE QUEEN ELLSTON X294

Reg. 19813268

Tattoo: L/R X294

03/17/20

EF Commando 1366 #  
**BALDRIDGE 38 SPECIAL**  
Baldrige Isabel Y69

EF Complement 8088 #  
Riverbend Young Lucy W1470  
Styles Upgrade J59 #  
Baldrige Isabel T935  
SydGen C C & 7 #  
Erica of Ellston C124 #  
SydGen Journey 8200  
Elbamere Queen Ellston E316

Hoover Dam #  
**ELBAMERE QUEEN ELLSTON N132 #**  
Elbamere Queen Ellston L173

BW	81
ADJ. 205/WR	707/109
ADJ. 365/YR	1048/110
%IMF/RATIO	3.79/76
RE/RATIO	12.3/116

CED	BW	WW	YW	RADG	YH	SC	\$W
+8	+7	+90	1%	+158 2%	+28 25%	+1.4 1%	+1.68 10%
HP	CEM	Milk	Doc	Claw	Angle	\$M	
+10.8	+11 25%	+30 20%	+29 10%	+38 10%	+63	+66	
CW	MB	RE	Fat	\$F	\$B	\$C	
+67 10%	+80 30%	+72	+031	+102 20%	+159 20%	+272 20%	
Dam	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters In Herd	
	6-107	6-109	5-107	3-\$11,150	None	1-92	

- ★ Ultrasound safe to Raml Optics 0710, due approximately February 18, 2022.
- ★ X294 is a bigger framed, long bodied, classic 38 Special heifer from the last large crop of 38 Specials. It looks like she has the start of a nice udder. She is a 13<sup>th</sup> generation Elbamere Queen Ellston from Hoover Angus!
- ★ X294 weaned at 707 pounds to be the 14<sup>th</sup> top weaning weight heifer of her crop! Her full sister was the 10<sup>th</sup> top weaning weight heifer of our 2021 crop! X294 has the 3<sup>rd</sup> top WW EPD and 3<sup>rd</sup> top YW EPD of any female selling!
- ★ X294 has been noted as one of the best disposition females of her crop, and her mother and grandmother were very much the same way!
- ★ Dam N132 earned Pathfinder honors for her early initial calving, excellent calving interval of 364 days, and her high weaning ratios on her progeny.
- ★ N132's top accomplishment was producing the #1 adjusted weaning weight bull of our 2018 crop that was selected for \$26,000 by long-time repeat customer Glen Hanson. Brian James and Shane Triggs selected her other sons.
- ★ N132 has one nice daughter in the herd that has weaned two Entice sons averaging 735 pounds, and one calf that was sick prior to weaning drastically brought her average weaning ratios down.

**140**  
Spring Bred  
Heifer

### MISS ERICA ELLSTON X301

Reg. 19813270

Tattoo: L/R X301

03/21/20

Hoover Top Notch P409  
**HOOVER TOP NOTCH T90**  
Lady Ida of Ellston P295 #

Bruns Top Cut 373 #  
Erica of Ellston L5  
Mogck Bullseye #  
Lady Ida of Ellston L73  
Connealy Reflection #  
Hoff Rachel 8312 405  
Basin Excitement #  
Miss Erica Ellston E298 #

Jindra Double Vision #  
**MISS ERICA ELLSTON R102**  
Miss Erica Ellston L67 #

BW	67
ADJ. 205/WR	641/99
ADJ. 365/YR	927/98
%IMF/RATIO	3.61/72
RE/RATIO	9.9/93

CED	BW	WW	YW	RADG	YH	SC	\$W
+7	+9	+68 25%	+122 20%	+25	+5	+1.37 20%	+66
HP	CEM	Milk	Doc	Claw	Angle	\$M	
+16.1 10%	+11 25%	+21	+19	+50	+40 15%	+76 15%	
CW	MB	RE	Fat	\$F	\$B	\$C	
+47	+56	+70	+014	+91	+139	+256 30%	
Dam	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters In Herd	
	4-94	4-98	3-99	None	1-\$4000	None	

- ★ Ultrasound safe to Raml Optics 0710, due approximately March 2, 2022.
- ★ X301 is a pretty fronted, more moderate, deep bodied heifer whose mature size won't get too big. She is slicker haired than most.
- ★ A little different pedigree here than most! Sire T90 was one of our top bulls of our 2018 crop! He weaned at 788 pounds, WR 107. His dam is a functional, highly productive Pathfinder cow that has super low birth weight calves that get up and grow like crazy! She has a 362 day calving interval and 5-90 BWR and 5-105 WR.
- ★ Dam R102 has an excellent 363 day calving interval. Her only son weaned at 756 pounds but was injured prior to bull sale season. R102's daughter works for Gareld Carpenter – she was a pretty, showy female!
- ★ R102 was a high performing female, weaning at 747 pounds to be the 14<sup>th</sup> top weaning weight heifer of her crop.
- ★ Pathfinder grandam L67 was lost young in life to an injury, but recorded 3-108 WR and a 363 day calving interval. The highlight of Pathfinder grandam L67's career was producing the 7<sup>th</sup> top weaning weight bull of our 2015 crop at 860 pounds! She put two productive daughters in the herd.
- ★ L67 and her dam were both super high performing – L67 was the 6<sup>th</sup> top weaning weight, 3<sup>rd</sup> top yearling weight heifer of her crop, and E298 was the #1 weaning weight, 2<sup>nd</sup> top yearling weight heifer of her crop!
- ★ Seventeen daughter descendants have stemmed from sixth generation dam N46, nine of which earned Pathfinder honors. N46 and these 17 daughters have weaned a total of 114 progeny at 104 wean ratio!

**HOOVER**  
Angus

**SPRING BRED HEIFERS**



# 141 Spring Bred Heifer

## MAID OF ELLSTON X36

Reg. 19813192

Tattoo: L/R X36

01/16/20

SydGen Enhance  
MOGCK ENTICE  
MOGCK Erica 2255 #

SydGen Exceed 3223  
SydGen Rita 2618  
Mogck Sure Shot 253  
MOGCK Erica 2162  
TC Friction 3275  
TC Barbara 3022  
S A Neutron 377 #  
Maid of Ellston B155

BW	71
ADJ. 205/WR	599/92
ADJ. 365/YR	885/93
%IMF/RATIO	6.11/122
RE/RATIO	8.3/78

CED	BW		WW		YW		RADG		YH		SC		SW												
+8	-2		20%		+49		+94		+25		+9		15%		+2.41		1%		+61						
HP		CEM			Milk			Doc			Claw			Angle			SM								
+15.1		15%		+1		+33		10%		+25		20%		+39		10%		+45		30%		+69		30%	
CW		MB			RE			Fat			SF			SB			SC								
+41		+78			+39			+022			+89			+141			+252								
Dam		BWR		WWR		YWR		Sons @ Auction				Daughters @ Auction				Daughters In Herd									
		10-98		10-101		8-102		2-\$8625				3-\$6675				3-103									

- ★ Ultrasound safe to Raml Optics 0710, due approximately March 2, 2022.
- ★ X36 is a really long spined, deep ribbed heifer that slicks her hair coat early in the summer. She settled first service AI, just like her mother consistently does. Dam J316 has a superior 361 day calving interval on her 10 progeny! She's still going strong, and will calve before sale time with her 11<sup>th</sup> calf.
- ★ J316 is one of our favorites – she is a deep, thick, easy fleshing tank!
- ★ J316's first daughter to be put to work in the Hoover herd earned Pathfinder honors and records a 358 day calving interval and 4-108 WR. She is the dam of the very nice feature bull, Lot 63. Two additional nice daughters work in the herd, which allowed us to part with this heifer. At 11 years of age, J316's most recent calf weaned at 734 pounds to be the 15<sup>th</sup> top weaning weight heifer of our crop.
- ★ J316's sons work for Wayne Reinhart and Dwayne Scar. The Reinhart bull was a bigger framed, really good bull that topped the \$10,000 mark.



**Hoover Notary**  
Owned with IMS Cattle,  
Tim Hackett, and  
Golden Chute Ranch  
\$38,000 Sire of  
Lot 137 & 143

# 143 Spring Bred Heifer

## BLKCP EMPRESS ELLSTON X181

Reg. 19813235

Tattoo: L/R X181

02/20/20

Hoover No Doubt  
HOOVER NOTARY  
Prim Lassie Ellston L455

Mogck Bullseye #  
Miss Blackcap Ellston J2  
Basin Excitement #  
Prim Lassie Ellston H491  
Basin Expedition R156  
Basin Lady S532 AK  
SydGen C C & 7 #  
Blackcap Empress Ellston Z16

BW	72
ADJ. 205/WR	597/92
ADJ. 365/YR	943/99
%IMF/RATIO	6.26/125
RE/RATIO	9.6/91

Basin Excitement #  
BLACKCAP EMPRESS ELLSTON M50 #  
Blackcap Empress Ellston J30 #

CED	BW		WW		YW		RADG		YH		SC		\$W	
+6	+2.2		+80 10%		+135 10%		+24		+7		+1.87 4%		+73 20%	
HP	CEM		Milk		Doc		Claw		Angle		FM			
+17.0	5%	+10	+18		+32 2%		+57		+56		+80		10%	
CW	MB		RE		Fat		\$F		\$B		\$C			
+65	15%	+68	+52		+031		+109 10%		+158 25%		+285		10%	
Dam	BWR	WWR	YWR		Sons @ Auction		Daughters @ Auction		Daughters In Herd					
	6-97	6-100	5-105		3-\$6350		None		None					

- ★ Ultrasound safe to Mogck Empire 110, due approximately April 11, 2022.
- ★ X181 has been one of my favorites since she was young! She is an attractive gal.
- ★ Dam M50 is a Pathfinder cow with a perfect 365 day calving interval. M50 was the 7<sup>th</sup> top weaning weight heifer of her crop at 760 pounds.
- ★ M50's sons work for Keith & Kenny Miller, Chris Nelson, and Melvin & Annette Warren.
- ★ Grandam J30 also served as a Pathfinder.
- ★ Great grandam Z16 was a fertile cow with a 363 day calving interval on 11 calvings, which included three sets of twins! She raised some whopper bull calves in her day!

# 142 Spring Bred Heifer

## MISS BLACKBIRD ELLSTON X279

Reg. 19813267

Tattoo: L/R X279

03/11/20

Connealy Cool 39L  
SYDGEN SIZZLE  
WK Hazel 9201

Connealy Heat 0243 #  
JMc Jeena Allie 8345 5399 #  
Pine Ridge Hammer S322 #  
ALC Hazel L12L  
Basin Expedition R156  
Basin Lady S532 AK  
Hoover Dam #  
Miss Blackbird Ellston C224

BW	85
ADJ. 205/WR	658/101
ADJ. 365/YR	962/101
%IMF/RATIO	5.06/101
RE/RATIO	10.1/95

CED	BW		WW		YW		RADG		YH		SC		\$W	
+8	+3.1		+74	15%	+127	15%	+26		+6		+66		+71	25%
HP	CEM		Milk		Doc		Claw		Angle				\$M	
+18.7	2%	+4	+24		+19		+53		+44		25%	+79	10%	
CW	MB		RE		Fat		\$F		\$B		\$C			
+46	+64		+61		+027		+88		+137		+257		30%	
Dam	BWR		WWR		YWR		Sons @ Auction		Daughters @ Auction		Daughters In Herd			
	6-103		6-100		5-101		3-\$3675		1-\$4000		None			
Grandam	BWR		WWR		YWR		Sons @ Auction		Daughters @ Auction					
	5-97		4-101		4-101		1-\$5250		None					

- ★ Ultrasound safe to Raml Optics 0710, due approximately March 5, 2022.
- ★ X279 is a long, deep, easy fleshing heifer with nice bone.
- ★ Dam N106 is a soggy, nicely made, easy fleshing brood cow with a nice udder. Her first daughter was the 2<sup>nd</sup> top IMF heifer of her crop and works for Gareld Carpenter. Her sons work for Kevin Putz, Jason Hunt, and Brian Taglauer.
- ★ N106 was a high performing female with a 740 pound weaning weight to be the 12<sup>th</sup> top weaning weight heifer of her crop.
- ★ Grandam L52 is one of our beefiest yet stylish Hoover Dam daughters, and she has a superior udder. L52 has put a whopping 5 daughters in the Hoover herd! One of her daughters was the 4<sup>th</sup> top weaning weight heifer of her crop. Her only son works for Doug Kirk. Doug has bought several bulls over the past several years, and has been very complimentary about the bulls and their dispositions. A set of twins are not included in L52's ratios by the AAA, and we lost one of her calves prior to weaning.
- ★ Great grandam C224 ended her career with a perfect 365 day calving interval on her 10 calves. She had a superior udder.

# 144 Spring Bred Heifer

## BLKCP EMPRESS ELLSTON X174

Reg. 19813233

Tattoo: L/R X174

02/18/20

SydGen Enhance  
MOGCK ENTICE  
MOGCK Erica 2255 #

SydGen Exceed 3223  
SydGen Rita 2618  
Mogck Sure Shot 253  
MOGCK Erica 2162  
Bruns Top Cut 373 #  
Blackcap Empress Ellston J54  
Connealy Impact #  
Blackcap Empress Ellston M99

BW	74
ADJ. 205/WR	623/96
ADJ. 365/YR	898/94
%IMF/RATIO	3.79/76
RE/RATIO	9.1/86

Hoover Top Gun  
BLKCP EMPRESS ELLSTON S294  
Blackcap Empress Ellston P72

CED	BW		WW		YW		RADG		YH		SC		\$W	
+4	+2.5		+78	10%	+144	5%	+28	25%	+9	15%	+1.88	4%	+66	
HP	CEM		Milk		Doc		Claw		Angle		\$M			
+17.2	4%	+8	+19		+28		10%	+49		+39		10%	+72	25%
CW	MB		RE		Fat		\$F		\$B		\$C			
+64	15%	+40	+89		15%	-033	10%	+110	10%	+156	25%	+274	20%	
Dam	BWR		WWR		YWR		Sons @ Auction		Daughters @ Auction		Daughters In Herd			
	3-102		3-95		2-94		None		None		1-106			
Grandam	BWR		WWR		YWR		Sons @ Auction		Daughters @ Auction		Daughters @ Auction			
	5-97		4-100		3-98		2-\$2625		None					

- ★ Ultrasound safe to Mogck Empire 110, due approximately February 26, 2022.
- ★ X174 is a super long bodied, wide based heifer. She is a 13<sup>th</sup> generation bred, born and raised Blackcap Empress Ellston female to be raised by the Hoover family! X174 gets a double shot of the Blackcap Empress Ellston cow family on the bottom side of her pedigree, which is one of our very most successful cow families in our history. Read about her ancestor, the great C57 cow, in the footnote of Lot 146.
- ★ Dam S294 is a great disposition cow, something we have found extremely consistent in the Top Gun progeny! She has an excellent 362 day calving interval.
- ★ S294's first daughter is a beautiful female that works in the herd, and she raised a very nice March calf by Next Gen as her first calf.
- ★ Grandam P72 has a 360 day calving interval on 5 calves (one calf was lost prior to weaning). Her sons work for Ted Halls and Garry Nickel. Her 2021 calf sells as Lot 53.

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**HOOVER**  
Angus

# 145 Spring Bred Heifer

## BLKCP EMPRESS ELLSTON X307

Reg. 19813275

Tattoo: L/R X307

03/24/20

EF Commando 1366 #  
**BALDRIDGE 38 SPECIAL**  
Baldrige Isabel Y69

Hoover Dam #  
**BLACKCAP EMPRESS ELLSTON L75**  
Blkcp Empress Ellston A360

EF Complement 8088 #  
Riverbend Young Lucy W1470  
Styles Upgrade J59 #  
Baldrige Isabel T935  
SydGen C C & 7 #  
Erica of Ellston C124 #  
S A Neutron 377 #  
Blkcp Empress Ellston M127

BW	90
ADJ. 205/WR	776/120
ADJ. 365/YR	1117/118
%IMF/RATIO	4.05/81
RE/RATIO	13.0/123

CED	BW		WW		YW		RADG		YH		SC		SW	
-5	+4.0		+83		4% +140		10% +25		+1.1 10%		+79		+87 4%	
HP	CEM		Milk		Doc		Claw		Angle				SM	
+12.8	-1		+32		10% +15		+43 20%		+40 15%		+69		30%	
CW	MB		RE		Fat		SF		SB				SC	
+63	15% +49		+86		20% +003		+94 30%		+142				+253	
Dam	BWR		WWR		YWR		Sons @ Auction		Daughters @ Auction		Daughters In Herd			
	8-108		8-108		6-108		2-\$6875		None		1-95			

- ★ Ultrasound safe to Raml Optics 0710, due approximately February 26, 2022.
- ★ X307 is a bigger framed gal that has lots of length and a nice, long stride.
- ★ X307 was the 2<sup>nd</sup> top weaning weight, 3<sup>rd</sup> top yearling weight, #1 ribeye scanning heifer of her crop! But it comes as no surprise – she comes from a great cow family!
- ★ Dam L75 is also a bigger framed, long bodied gal that weans a whopper every year. Her latest calf was the 7<sup>th</sup> top weaning weight heifer of our 2021 crop. A son selected by David Igo was the 4<sup>th</sup> top weaning weight bull of his crop. L75 maintains a superior 360 day calving interval on her 8 calves and is still going strong!
- ★ Grandam A360 recorded 9-108 WR and a 356 day calving interval on 10 progeny when we lost her to hardware. She had one Pathfinder daughter. A360 produced the co-top selling bull in our 2008 sale at \$10,000 to Glen Hanson.
- ★ Great grandam M127 was Landi's first show heifer, and a direct daughter of the great C57 cow you can read about in Lot 146's footnote. M127 produced some awesome calves in her day, and a great fleet of daughters and granddaughters too. If you remember the great flush of No Doubt sons from our sale last year, M127 was the great grandam of those bulls!



## Blkcp Empress Ellston C344

Pathfinder Hoover Donor  
pictured at 8 years of age  
Grandam of Lot 147;  
Relative of Lots 143-149

Feet of Blkcp Empress  
Ellston C344  
Pictured at 14 years of age



# 147 Spring Bred Heifer

## BLKCP EMPRESS ELLSTON X226

Reg. 19813246

Tattoo: L/R X226

02/28/20

EF Commando 1366 #  
**BALDRIDGE 38 SPECIAL**  
Baldrige Isabel Y69

Hoover Hawkkey  
**BLACKCAP EMPRESS ELLSTON P3**  
Blkcp Empress Ellston C344 #

EF Complement 8088 #  
Riverbend Young Lucy W1470  
Styles Upgrade J59 #  
Baldrige Isabel T935  
Mogck Bullseye #  
Miss Blackcap Ellston K97  
Roth Famous 1006 #  
Blkcp Empress Ellston V127 #

BW	72
ADJ. 205/WR	572/88
ADJ. 365/YR	873/92
%IMF/RATIO	7.45/149
RE/RATIO	11.3/107

CED	BW		WW		YW	RADG		YH	SC		\$W	
+7	+3	30%	+58			+92	+13		+3	+45	+68	30%
HP	CEM		Milk		Doc		Claw		Angle		\$M	
+16.7	5%	+12	15%	+25		+16		+40	15%	+48	+91	2%
CW	MB		RE		Fat		\$F		\$B		\$C	
+26	+1.11		10%	+58		+.034		+58		+126	+254	
Dam	BWR		WWR		YWR		Sons @ Auction		Daughters @ Auction		Daughters In Herd	
	5-105		5-101		3-102		2-\$3875		None		None	
Grandam	BWR		WWR		YWR		Sons @ Auction		Daughters @ Auction			
	13-100		13-107		12-104		11-\$7925		5-\$5500			

- ★ Ultrasound safe to Mogck Empire 110, due approximately February 20, 2022.
- ★ X226 is a thick heifer, and more moderate than most 38 Specials, but still offers the typical length found in 38 Specials.
- ★ X226 was the 3<sup>rd</sup> top IMF scanning female of her contemporary group! This earned her one of the highest Marbling EPDs in the bred heifers selling today.
- ★ Dam P3 is a fertile cow with a 349 day calving interval. Her sons work for repeat customers Mark Grossman and Mark Smith. P3 is a nice uddered cow that slicks well, has a calm temperament and superior feet.
- ★ Pathfinder donor grandam C344 has been one of our all-time greats! She has a long record of highly successful progeny, many of which were among the top weaning weight calves of their calf crop. I'll try to hit the highlights here.
- ★ C344 maintained a 359 day calving interval on her first 13 natural progeny, which included stealing flushes 5 different years, a testament to her exemplary fertility! After that, we decided to hold C344 out of production one year to acquire more flushes. C344 was laid to rest at 16 years of age. Her udder was still impeccable, and her feet that never had a human hand touch them were still amazing – see the picture above of her feet taken at 14 years of age!
- ★ As a 15 year-old, we sold IVF embryos by C344 in our mini online sale for \$950 each!
- ★ We sold C344's last large group of ET sons in our 2021 sale. She would have been 17 years of age if still living, and her sons averaged a whopping \$7150! These sons went to astute cattlemen in three states plus Canada. She joined the elite \$100,000+ club last year when her gross progeny sales topped the \$100,000 mark.
- ★ One daughter of C344 was the #1 adjusted weaning weight heifer of her crop. Another daughter was the 14<sup>th</sup> top weaning weight heifer calf of her crop when C344 was 13 years old!
- ★ Pathfinder great grandam V127 recorded 12-106 WR and a 362 day calving interval. She was a tremendously easy fleshing cow.
- ★ Please read about 5<sup>th</sup> generation dam C57 in Lot 146's footnote.

# 146 Spring Bred Heifer

## BLKCP EMPRESS ELLSTON X171

Reg. 19813231

Tattoo: L/R X171

02/19/20

Baldrige 38 Special  
**HOOVER SPECIAL EDITION S454**  
Edella of Ellston N473 #

Mogck Bullseye #  
**BLACKCAP EMPRESS ELLSTON P42**  
Blkcp Empress Ellston H142 #

EF Commando 1366 #  
Baldrige Isabel Y69  
Connealy Direct Deposit #  
Edella of Ellston K264  
MOGCK Sure Shot #  
Mogck Mary 1255  
SydGen C C & 7 #  
Blackcap Empress Ellston F29

BW	82
ADJ. 205/WR	660/102
ADJ. 365/YR	932/98
%IMF/RATIO	5.78/116
RE/RATIO	9.5/90

CED	BW		WW		YW		RADG		YH		SC		SW	
+0	+3.2		+74	15%	+124	20%	+24		+1.0	10%	+1.34	20%	+72	20%
HP	CEM		Milk		Doc				Claw		Angle		\$M	
+12.6	+8		+23		+33	2%	+35		4%	+33	2%	+90	2%	
CW	MB		RE		Fat				\$F		\$B		\$C	
+49		+86	25%	+54		+005		+92		+151	30%	+286	10%	
Dam	BWR		WWR		YWR		Sons @ Auction		Daughters @ Auction		Daughters In Herd			
	5-97		5-98		4-98		2-\$3625		None		1-102			

- ★ Ultrasound safe to Mogck Empire 110, due approximately February 27, 2022.
- ★ X171 is a deep, attractive, nicely made heifer with a good quarter. Her right eye is a bit cloudy from an old injury, but she does have vision from the eye.
- ★ X171 ties as the 2<sup>nd</sup> highest Docility EPD heifer in the spring bred heifer division!
- ★ X171 is from one of our greatest cow families, descending from the great C57 cow.
- ★ C57 has given rise to a phenomenal cow family. Eighty-six daughter descendants that have worked in the Hoover herd have stemmed from C57, including 17 Pathfinders and 8 donor cows! Four bulls selected for use in the Hoover herd have also stemmed from C57. To say C57 has had an impact on the herd would be an understatement! She has truly helped write our history books.
- ★ Dam P42 has put one outstanding daughter in the herd – this female raised the 3<sup>rd</sup> top weaning weight bull of our 2019 crop that sold to Bell Point Ranch for \$20,000.
- ★ P42 has a 368 day calving interval that will shorten up to less than 365 days when she calves in 2022. Her first two sons work for Twin States Ranch and John Stender.
- ★ Pathfinder grandam H142 produced three sons averaging \$7100 to Matthew Strueby, a photo feature for Varley Angus, and Leo & Randy Hunninghake. Another son worked as a herd sire for us.
- ★ X171 is a 5<sup>th</sup> generation descendant of Landi's first show heifer (that makes me feel old).

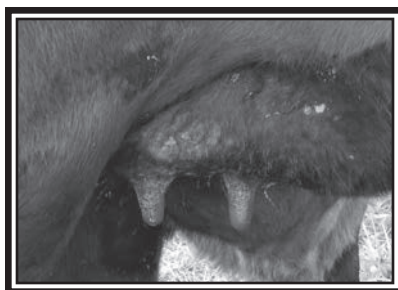


# SPRING BRED HEIFERS





**Blkcp Empress  
Ellston C344**  
Pathfinder Hoover Donor  
pictured at 8 years of age  
Grandam of Lot 149;  
Relative of Lots 143-148



**Blkcp Empress Ellston S276**  
Dam of Lot 149  
Udder at 3 years of age

**148  
Fall Bred Heifer  
Twin w/Cow**

**BLKCP EMPRESS ELLSTON X472**

Reg. 20013522

Tattoo: L/R X472

08/30/20

Connealy Counselor #  
**HOOVER COUNSELOR N29**  
Erica of Ellston G366 #

Connealy Mentor 7374 #  
Jaze of Conanga 234  
SydGen C C & 7 #  
Erica of Ellston D184  
G A R New Design 5050 #  
S V F Dianna P227  
TC Gridiron 258 #  
Blackcap Empress Ellston Z22

BW	53
ADJ. 205/WR	698/101
ADJ. 365/YR	914/101
%IMF/RATIO	5.73/124
RE/RATIO	10.4/107

S V F New Design T252  
**BLKCP EMPRESS ELLSTON L459 #**  
Blkcp Empress Ellston C438

CED	BW	WW	YW	RADG	YH	SC	\$W
+10 20%	+4 30%	+59	+106	+23	+8 25%	+84	+73 20%
HP	CEM	Milk	Doc	Claw	Angle	\$M	
+14.9 15%	+11 25%	+34 5%	+27 10%	+50	+64	+72 25%	
CW	MB	RE	Fat	\$F	\$B	\$C	
+44	+58	+74	+040	+88	+135	+247	
Dam	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters In Herd	
	6-100	6-103	5-103	4-\$4750	None	None	

- ★ AI to Raml Optics 0710 on 11-26-21.
- ★ X472 is a wide based, eye appealing heifer.
- ★ Dam L459 has an excellent 363 day calving interval on her 7 calvings (X472 and her twin sister are not included in her ratios in the boxes above, as the AAA does not include twins' ratios in a dam's production).
- ★ L459's sons work for Max Shaffer, Ed Smith, Hans Angus Farms, and Twin States Ranch, all repeat customers. Ed's bull was the 5<sup>th</sup> top weaning weight bull of his crop, and Hans' bull was the 5<sup>th</sup> top yearling weight bull of his crop.
- ★ Grandam C438 was a pretty Gridiron daughter, I remember her as being my favorite heifer of her crop. She and her dam, Z22, were excellent uddered females. This pedigree traces back to the "Old Bob" cow born in 1977 – ask Joy, John, or David about her, and they will tell you she was one of the great ones! Old Bob was the dam of the C57 cow that has a tremendous impact on our cow herd. Eighty-six daughter descendants have stemmed from C57, including 17 Pathfinders and 8 donor cows!

**149  
Fall Bred Heifer**

**BLKCP EMPRESS ELLSTON X403**

Reg. 20013503

Tattoo: L/R X403

08/07/20

HA Cowboy Up 5405  
**FREYS COWBOY LOGIC**  
F A R Princess 148Z

HA Outside 3008  
HA Blackcap Lady 1602 #  
WK Bobcat #  
F A R Princess 214X #  
MOGCK Sure Shot #  
Mogck Mary 1255  
Roth Famous 1006 #  
Blkcp Empress Ellston V127 #

BW	50
ADJ. 205/WR	624/90
ADJ. 365/YR	806/89
%IMF/RATIO	4.73/102
RE/RATIO	8.5/88

Mogck Bullseye #  
**BLKCP EMPRESS ELLSTON S276**  
Blkcp Empress Ellston C344 #

CED	BW	WW	YW	RADG	YH	SC	\$W
+16 1%	-1.4 10%	+58	+108	+24	+5	+1.55 15%	+66
HP	CEM	Milk	Doc	Claw	Angle	\$M	
+13.2 30%	+18 1%	+29 25%	+26 15%	+55	+44 25%	+61	
CW	MB	RE	Fat	\$F	\$B	\$C	
+38	+40	+41	+059	+77	+110	+204	
Dam	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters In Herd	
	2-95	2-95	2-97	None	1-\$4000	None	

- ★ AI to Raml Optics 0710 on 11-21-21.
- ★ X403 is a more moderate framed, long bodied, easy fleshing heifer.
- ★ X403 has some of the top CED and CEM EPDs as well as one of the lowest BW EPDs of all the females selling!
- ★ Dam S276 has gotten the easy-fleshing genes that run in her family! This family truly runs deep in cows that can hold their condition well. We hardly ever talk about it nowadays, but this cow family has the natural instincts to be leaders too – whenever they hear feed coming, they are first in line. Whenever they get rotated to a new paddock of grass, they are first in line through the gate. They have the survival instinct that has been passed down from the great "Old Bob" cow that would be X403's 6<sup>th</sup> generation dam. I can still remember Joy and David telling me stories of Old Bob and how quickly she could inhale grain so the other cows would hardly have a chance. While most cows get a bite of silage or grain, then put their head up to chew, Old Bob would put her mouth in the feed and not remove her mouth from the feed until it was gone. She was like a vacuum cleaner!
- ★ S276's first daughter works for Derek Sawyer.
- ★ I'm going to ask you to flip back a page to read about Pathfinder donor grandam C344 in the footnote of Lot 147.

**150  
Fall Bred Heifer**

**MISS BLACKCAP ELLSTON X443**

Reg. +19829421

Tattoo: L/R X443

08/22/20

Poss Easy Impact 0119  
**BALDRIDGE ALTERNATIVE E125**  
Baldrige Blackbird A030

Poss Total Impact 745 #  
Poss Elmaretta 736  
Hoover Dam #  
Baldrige Blackbird X89  
MOGCK Sure Shot #  
Mogck Mary 1255  
SydGen C C & 7 #  
Miss Blackcap Ellston D154 #

BW	71
ADJ. 205/WR	677/95
ADJ. 365/YR	923/97
%IMF/RATIO	6.76/124
RE/RATIO	9.9/95

CED	BW	WW	YW	RADG	YH	SC	\$W
+2	+4.7	+82 4%	+146 4%	+34 3%	+9 15%	+43	+68 30%
HP	CEM	Milk	Doc	Claw	Angle	\$M	
+13.4 30%	+12 15%	+26	+34 1%	+59	+52	+46	
CW	MB	RE	Fat	\$F	\$B	\$C	
+76 4%	+76	+89 15%	-003	+134 1%	+194 2%	+298 10%	
Dam	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters In Herd	
	5-92	5-107	3-103	2-\$7500	2-\$17,125	1-104	

- ★ AI to Baldrige Chairman 11-26-21.
- ★ X443 is the biggest framed heifer of her flush, and offers nice length, extension, and bone.
- ★ X443 was the 5<sup>th</sup> top IMF scanning heifer of her crop. She the #1 \$Feedlot and #1 \$Beef index in the fall heifer division!
- ★ X443 ties as the top Docility EPD female to sell!
- ★ Please see footnote under flush sister, Lot 151.



Gwen & Ty enjoy sitting on N58, No Doubt's sister. N58 is the breed's 2nd top Docility EPD Pathfinder cow! The EPD is pretty accurate - not many cows let a 3 and 4 year-old sit on them! N58 is the dam of Lots 150-151.

**FALL BRED HEIFERS**

**HOOVER**  
Angus



**Miss Blackcap Ellston N58**  
Pathfinder Hoover Donor  
Dam of Lots 150-151



**Baldrige Alternative E125**  
Sire of Lots 150-151



**Hoover Chairman Z18**  
Maternal Brother to  
Lots 150-151  
Sells as Lot 81



**Hoover Alternative X430**  
Flush Brother to  
Lots 150-151  
Sells as Lot 82



**MISS BLACKCAP ELLSTON X437 – Lot 151**

**HOOPER**  
151  
Fall Bred  
Heifer

**MISS BLACKCAP ELLSTON X437**

Reg. +19829419

Tattoo: L/R X437

08/21/20

Poss Easy Impact 0119  
**BALDRIDGE ALTERNATIVE E125**  
Baldrige Blackbird A030

Mogck Bullseye #  
**MISS BLACKCAP ELLSTON N58 #**  
Miss Blackcap Ellston J2

Poss Total Impact 745 #  
Poss Elmaretta 736  
Hoover Dam #  
Baldrige Blackbird X89  
MOGCK Sure Shot #  
Mogck Mary 1255  
SydGen C C & 7 #  
Miss Blackcap Ellston D154 #

BW	73
ADJ. 205/WR	623/87
ADJ. 365/YR	869/91
%IMF/RATIO	4.88/89
RE/RATIO	9.5/91

CED	BW		WW		YW		RADG		YH		SC		SW	
+5	+2.8		+85	3%	+147	4%	+29	20%	+6	+85		+83	10%	
HP	CEM		Milk		Doc		Claw		Angle		SM			
+13.1	+8		+25		+33	2%	+47		+45	30%	+75	15%		
CW	MB		RE		Fat		\$F		\$B		\$C			
+74	5%	+65	+85	20%	+031		+125	2%	+177	10%	+305	4%		
Dam	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction			Daughters @ Auction			Daughters In Herd				
	5-92	5-107	3-103	2-\$7500			2-\$17,125			1-104				

- ★ AI to Baldrige Chairman 11-23-21.
- ★ X437 is a really good disposition heifer! She was super calm on picture taking day; we put her in our decoy pen the first day by herself, and she even laid down in the pen when she got bored with our picture activities!
- ★ X437 is a really deep bodied, moderate, wide based, nice quartered heifer.
- ★ X437 ties with the top WW EPD in the fall heifer division! She also has one of the top \$Feedlot and \$Combined indexes.
- ★ A flush sister to X437 sold for \$20,750 in our 2020 online sale to Riverbend Ranch. In our 2021 mini online sale, Ray Johnson of Johnson Angus Ranch in Connecticut picked a flush sister to X437 as his Pick of the Fall Heifers for \$13,500.
- ★ The successes of dam N58 keep rolling in, and she has another headlining bull this year – at the time this catalog is being written, her Lot 81 son will likely be our lead-off bull! He has a whopping set of EPDs and the phenotype to match. Check him out on page 36 or see him in person to see what I mean! Flush siblings to X437 selling today are Lot 150 and feature bull Lot 82. The #1 adjusted weaning weight bull of our entire fall crop was a flush brother to X437 at 916 pounds, and injured

- his shoulder prior to yearling time. N58 will undoubtedly break the \$100,000 mark of progeny sales this year, as she has already grossed over \$90,000 on progeny and embryos!
- ★ Repeat customers Tyler Scales of ELK Angus and Howard Paulsen own N58's other sons. Howard's bull was the #1 \$Beef bull of our 2017 auction.
- ★ **N58 ties as the #2 Docility EPD Pathfinder cow in America at +40!** Come see her in person to appreciate her super gentle disposition! She is an 11<sup>th</sup> generation bred, born, and raised Hoover Angus female.
- ★ As an 8 year-old cow, N58 has 9 EPDs or \$Values in or above the best 1% of the breed!
- ★ N58 produced a flush selling for \$24,000 in the 2019 Hoover Angus sale to Lylester Ranch. A pregnancy by N58 sells today as Lot 182.
- ★ At 850 pounds, WR 119, N58 was the #1 adjusted weaning weight heifer of her crop, and at the time, the #1 weaning weight female ever at Hoover Angus! She had a YW 1244 pounds, YR 120, 6.80 IMF, ratio 143, ribeye 13.3", ratio 111.
- ★ N58's three natural sons have weaned at an average 825 pounds; her two daughters 701 pounds.
- ★ N58 had a 348 day calving interval on her first four progeny before we pulled her out of production for a year to flush her. She now has an excellent 10-111 IMF ratio and 10-101 ribeye ratio.
- ★ Flush sisters to N58 have sold for \$60,000 to Dixie Valley Ranch and \$27,500 to Wall Street Cattle Co. An Entice son sold by the Wall Street cow sold for \$10,000 in their fall 2021 sale to be the 2<sup>nd</sup> top-selling bull!
- ★ N58's dam, J2, was the lead-off, \$20,000 top-selling open heifer from our 2011 auction. She then sold ½ interest for \$150,000 as a 7 year-old cow. J2 hit her financial stride at eight years of age, generating nearly a quarter million dollars of revenue in a 12 month period for her new owners! At 11 years of age, J2 produced the top-selling bull of all breeds at the 2021 Midland Bull Test for \$158,000! This bull, Sterling Bond 007, was selected by ST Genetics.
- ★ When we sold J2, we retained one flush from this female, and had five live calves born. The one bull was Hoover No Doubt; three of the four sisters earned Pathfinder honors!
- ★ Sire Alternative was the \$120,000 top-selling bull of the 2018 Baldrige sale. Alternative's mother, who is sired by Hoover Dam, also produced \$155,000 Baldrige Command C036 and the \$250,000 Baldrige Versatile in the 2021 Baldrige Sale. Alternative has seen usage across the country in some of the breed's most prominent herds. The first 18 sons of Alternative sold for an average of \$11,097 in the 2019 Stevenson Fall Sale!
- ★ Flush sister sells as Lot 150.





**BLKCP EMPRESS ELLSTON X465 – Lot 152**



**Blkcp Empress Ellston V419**  
Owned by Gerald Swelling  
\$4000 Maternal Sister to Lot 152



**Prim Lassie of Ellston T411**  
Dam of Lot 153  
Udder at 2 years of age

**153**  
Fall Bred  
Heifer

**PRIM LASSIE ELLSTON X414**

Reg. 20013506

Tattoo: L/R X414

08/11/20

HA Cowboy Up 5405  
**FREYS COWBOY LOGIC**  
F A R Princess 148Z

HA Outside 3008  
HA Blackcap Lady 1602 #  
WK Bobcat #  
F A R Princess 214X #  
EF Commando 1366 #  
Baldrige Isabel Y69  
Basin Excitement #  
Prim Lassie Ellston H491

BW	75
ADJ. 205/WR	718/104
ADJ. 365/YR	916/102
%IMF/RATIO	3.38/73
RE/RATIO	11.1/114

Baldrige 38 Special  
**PRIM LASSIE ELLSTON T411**  
Prim Lassie Ellston L455

CED		BW		WW		YW		RADG		YH		SC		\$W		
+13	5%	+1	25%	+75	10%	+124	20%	+22	+4		+1.10		+86		5%	
HP		CEM		Milk		Doc		Claw		Angle				\$M		
+9.3		+11		25%		+25		+8		+45		30%		+76		15%
CW		MB		RE		Fat		SF		\$B				SC		
+30		+11		+49		+040		+58		+81				+181		
Dam		BWR		WWR		YWR		Sons @ Auction		Daughters @ Auction		Daughters In Herd				
		1-122		1-104		1-102		None		None		None				
Grandam		BWR		WWR		YWR		Sons @ Auction		Daughters @ Auction		Daughters @ Auction				
		7-103		7-99		6-102		3-\$15,500		1-\$2250						

- ★ Observed estrus with Mogck Empire 110 on 11-19-21.
- ★ X414 is a moderate framed, smooth made, extended heifer. She won't get too big as a mature cow!
- ★ X414 was the 4<sup>th</sup> top ribeye scan heifer of her crop.
- ★ Dam T411 was a first calf heifer with X414, and she calved early again in 2021 with her second calf.
- ★ Grandam L455's greatest accomplishment is her \$38,000 son named Hoover Notary! Notary was the top-selling bull in our 2019 sale to IMS Cattle, Golden Chute Ranch, and Tim Hackett. Notary is the sire of the beautiful Lot 137 heifer selling today!
- ★ L455's other progeny work for Scott Young, Cody Howland, and Doug Gross, as well as two daughters in our herd. Her daughter that is a full sister to Notary was the 6<sup>th</sup> top weaning weight, 5<sup>th</sup> top yearling weight heifer of her crop and an absolute tank!
- ★ Great grandam H491 will be 13 years old this spring, and is still going strong! She serves as the herd's 8<sup>th</sup> top ribeye ratio cow, and several of her progeny have been among the very top ribeye scanning females of their crop.
- ★ Very good udders run in this cow line, and I would certainly expect the same of X414.

**154**  
Fall Bred  
Heifer

**MISS BLACKCAP ELLSTON X415**

Reg. 20013507

Tattoo: L/R X415

08/11/20

HA Cowboy Up 5405  
**FREYS COWBOY LOGIC**  
F A R Princess 148Z

HA Outside 3008  
HA Blackcap Lady 1602 #  
WK Bobcat #  
F A R Princess 214X #  
SydGen C C & 7 #  
Erica of Ellston C124 #  
SydGen Journey 8200  
Miss Blackcap Ellston G417

BW	70
ADJ. 205/WR	634/92
ADJ. 365/YR	850/94
%IMF/RATIO	3.75/81
RE/RATIO	9.6/99

Hoover Dam #  
**MISS BLACKCAP ELLSTON R438**  
Miss Blackcap Ellston L474

CED	BW		WW		YW	RADG		YH		SC		SW		
+12	10%	+4	30%	+63	+111		+27		+1.3	2%	+1.32	20%	+71	25%
HP	CEM		Milk		Doc		Claw		Angle		SM			
+12.7	+11		25%	+28	30%	+9	+30		1%	+53	+70		25%	
CW	MB		RE		Fat		SF		SB		SC			
+47	+14		+51		-007		30%	+93	30%		+121	+227		
Dam	BWR	WWR	YWR		Sons @ Auction		Daughters @ Auction		Daughters In Herd					
	3-102	3-100	3-100		None		None		None					

- ★ Observed estrus with Mogck Empire 110 on 11-10-21.
- ★ X415 is an attractively made, long bodied, larger framed heifer.
- ★ Dam R438's first daughter retained in the herd was one of the first heifers to calve this past fall and will wean her first calf in March. She tied as the 3<sup>rd</sup> top weaning weight heifer of her crop.
- ★ R438 has a 363 day calving interval on her three calves.
- ★ R438 was a high marbling heifer, with a 5.71 IMF, ratio 143 to be the 2<sup>nd</sup> top IMF heifer of her crop.
- ★ Great grandam G417 served as a working donor and achieved the amazing feat of three of her daughters (by three different sires) earning the Pathfinder honor. This is extremely rare!

**152**  
Fall Bred  
Heifer

**BLKCP EMPRESS ELLSTON X465**

Reg. 20013521

Tattoo: L/R X465

08/24/20

SydGen Enhance  
**MOGCK ENTICE**  
MOGCK Erica 2255 #

SydGen Exceed 3223  
SydGen Rita 2618  
Mogck Sure Shot 253  
MOGCK Erica 2162  
Bruns Uppercut 610  
Dakota Miss 669 Baf #  
Hoover Elation M123  
Blkcp Empress Ellston F501 #

BW	73
ADJ. 205/WR	740/107
ADJ. 365/YR	986/109
%IMF/RATIO	4.52/98
RE/RATIO	10.9/112

Bruns Top Cut 373 #  
**BLKCP EMPRESS ELLSTON S419**  
Blkcp Empress Ellston P509

CED	BW		WW		YW		RADG		YH		SC		\$W	
-2	+4.1		+81	5%	+150	3%	+31	10%	+7		+1.76	10%	+80	10%
HP	CEM		Milk		Doc		Claw		Angle				\$M	
+16.0	10%	-4	+31	15%	+14		+30		1%	+42	20%	+74	20%	
CW	MB		RE		Fat		\$F				\$B		\$C	
+66	15%	+62	+77	30%	-027	10%	+110	10%	+164	15%	+287	10%		
Dam	BWR	WWR	YWR		Sons @ Auction		Daughters @ Auction		Daughters In Herd					
	2-108	2-110	2-110		None		1-\$4000		None					

- ★ AI to Raml Optics 0710 on 11-12-21.
- ★ X465 is arguably the best phenotype heifer of the fall crop! She is a nicely made, soggy gal with some impressive growth figures.
- ★ X465 is a 16<sup>th</sup> generation Blackcap Empress female to call Ellston her home. The average age of an Angus herd is 7 years – enough time for one, two, or maybe three generations of cattle before they are sold out. The 16 generations of this cow family tended by the Hoover family have been through vast changes and advancements in the beef industry since Walt Hoover began his Angus endeavors in 1928. However, our goals of providing cattlemen with profitable, problem-free genetics has not. I often wonder what Walt Hoover would think of our selection criteria today that far exceed visual appraisal and pedigree alone. Whatever he thinks, I'm sure he's looking down upon us over those horn-rimmed glasses with a Dutch Masters cigar hanging out one side of his mouth.
- ★ X465 was the 7<sup>th</sup> top weaning weight, 4<sup>th</sup> top yearling weight heifer of her crop!
- ★ Dam S419 ties as the 11<sup>th</sup> top indexing cow of the Hoover herd with 2-110 WR on her progeny.
- ★ S419's first daughter was the #1 adjusted weaning weight, #1 yearling weight heifer of her crop, a photo feature in our 2021 auction, and works for repeat customer Gerald Swelling in Texas. She was a really nice, super soggy gal, and Gerald loves her!

**FALL BRED HEIFERS**

**HOOVER**  
Angus

**HOVER 155 BLACKBIRD BONNIE ELLSTONX438****Fall Bred Heifer**

Reg. 20013513

Tattoo: L/R X438

08/21/20

SydGen Enhance  
**MOGCK ENTICE**  
 MOGCK Erica 2255 #

Connealy Commander  
**BLACKBIRD BONNIE ELLSTONS486**  
 Blackbird Bonnie EllstonH408

SydGen Exceed 3223  
 SydGen Rita 2618  
 Mogck Sure Shot 253  
 MOGCK Erica 2162  
 Connealy Consensus #  
 Gespa of Conanga 9380  
 TC Friction 5130 #  
 Miss Blackbird Bonnie A521 #

BW	65
ADJ. 205/WR	655/95
ADJ. 365/YR	881/98
%IMF/RATIO	6.84/148
RE/RATIO	9.5/98

CED	BW		WW		YW		RADG		YH		SC		\$W	
-1	+4.2		+85		3% +147		4% +29		20% +1.2		3% +1.77		10% +81	
HP	CEM		Milk		Doc		Claw		Angle				\$M	
+12.4	-3		+28		30% +29		10% +31		2% +45		30% +70		25% +25	
CW	MB		RE		Fat		\$F		\$B				\$C	
+79	3% +72		+1.12		3% -0.33		10% +127		2% +191		3% +318		2% +25	
Dam	BWR		WWR		YWR		Sons @ Auction		Daughters @ Auction		Daughters In Herd			
	2-100		2-97		2-97		None		None		None			

- ★ AI to Raml Optics 0710 on 11-20-21.
- ★ X438 is a nicely made, long bodied, good footed heifer. Typical of Entice progeny, she is a really nice disposition heifer. She is a 14<sup>th</sup> generation bred, born, and raised Blackbird Bonnie cow from Hoover Angus!
- ★ X438 ties with the top WW EPD in the fall heifer division! She also has one of the top EPDs in the following traits: Ribeye, CW, \$Feedlot, \$Beef, and \$C!
- ★ X438 was the 4<sup>th</sup> top IMF scanning heifer of her crop.
- ★ Dam S486's first daughter is raising her first calf now in the fall herd, and X438 is her second daughter. S486 has a superior 2-140 IMF ratio on her progeny to make her the 9<sup>th</sup> top IMF ratio cow of the herd.
- ★ Grandam H408 has been gone for several years now, but she put three replacement daughters in the herd and gave them all a shot of marbling.



**Elbamere Queen  
 Ellston N431**  
*Pathfinder Hoover Donor  
 Grandam of Lot 157*

**Elbamere Queen  
 Ellston T459**  
*Udder at 2 years of age*

**HOVER 156 ERICA OF ELLSTON X405****Fall Bred Heifer**

Reg. 20013505

Tattoo: L/R X405

08/08/20

HA Cowboy Up 5405  
**FREYS COWBOY LOGIC**  
 F A R Princess 148Z

MBG Delmonico  
**ERICA OF ELLSTON T405**  
 Erica of Ellston K318

HA Outside 3008  
 HA Blackcap Lady 1602 #  
 WK Bobcat #  
 F A R Princess 214X #  
 V A R Discovery 2240 #  
 Monarch Blackbird 1104M  
 SydGen C C & 7 #  
 Erica of Ellston X16

BW	65
ADJ. 205/WR	618/89
ADJ. 365/YR	816/90
%IMF/RATIO	3.17/69
RE/RATIO	8.9/92

CED		BW		WW		YW		RADG		YH		SC		SW	
+17	1%	-1.1	10%	+58		+96		+22		+2		+1.44	15%	+66	
HP		CEM		Milk		Doc		Claw		Angle				\$M	
+15.8	10%	+18	1%	+24		+17		+51		+41	15%	+81	10%		
CW		MB		RE		Fat		\$F		\$B		\$C			
+25		+43		+39		+0.00		+63		+102		+213			
Dam		BWR		WWR		YWR		Sons @ Auction		Daughters @ Auction		Daughters In Herd			
		1-107		1-89		1-90		None		None		None			
Grandam		BWR		WWR		YWR		Sons @ Auction		Daughters @ Auction					
		7-97		7-100		6-103		2-\$6250		1-\$8250					

- ★ AI to Raml Optics 0710 on 11-13-21.
- ★ X405 is a moderate framed heifer with more bone than expected for such a low birth weight, calving ease heifer. We find that typical of Cowboy Logic progeny – despite their short gestation and low birth weights, they do not sacrifice bone and foot structure quality that can often be found in ultra calving ease cattle.
- ★ X405 has the top CED and CEM EPDs of all females selling as well as one of the lowest BW EPDs!
- ★ Dam T405 was a first calf heifer with X405 and she is raising her second calf now.
- ★ Grandam K318 is a nice uddered cow, even as she gets into older age. K318 has one Pathfinder daughter in the herd. Her other progeny work for Randy Clough, Wayne Haldsiak, and Tom Ferguson.
- ★ K318 is a big ribeye cow, with two daughters that have had a ribeye size in the top 5 heifers of their respective crops (including T405 who was the 4<sup>th</sup> top ribeye heifer of her crop).
- ★ Great grandam X16 recorded a 363 day calving interval on 10 calves and had a tremendous 107 average WR on her calves. Three sons topped the \$10,000 mark, including the Hoover Home Run bull who had a tenure at ORigen.
- ★ X16 was a full sister to the grandam of Hoover Dam! This catalog is full of accomplishments by this great Erica cow family – check out the lead-off open heifer, Lot 178 and one of the top bred heifers, Lot 106 who come from this line of Ericas!

**HOVER 157 ELBAMERE QUEEN ELLSTON X451****Fall Bred Heifer**

Reg. 20013516

Tattoo: L/R X451

08/24/20

HA Cowboy Up 5405  
**FREYS COWBOY LOGIC**  
 F A R Princess 148Z

Baldrige Chairman  
**ELBAMERE QUEEN ELLSTON T459**  
 Elbamere Queen Ellston N431 #

HA Outside 3008  
 HA Blackcap Lady 1602 #  
 WK Bobcat #  
 F A R Princess 214X #  
 Fortunes Conquest 224  
 Baldrige Isabel B061  
 Basin Excitement #  
 Elbamere Queen Ellston G461

BW	55
ADJ. 205/WR	630/91
ADJ. 365/YR	833/92
%IMF/RATIO	2.94/64
RE/RATIO	9.5/98

CED	BW		WW		YW		RADG		YH		SC		\$W			
+12	10%	-2	20%	+73	15%	+121	25%	+23	+7		+65		+88	4%		
HP	CEM		Milk		Doc		Claw		Angle		Angle		\$M			
+12.4		+15		2%	+29		25%	+14		+37		10%	+49		+88	3%
CW		MB		RE		Fat		\$F		\$B		\$C				
+45		+26		+52		+035		+82		+113		+235				
Dam	BWR		WWR		YWR		Sons @ Auction			Daughters @ Auction			Daughters In Herd			
	1-93		1-91		1-92		None			None			None			
Grandam	BWR		WWR		YWR		Sons @ Auction			Daughters @ Auction						
	5-111		5-108		4-107		1-\$6500			None						

- ★ AI to Raml Optics 0710 on 11-22-21.
- ★ X451 is a more moderate framed, long bodied, nice footed heifer that won't get too big as a mature cow.
- ★ X451 has one of the top CEM EPDs in all the females selling.
- ★ Dam T459 was a first calf heifer with X451. She is an excellent uddered young female.
- ★ T459 had excellent performance data: BW 73 lbs., WW 834 lbs., WR 118, YW 1036 lbs., YR 108, IMF 4.72, ratio 100, ribeye 10.8, ratio 104. She was the #1 adjusted weaning weight, #1 adjusted yearling weight heifer of her crop!
- ★ Pathfinder grandam N431 is a working donor that has a nice flush of babies on the ground we will wean in March. N431 has an excellent 361 day calving interval and is the dam of featured bull, Lot 97 selling today. His \$Maternal Value is above the best 1% of the breed!
- ★ N431's son was the 7<sup>th</sup> top weaning weight, #1 yearling weight bull of our 2017 crop and works for repeat customer Jared Richman.
- ★ Superior udders run in this cow family, and great grandam G461 is still going strong at 13 years of age – we bred her AI just about a week ago! G461 is one of the most sound, beautiful 13 year-olds to be found! Her udder and teat size is still exceptional.
- ★ The next cows down the dam's side of this pedigree are all cows I remember as being exceptional cows: D507 (a Pathfinder), B456, P22, and L913. The L913 cow has 13 Pathfinder cows that have stemmed from her, as well as a total of 43 cows that have served in the Hoover herd! What a great cow family this has been through the generations!



**158 BLKCP EMPRESS ELLSTON X427**

Reg. 20013512

Tattoo: L/R X427

08/17/20

HA Cowboy Up 5405  
FREYS COWBOY LOGIC  
F A R Princess 148Z

HA Outside 3008  
HA Blackcap Lady 1602 #  
WK Bobcat #  
F A R Princess 214X #  
EF Commando 1366 #  
Baldrige Isabel Y69  
TC Gridiron 258 #  
Blkcp Empress Ellston A306

BW	63
ADJ. 205/WR	687/99
ADJ. 365/YR	885/98
%IMF/RATIO	3.00/65
RE/RATIO	9.0/93

Baldrige 38 Special  
BLKCP EMPRESS ELLSTON S451  
Blkcp Empress Ellston C109 #

CED	BW		WW		YW	RADG		YH	SC		\$W	
+15	2%	-1.0	10%	+65	30%	+111	+21		+4		+60	
HP		CEM		Milk		Doc		Claw		Angle		\$M
+13.4	30%	+14	4%	+29	25%	+9	+41		15%	+49	+91	
CW		MB		RE		Fat		\$F		\$B		\$C
+26		+50		+28		+030		+56		+94		+213
Dam	BWR		WWR		YWR		Sons @ Auction		Daughters @ Auction		Daughters In Herd	
	2-104		2-99		2-101		1-\$5750		None		None	

- ★ Exposed to Mogck Empire 110 from 11-8-21 on.
- ★ X427 is a deep chested, moderate sized, wide based heifer with nice eye appeal.
- ★ X427 has some of the top CED and CEM EPDs as well as one of the lowest BW EPDs of all the females selling! She has the #1 \$Maternal index in the fall heifer division.
- ★ Dam S451's first two calves were born on August 17, and were both AI calves, so she appears to be a fertile cow! She gets her fertility from her exceptionally fertile dam.
- ★ S451's first son was a really nice bull selling to Clint Welsch. He was the #1 ribeye scanning bull of his crop!
- ★ Pathfinder donor grandam C109 is no longer with us, but I'll hit the highlights below!
- ★ C109 was truly a phenomenal cow. She produced 17 sons in her career averaging a whopping \$7625. She earned a spot to be buried north of our herd bull barn, and was in the same grave as her sire, Gridiron. She recorded a 361 day calving interval on 11 calves and her progeny averaged a light 97 BWR yet a whopping 109 WR!
- ★ Including her ET calves, C109 has 34 registered progeny, with 9 direct daughters in the Hoover herd. C109 is one of only about 10 cows in the history of our herd to have grossed over \$100,000 on registered progeny sales. Her top son was Hoover Headliner J32 at \$30,000. Numerous progeny were among the top weaning calves of their crop.
- ★ One daughter of C109 that sold as a featured heifer calf in our 2012 auction went on to earn Pathfinder status for Kevin Sweeney of KDS Angus. I could write a ton more about C109 and her progeny, but the footnote would get quite long!

**PRINCESS OF ELLSTON X487 – Lot 160****160 PRINCESS OF ELLSTON X487**

Reg. 20013529

Tattoo: L/R X487

09/09/20

Baldrige 38 Special  
HOOVER SPECIAL EDITION S454  
Edella of Ellston N473 #

Hoover Hawkkeye  
PRINCESS OF ELLSTON R156  
Princess of Ellston N170

EF Commando 1366 #  
Baldrige Isabel Y69  
Connealy Direct Deposit #  
Edella of Ellston K264  
Mogck Bullseye #  
Miss Blackcap Ellston K97  
Basin Excitement #  
Princess of Ellston L196

BW	65
ADJ. 205/WR	720/104
ADJ. 365/YR	910/101
%IMF/RATIO	6.61/143
RE/RATIO	9.9/102

CED	BW		WW		YW		RADG		YH		SC		SW							
+2	+3.2		+77		10%		+138		10%		+23		+8		25%		+25		+66	
HP		CEM		Milk		Doc		Claw		Angle								\$M		
+13.2		30%		+7		+19		+24		20%		+55		+59				+63		
CW		MB		RE		Fat		\$F		\$B		\$C								
+46		+61		+65		+0.13		+81		+130		+232								
Dam		BWR		WWR		YWR		Sons @ Auction		Daughters @ Auction		Daughters In Herd								
		3-94		3-97		2-101		1-\$6000		None		None								
Grandam		BWR		WWR		YWR		Sons @ Auction		Daughters @ Auction		Daughters @ Auction								
		6-93		6-104		4-106		2-\$24,375		None		None								

- ★ Observed estrus with Mogck Empire 110 on 12-29-21.
- ★ X487 is a level topped, really deep, good quartered, right-sized female that will make a broody cow! We noted her calm disposition on picture-taking day.
- ★ Dam R156 is a beautiful cow with a nice udder. She is one of the top marbling and ribeye cows of the herd with 2-121 IMF ratio and 2-109 ribeye ratio! She is a gentle cow to work with, which is no surprise, as her sire is one of the top bulls of the breed for Docility EPD!
- ★ A son of R156 named Hoover Top Flight works for McBride Angus Farm and Pleasant Valley Farms, both in Tennessee. Matthew McBride reports, "Top Flight has proven to be an outstanding sire for us. We've had zero trouble calving first year heifers and they grow quick. He works as an outcross for us and his \$Values are right on point." Top Flight has a some pretty cool EPDs, with a Heifer Pregnancy EPD breaking the +20.0 mark (top 1%), a Ribeye EPD topping the +1.00 mark, a top 2% \$M, and top 5% \$C!
- ★ Grandam N170's greatest claim to fame is she is the dam of Hoover Victorious, the top-selling bull of our 2020 sale to Grimmus Cattle Co. We had our first crop of Victorious calves this fall, and as young babies, they looked excellent! It will be fun to see how they wean in March. My favorite calf of the crop thus far is sired by Victorious. Read more about Victorious on page 2 of our sire directory.
- ★ N170 is a super low birth weight cow that does the low birth to high weaning spread as well as any cow in the herd. She has a superior 363 day calving interval. Her two daughters have both been retained in the herd. Repeat customer Jerry Long purchased her other son.
- ★ Great grandam L196 is still going strong at 9 years of age. She was the 14<sup>th</sup> top weaning weight heifer of her crop. L196's dam was a Pathfinder working donor that several years in a row had one of our very best bull calves of the crop. Four consecutive bull calves weaned at an average 846 pounds!

**159 BLACKBIRD BONNIE ELLSTONX425**

Reg. 20013511

Tattoo: L/R X425

08/17/20

HA Cowboy Up 5405  
FREYS COWBOY LOGIC  
F A R Princess 148Z

HA Outside 3008  
HA Blackcap Lady 1602 #  
WK Bobcat #  
F A R Princess 214X #  
EF Commando 1366 #  
Baldrige Isabel Y69  
Hoover Dam #  
Blackbird Bonnie EllstonH408

BW	63
ADJ. 205/WR	681/98
ADJ. 365/YR	867/96
%IMF/RATIO	5.43/118
RE/RATIO	7.6/78

Baldrige 38 Special  
BLACKBIRD BONNIE ELLSTON420  
Blackbird Bonnie EllstonM415

CED		BW		WW		YW		RADG		YH		SC		SW	
+12	10%	-1	20%	+71	20%	+121	25%	+26	+5			+30		+79	10%
HP		CEM		Milk		Doc		Claw		Angle				\$M	
+8.1		+12		15%		+24		+26		15%		+46		30%	
+42		20%		+77		15%									
CW		MB		RE		Fat		SF		SB				\$C	
+41		+69		+35		+020		+81		+129				+244	
Dam		BWR		WWR		YWR		Sons @ Auction		Daughters @ Auction		Daughters In Herd			
		1-104		1-98		1-96		None		None		None			
Grandam		BWR		WWR		YWR		Sons @ Auction		Daughters @ Auction		Daughters @ Auction			
		6-95		6-98		5-99		1-\$3500		None		None			

- ★ AI to Raml Optics 0710 on 11-15-21.
- ★ X425 is a long, stretchy-made, moderate framed heifer with excellent feet, typical of the Cowboy Logic progeny.
- ★ Dam T420 was a first calf heifer with X425, and T420 calved early again in 2021 with her second calf.
- ★ T420 scanned a 7.67 IMF to ratio 162 and be the 2<sup>nd</sup> top IMF heifer of her crop!
- ★ Grandam M415 is an excellent uddered, moderate sized, low birth weight cow with a 357 day calving interval on her 6 progeny. Her son works for repeat customer Mike Grimm. She is an excellent marbling cow too, with 5-111 IMF ratio.

**FALL BRED HEIFERS**



**Jessica of Ellston P83**  
Dam of Lot 161  
Udder at 5 years of age

## 163 Fall Bred Heifer

## ERICA OF ELLSTON X482

Reg. 20013526

Tattoo: L/R X482

09/05/20

SydGen Enhance  
**MOGCK ENTICE**  
MOGCK Erica 2255 #

SydGen Exceed 3223  
SydGen Rita 2618  
Mogck Sure Shot 253  
MOGCK Erica 2162  
SydGen C C & 7 #  
Erica of Ellston C124 #  
Hilltops Focus 56L  
Erica of Ellston N207

BW	64
ADJ. 205/WR	750/108
ADJ. 365/YR	966/107
%IMF/RATIO	4.40/95
RE/RATIO	9.2/95

Hoover Dam #  
**ERICA OF ELLSTON L457**  
Erica of Ellston A652 #

CED	BW		WW		YW		RADG		YH		SC		SW	
+2	+1.7		+79	10%	+143	5%	+30	15%	+1.3	2%	+31	+90 3%		
HP	CEM		Milk		Doc		Claw		Angle		SM			
+13.0	+7		+34	5%	+32	2%	+41	15%	+52		+79 10%			
CW	MB		RE		Fat		SF		SB		SC			
+60	20%	+69	+76 30%		-0.21	15%	+100	20%	+157	25%	+283 15%			
Dam	BWR	WWR	YWR		Sons @ Auction			Daughters @ Auction			Daughters In Herd			
	7-97	7-99	5-101		2-\$4375			2-\$2225			None			

- ★ AI to Raml Optics 0710 on 11-25-21.
- ★ X482 is a super long bodied, clean fronted heifer with a nice disposition. She was the 5<sup>th</sup> top weaning weight, 5<sup>th</sup> top yearling weight heifer of her crop!
- ★ Two of the closest sires in X482's pedigree have been the two outstanding leaders at ORigen – Hoover Dam being the all-time semen sales leader there, and Enhance being the #1 sire of the breed for registrations in the Angus breed the past two years!
- ★ Dam L457 is an excellent uddered female whose progeny work for Renee Neuenkirk, Jeff Vos, Bob Browning, and Lyle Ellison.
- ★ Pathfinder grandam A652 has been gone for many years, but recorded 10 calves with an average 101 WR.

## 164 Fall Bred Heifer

## EDELLA OF ELLSTON X484

Reg. 20013527

Tattoo: L/R X484

09/05/20

Baldrige 38 Special  
**HOOVER SPECIAL EDITION S454**  
Edella of Ellston N473 #

EF Commando 1366 #  
Baldrige Isabel Y69  
Connealy Direct Deposit #  
Edella of Ellston K264  
S A F Connection #  
SydGen Forever Lady 4087  
TC Gridiron 258 #  
Edella of Ellston A98

BW	69
ADJ. 205/WR	752/109
ADJ. 365/YR	912/101
%IMF/RATIO	4.73/102
RE/RATIO	9.0/93

SydGen C C & 7 #  
**EDELLA OF ELLSTON H232 #**  
Edella of Ellston D270

CED	BW		WW	YW	RADG		YH	SC	\$W
+7	+0	25%	+57	+97	+16		+5	+58	+63
HP	CEM		Milk	Doc	Claw		Angle	\$M	
+12.6	+5		+25	+13	+44	25%	+59	+60	
CW	MB		RE	Fat	\$F		\$B	\$C	
+38	+39		+53	+026		+72		+109	+201
Dam	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction		Daughters @ Auction		Daughters In Herd	
	10-100	10-105	7-104	3-\$4600		None		2-103	

- ★ Exposed to Mogck Empire 110 from 11-8-21 on.
- ★ X484 has a small, pretty head, and she's the type of female that won't get too big as a mature cow. She was the 4<sup>th</sup> top weaning weight heifer of her crop!
- ★ Pathfinder dam H232 is still going strong at 11 years of age! Her sons work for Terry Shaffer, Rex Ritter, and Jeff Bellamy.
- ★ H232 has two daughters working in the herd now, one of which is the grandam of Hoover Special Edition S454 – hence why you see the Edella cow family on the top and bottom sides of this pedigree!
- ★ Grandam D270 has been gone for many years, but had 10 calves on record, and we counted on her to bring in a good calf every year!
- ★ Pathfinder fourth generation dam 458 was one of our last purchased cows. Born in 1998, she served as a donor for us and had numerous calves that were in the top 5 weaning weight calves of their crop. She had 14 calves on record at 97 BWR and a tremendous 108 WR! She finally went to town at 15 years of age because she was open – she still walked well, had a superior udder, and looked great. Not many cows in the breed today can raise a 754 pound bull calf at 15 years of age!



*Landi tells Andrew he is in charge of the kids one evening. A little while later, she gets this picture from Andrew... they are in a tree stand hunting!*

## 161 Fall Bred Heifer

## JESSICA OF ELLSTON X473

Reg. 20013523

Tattoo: L/R X473

08/30/20

SydGen Enhance  
**MOGCK ENTICE**  
MOGCK Erica 2255 #

Hoover Inspiration  
**JESSICA OF ELLSTON P83**  
Jessica of Ellston H208

SydGen Exceed 3223  
SydGen Rita 2618  
Mogck Sure Shot 253  
MOGCK Erica 2162  
SydGen C C & 7 #  
Lady Ida of Ellston C164 #  
TC Friction 5130 #  
Jessica of Ellston D242

BW	69
ADJ. 205/WR	672/97
ADJ. 365/YR	914/101
%IMF/RATIO	4.72/102
RE/RATIO	9.3/96

CED	BW		WW		YW		RADG		YH		SC		\$W		
+4	+2.1		+63		+107		+22		+1.0	10%	+2.18	2%	+70	25%	
HP	CEM		Milk		Doc		Claw		Angle		SM				
+14.4	20%	+10	+30		20%	+34	1%	+34	3%	+50	+83		5%		
CW	MB		RE		Fat		\$F		\$B		\$C				
+41	+.81		30%	+.46		-.014		20%	+.81		+138		+.262		25%
Dam	BWR		WWR		YWR		Sons @ Auction		Daughters @ Auction		Daughters In Herd				
	4-103		4-102		4-100		2-\$3125		None		None				

- ★ AI to Raml Optics 0710 on 11-24-21.
- ★ X473 is a bigger framed, clean fronted, long bodied heifer that tracks well. She is a good disposition heifer, as indicated by her Docility EPD. She ties as the top Docility EPD female to sell!
- ★ Dam P83 has produced sons for Melvin & Annette Warren and Roger Tanner, all repeat customers. P83's first daughter that was the 3<sup>rd</sup> top ribeye scanning heifer of her crop has been retained for the replacement herd.
- ★ Grandam H208 has been gone for several years, but had a 364 day calving interval on her 8 calves. She was an easy cow to work with at calving time. Progeny work for Terry Shaffer, Mark Groth, Roy & Rick Reno, and Thomas Christen.
- ★ Fertility runs in the family, as great grandam dam D242 had a 359 day calving interval on her 10 progeny. A daughter of hers was selected by Hawleys Gen X Angus and later earned Pathfinder honors for them. D242's dam ended her career with a 362 day calving interval.

## 162 Fall Bred Heifer

## BLKCP EMPRESS ELLSTON X477

Reg. 20013524

Tattoo: L/R X477

09/01/20

Mogck Bullseye #  
**HOOVER NO DOUBT**  
Miss Blackcap Ellston J2

Basin Excitement #  
**BLKCP EMPRESS ELLSTON K233**  
Blkcp Empress Ellston H308

MOGCK Sure Shot #  
Mogck Mary 1255  
SydGen C C & 7 #  
Miss Blackcap Ellston D154 #  
Basin Expedition R156  
Basin Lady S532 AK  
TC Friction 5130 #  
Blkcp Empress Ellston E180

BW	76
ADJ. 205/WR	731/106
ADJ. 365/YR	942/105
%IMF/RATIO	4.32/94
RE/RATIO	10.5/108

CED		BW		WW		YW		RADG		YH		SC		SW											
+0		+4.1		+79		10%		+138		10%		+27		+1.1		10%		+1.71		10%		+66			
HP		CEM		Milk		Doc		Claw		Angle				SM											
+16.7		5%		+13		10%		+20		+26		15%		+50		+40		15%		+77		15%			
CW		MB		RE		Fat		SF		SB		SC													
+70		10%		+36		+97		10%		-0.13		20%		+118		4%		+162		20%		+287		10%	
Dam		BWR		WWR		YWR		Sons @ Auction		Daughters @ Auction		Daughters In Herd													
		8-104		8-105		6-104		3-\$5500		1-\$4500		1-106													

- ★ AI to Mogck Empire 110 on 11-12-21.
- ★ X477 is an attractive, smooth made, super long heifer with nice bone. She is one of my favorites! She was the 9<sup>th</sup> top weaning weight heifer of her crop, to make the third calf of her mother's to be among the top 10 adjusted weaning weight calves of their respective crops!
- ★ Dam K233 is a beautiful, square made, soggy, nice uddered female. She has a 362 day calving interval on her 8 progeny. K233's progeny work for Kenny Henggeler, Terry Beck, Todd Creason, and Gordon Houser.
- ★ Grandam had a 367 day calving interval and put four replacement daughters in the herd. One is the nice R108 cow that raised featured bull calf, Lot 62.
- ★ X477 is a 14<sup>th</sup> generation Blackcap Empress Ellston female – there are some good 'ole cows off the pedigree here – the S35 cow that was one of Landi's show heifers was a tremendous herd bull maker during her day! If you are wanting to add some No Doubt to your cow herd but haven't been able to pay the prices that No Doubts have been brining across the country this past year, here is one that should be affordable for anyone's pocket book! The fall heifers are generally nice bargains in our sale for the quality of heifers they are.



# FALL BRED HEIFERS



# 165 Fall Bred Heifer

## GAMMER OF ELLSTON X485

Reg. 20013528      Tattoo: L/R X485      09/07/20

Connealy Counselor #	Connealy Mentor 7374 #	BW	66
<b>HOOVER COUNSELOR N29</b>	Jaze of Conanga 234	ADJ. 205/WR	656/95
Erica of Ellston G366 #	SydGen C C & 7 #	ADJ. 365/YR	894/99
	Erica of Ellston D184	%IMF/RATIO	3.79/82
	Connealy Hemisphere 957L #	RE/RATIO	9.7/100
	Erica of Ellston C265 #		
Hoover 401K	H&K Impressive		
<b>GAMMER OF ELLSTON M462</b>	Gammer of Ellston E43		
Gammer of Ellston J500 #			

CED	BW	WW	YW	RADG	YH	SC	\$W
+5	+2	25%	+58	+107	+26	+6	+1.04
HP	CEM	Milk	Doc	Claw	Angle	\$M	
+13.4	30%	+6	+29	25%	+15	+5.9	+6.4
CW	MB	RE	Fat	\$F	\$B	\$C	
+45	+5.5	+1.06	5%	-.023	15%	+89	+144
Dam	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters In Herd	
	6-95	6-94	4-94	1-\$3000	1-\$2100	None	

- ★ AI to Raml Optics 0710 on 11-23-21.
- ★ X485 is a deep bodied female that will make an ideal Angus cow.
- ★ X485 is one of 5 females selling with a Ribeye EPD of +1.00 or higher!
- ★ Dam M462 is a low birth weight cow that has a perfect 365 day calving interval. Her son who was the 5<sup>th</sup> top IMF scanning bull of his crop works for long-time repeat customers Chad & Craig Davison. Her daughter works for DNA Angus. A daughter of M462 is in our replacement herd now.
- ★ Pathfinder grandam J500 has been gone for several years, but recorded a 360 day calving interval. She put two replacement daughters in the herd.
- ★ I think I can count on one hand the times that Hoover Angus has bought females in the past 90 years. This Gammer cow family is one of them. In 1999, John, Barb, Joy and David purchased cows from Craig Conover, and fourth generation dam 173, a Pathfinder, was one of them. She was truly one of the great cows of the day. Two of her sons topped the \$10,000 mark, and one was the lead-off bull in our sale. The 173 cow had two daughters that served as two of our very first donors.

# 166 Fall Bred Heifer

## BLACKBIRD BONNIE ELLSTONX489

Reg. 20013530      Tattoo: L/R X489      09/14/20

Baldrige 38 Special	EF Commando 1366 #	BW	71
<b>HOOVER SPECIAL EDITION S454</b>	Baldrige Isabel Y69	ADJ. 205/WR	701/101
Edella of Ellston N473 #	Connealy Direct Deposit #	ADJ. 365/YR	952/105
	Edella of Ellston K264	%IMF/RATIO	4.93/107
	S A F Connection #	RE/RATIO	8.6/89
SydGen C C & 7 #	SydGen Forever Lady 4087		
<b>BLACKBIRD BONNIE ELLSTONH479 #</b>	Stepladder Extra 5117		
Blackbird Bonnie EllstonF492 #	Miss Blackbird Bonnie A521 #		

CED	BW	WW	YW	RADG	YH	SC	\$W
+5	+1.7	+85	3%	+155	2%	+32	10%
HP	CEM	Milk	Doc	Claw	Angle	\$M	
+13.5	30%	+7	+32	10%	+25	20%	+5.8
CW	MB	RE	Fat	\$F	\$B	\$C	
+73	5%	+7.1	+6.1	+0.15	+122	3%	+175
Dam	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters In Herd	
	10-98	10-102	9-101	3-\$4925	4-\$3525	None	

- ★ Exposed to Mogck Empire 110 from 12-3-21 on.
- ★ X489 is a long bodied, clean fronted heifer with a just-right frame size.
- ★ X489 ties with the top WW EPD in the fall heifer division and has the top YW EPD and \$W!
- ★ X489 is unique in that each of the three generations of cows down the dam's side of her pedigree have earned Pathfinder honors!
- ★ Dam H479 was a superior uddered female, even into old age. We retired her from the herd last fall, and she had a 367 day calving interval. She was a model Angus female and a never-miss cow! We retained one daughter in the herd that was the 10<sup>th</sup> top weaning weight, 4<sup>th</sup> top yearling weight, 2<sup>nd</sup> biggest ribeye scan heifer of her crop. This female is raising her first calf now in the herd.
- ★ Daughters work for Sydenstricker Genetics, Todd Creason (2), and James Humble. Sydenstricker's heifer went on to earn Pathfinder honors in their herd, which made it four-in-a-row Pathfinder cows in that cow line! H479's sons work for Wayne Kemery, Ed Smith, and Jeff Jorgenson. Wayne's bull was the 6<sup>th</sup> top weaning weight bull of his crop.
- ★ Pathfinder grandam F492 was a top-producing cow with a 363 day calving interval. Her first two daughters each earned Pathfinder honors! That's pretty rare! F492 had four progeny that made the top 10 adjusted weaning weight calves of their respective crops!

# 167 Fall Bred Heifer

## JESSICA OF ELLSTON X490

Reg. 20013531      Tattoo: L/R X490      09/15/20

Baldrige 38 Special	EF Commando 1366 #	BW	61
<b>HOOVER SPECIAL EDITION S454</b>	Baldrige Isabel Y69	ADJ. 205/WR	693/100
Edella of Ellston N473 #	Connealy Direct Deposit #	ADJ. 365/YR	896/99
	Edella of Ellston K264	%IMF/RATIO	6.99/151
	SydGen C C & 7 #	RE/RATIO	9.7/100
Hoover Dam #	Erica of Ellston C124 #		
<b>JESSICA OF ELLSTON P200</b>	SydGen Journey 8200		
Jessica of Ellston M314 #	Jessica of Ellston E265 #		

CED	BW	WW	YW	RADG	YH	SC	\$W
+6	+1	25%	+78	10%	+131	15%	+26
HP	CEM	Milk	Doc	Claw	Angle	\$M	
+15.2	15%	+7	+25	+10	+26	1%	+4.2
CW	MB	RE	Fat	\$F	\$B	\$C	
+57	25%	+1.00	15%	+5.4	+0.20	15%	+169
Dam	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters In Herd	
	4-98	4-101	4-102	1-\$4500	None	1-103	
Grandam	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction		
	7-95	7-104	6-104	2-\$4500	1-\$4250		

- ★ AI to Raml Optics 0710 on 11-11-21.
- ★ X490 is a wide based, level topped, feminine heifer.
- ★ X490 was the 3<sup>rd</sup> top IMF scanning heifer of her crop! She is the top Marbling EPD fall heifer and one of 7 females selling with a +1.00 Marbling EPD or higher!
- ★ Dam P200 had nice performance data: BW 67 lbs., WW 713 lbs., WR 106, YW 1004 lbs., YR 106, IMF 5.15, ratio 111, ribeye 11.0", ratio 108. She is now one of the top marbling cows of the herd with 4-115 IMF ratio. P200's son works for Jeremy Loving, and she has one nice Entice daughter working in the herd.
- ★ Grandam M314 has a 363 day calving interval on her 7 progeny. Her progeny work for Sydenstricker Genetics, Monty Collins, and Terry Shaffer. Two pretty daughters work in the herd, and one is featured Lot 121. M314 is one of my favorite cows to work with at AI time, because even when she is in heat, she never gets in a hurry!
- ★ Pathfinder great grandam E265 has been gone for many years now, but added style and substance to her progeny. She ended her career with an impeccable 364 day calving interval on 11 progeny!
- ★ Eight Pathfinders are found in X490's pedigree!

# 168 Fall Bred Heifer

## B RIBBON HEIRESS ELLSTONX500

Reg. 20013535      Tattoo: L/R X500      09/22/20

Plattmerr Weigh Up K360 #	Sitz Upward 307R #	BW	65
<b>2XL WEIGH UP 7113</b>	Barbara of Plattmerr 337 #	ADJ. 205/WR	663/96
2XL LGL Lilly 4133	S S Fast Track M719 #	ADJ. 365/YR	917/102
	LaGrand Lassy 2227	%IMF/RATIO	5.30/115
	S A F Connection #	RE/RATIO	9.9/102
SydGen C C & 7 #	SydGen Forever Lady 4087		
<b>B RIBBON HEIRESS ELLSTONJ463 #</b>	Woodhill Fusion 177-70L		
Blue Ribbon Heiress B536 #	Blue Ribbon Heiress X171		

CED	BW	WW	YW	RADG	YH	SC	\$W
+11	15%	+0	+65	30%	+126	20%	+27
HP	CEM	Milk	Doc	Claw	Angle	\$M	
+6.4	+13	10%	+28	30%	+25	20%	+5.2
CW	MB	RE	Fat	\$F	\$B	\$C	
+44	+6.3	+4.6	-.009	25%	+84	+133	+219
Dam	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters In Herd	
	9-95	9-96	4-106	None	1-\$5000	None	

- ★ AI to Raml Optics 0710 on 11-23-21.
- ★ X500 is a deep bodied, square made heifer with a bit more frame.
- ★ Pathfinder dam J463 is an exceptional uddered female that weaned a 663 pound heifer at 10 years of age! She is a classic CC&7 female – slick haired, feminine fronted, yet deep and broody. A daughter selected by Todd Creason was the 5<sup>th</sup> top weaning weight, 2<sup>nd</sup> top yearling weight heifer of her crop.
- ★ J463 had nice performance data – she was the 8<sup>th</sup> top weaning weight heifer and scanned a 7.12 IMF, ratio 150 to be the #1 IMF heifer of her crop.
- ★ Pathfinder grandam B536 put three excellent daughters in the herd, and four of her progeny were among the top 10 adjusted weaning weight calves of their respective crops.
- ★ Eight Pathfinders are found in her pedigree!

Fall heifers that do not have an AI sire listed in their footnote were heifers that were going to be AI'd to Mogck Empire 110, but we saved the time and expense of AI, and turned the bull out with them! A pregnancy ultrasound update will be available on our website Friday, January 28 for these fall heifers.

FALL BRED HEIFERS

HOOVER  
Angus



## ERICA OF ELLSTON X449

Reg. 20013515

Tattoo: L/R X449

08/20/20

HA Cowboy Up 5405  
FREYS COWBOY LOGIC  
F A R Princess 148Z

HA Outside 3008  
HA Blackcap Lady 1602 #  
WK Bobcat #  
F A R Princess 214X #  
EF Commando 1366 #  
Baldridge Isabel Y69  
Connealy Impact #  
Erica of Ellston M494 #

BW	64
ADJ. 205/WR	750/108
ADJ. 365/YR	988/109
%IMF/RATIO	3.06/66
RE/RATIO	9.2/95

Baldridge 38 Special  
ERICA OF ELLSTON T423  
Erica of Ellston R430

CED	BW	WW	YW	RADG	YH	SC	\$W
+2	+2.8	+84	3% +148	3% +29	20% +1.0	10% +.93	+79 10%
HP	CEM	Milk	Doc	Claw	Angle	\$M	
+9.0	+5	+22	+19	+54	+52	+58	
CW	MB	RE	Fat	\$F	\$B	\$C	
+62	20% +.15	+70	+029	+108	10% +136	+234	
Dam	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters In Herd	
1-106	1-108	1-109	None	None	None	None	
Grandam	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction		
2-96	2-105	2-105	None	None	1-\$2200		

- ★ AI to Ram! Optics 0710 on 11-16-21.
- ★ X449 is a deep bodied heifer that was the 6<sup>th</sup> top weaning weight, 3<sup>rd</sup> top yearling weight heifer of her crop! Check out her growth EPDs, if you need to add some growth to your herd, check her out.
- ★ Dam T423 was a first calf heifer with X449, and is raising her second calf now.
- ★ T423 scanned an 11.5" ribeye to be the 5<sup>th</sup> top ribeye scan of her crop.
- ★ Please read about grandam R430 in the footnote of her daughter, Lot 170.



PRINCESS OF ELLSTON Z95 – Lot 171



**Hoover Victorious**  
Owned with Grimmus Cattle  
\$45,000 Full Brother to Lot 171



## ERICA OF ELLSTON X507

Reg. 20013536

Tattoo: L/R X507

09/29/20

SydGen Enhance  
MOGCK ENTICE  
MOGCK Erica 2255 #

SydGen Exceed 3223  
SydGen Rita 2618  
Mogck Sure Shot 253  
MOGCK Erica 2162  
Connealy Impression #  
Elza of Conanga 8265 #  
Connealy Direct Deposit #  
Erica of Ellston K420

BW	61
ADJ. 205/WR	707/102
ADJ. 365/YR	953/105
%IMF/RATIO	3.08/67
RE/RATIO	10.3/106

Connealy Impact #  
ERICA OF ELLSTON R430  
Erica of Ellston M494 #

CED	BW	WW	YW	RADG	YH	SC	\$W
+7	+1.1	+71	20% +124	20% +25	+9	15% +1.55	15% +79 10%
HP	CEM	Milk	Doc	Claw	Angle	\$M	
+15.3	15% +2	+29	25% +17	+50	+44	25% +71	25%
CW	MB	RE	Fat	\$F	\$B	\$C	
+59	25% +.32	+96	10% -.029	10% +98	25% +142	+255	
Dam	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters In Herd	
2-96	2-105	2-105	None	1-\$2200	1-108		

- ★ AI to Ram! Optics 0710 on 11-25-21.
- ★ The youngest heifer of her crop, but she is a proud heifer with some eye appeal, a pretty front end, and sound structure.
- ★ Dam R430's first calves were twin heifers – one was retained in the herd and one was the 2<sup>nd</sup> top weaning weight, 2<sup>nd</sup> top yearling weight heifer of her crop and works for Crooked Creek Farms in Missouri. The daughter retained in the herd raised the nice Lot 169 heifer that was the 6<sup>th</sup> top weaning weight, 3<sup>rd</sup> top yearling weight heifer of her crop.
- ★ R430's son was a really impressive bull, one of my favorites of his crop, and we took his picture to be in our 2021 sale. When we semen tested him, the vet discovered a scrotal injury, and he had to be culled. How come it's always the good ones?
- ★ R430 is one of many really productive Impact daughters. Forty-six Impact daughters in 11 herds have an average 102 WR on their 130 progeny.

## Continual Commitment to Improvement

Hoover Angus is an industry leader in accurate data collection and submission. We believe this is the foundation for *realistic and reliable* EPDs.

For example, this group of fall bred heifers has had the following phenotypes submitted through AHIR: BW, CE, WW, dam's mature data (mature weight, hip height, BCS, temperament, and hair shed), YW, ultrasound, yearling hip height, yearling temperament score, and yearling foot score. Last fall we began collecting teat and udder suspension scores to be included in the AAA's udder scoring evaluation. Heifers have been genomically tested. Hoover Angus is one of only 18 herds in Iowa and 399 herds nation-wide that participates in Maternal Plus.

Hoover Angus has submitted heifer breeding records to AHIR for 17 years, and temperament scores have been submitted since the AAA began accepting this data. Hoover Angus is a leading herd in foot score collection, and has submitted foot scores on over 2000 animals with one of the highest levels of scrutiny among breeders. Hoover Angus collected and submitted over 500 hair shedding scores each of the past two summers.



## PRINCESS OF ELLSTON Z95

Reg. 20114800

Tattoo: L/R Z95

02/03/21

SydGen Enhance  
MOGCK ENTICE  
MOGCK Erica 2255 #

SydGen Exceed 3223  
SydGen Rita 2618  
Mogck Sure Shot 253  
MOGCK Erica 2162  
Basin Expedition R156  
Basin Lady S532 AK  
Connealy Reward #  
Princess of Ellston J42 #

BW	72
ADJ. 205/WR	697/102
ADJ. 365/YR	
%IMF/RATIO	
RE/RATIO	

Basin Excitement #  
PRINCESS OF ELLSTON N170  
Princess of Ellston L196

CED	BW	WW	YW	RADG	YH	SC	\$W
+10	20% +4	30% +84	3% +148	3% +29	20% +1.0	15% +.93	15% +79 3%
HP	CEM	Milk	Doc	Claw	Angle	\$M	
+18.9	1% +11	25% +27	+27	10% +.39	10% +.42	20% +94	1%
CW	MB	RE	Fat	\$F	\$B	\$C	
+71	10% +.76	+77	30% -.013	20% +116	5% +175	10% +321	2%
Dam	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters In Herd	
6-93	6-104	4-106	2-\$24,375	None	2-100		

- ★ Z95 is a long spined, pretty fronted heifer.
- ★ Z95 is a super calm heifer and would be a great project for a first year 4-H member! Better yet, she is the 2<sup>nd</sup> top \$C female to sell today! She has some of the top EPDs in the females selling including her growth EPDs, HP EPD, \$M, and \$W.
- ★ Z95 is a full sister to the \$45,000 Hoover Victorious, the top-selling bull of our 2020 auction to Grimmus Cattle Co. in California. Our first Victorious calves came in the fall of 2021, and my favorite calf of the crop so far is a Victorious calf out of a 38 Special cow. We used Victorious on both heifers and cows. See more about Victorious on page 2 of our sire directory.
- ★ Dam N170 is a super low birth weight cow whose calves don't sacrifice a bit of growth compared to the bigger birth weight cows. N170 does so with a calving interval less than 365 days on her 6 progeny!
- ★ N170 has two daughters working in the herd, one of which was the 3<sup>rd</sup> top IMF scanning heifer of her crop. N170's progeny have scanned nicely, as she has 4-118 IMF ratio and 4-102 ribeye ratio.
- ★ Pathfinder great grandam was a working donor that had one of our very best bull calves of the crop several years in a row. Four bull consecutive bull calves weaned at an average 846 pounds!



# FALL BRED HEIFERS/OPEN HEIFERS



# HOVER MAID OF ELLSTON Z140

Open Heifer Reg. 20114815 Tattoo: L/R Z140 02/12/21

HA Cowboy Up 5405  
FREYS COWBOY LOGIC  
F A R Princess 148Z

Baldrige 38 Special  
MAID OF ELLSTON V77  
Maid of Ellston R334 #

HA Outside 3008  
HA Blackcap Lady 1602 #  
WK Bobcat #  
F A R Princess 214X #  
EF Commando 1366 #  
Baldrige Isabel Y69  
Mogck Bullseye #  
Maid of Ellston J316

BW	77
ADJ. 205/WR	713/105
ADJ. 365/YR	
%IMF/RATIO	
RE/RATIO	

CED	BW	WW	YW	RADG	YH	SC	\$W
+8	+1.0	+68	+112	+22	+6	+78	+77 15%
HP	CEM	Milk	Doc	Claw	Angle	\$M	
+16.7	5%	+9	+27	+14	+52	+47	+79 10%
CW	MB	RE	Fat	\$F	\$B	\$C	
+48	+31	+69	+025	+83	+118	+232	
Dam	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters In Herd	
	1-106	1-105	None	None	None	None	
Grandam	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction		
	4-94	4-108	3-103	1-\$4000	None		

- ★ Z140 is a deep bodied, proud, classic Cowboy Logic heifer.
- ★ We are certainly selling some of our freshest genetics here, selling several heifers out of our youngest cows, yet backed by some of our top producing cows as their second and third generation dams. Dam V77 was a first calf heifer with Z140.
- ★ Pathfinder grandam R334 has a superior 358 day calving interval on her 4 progeny. She does a excellent job of having low birth weight calves that wean heavy! She might even be looking at donor status in 2022.
- ★ R334's first son works for Andy Eichelberger, and both of her daughters have been retained as replacements. Her second daughter is a big, stout girl that was the 3<sup>rd</sup> top weaning weight heifer of her crop at 766 pounds. R334's next son sells as feature bull, Lot 63.
- ★ R334's progeny scan well, averaging 3-117 IMF ratio and 3-109 ribeye ratio to tie her as the 9<sup>th</sup> top ribeye ratio cow in the herd.
- ★ Grandam J316 has a superior 361 day calving interval on her 10 progeny! She's still going strong, and will calve before sale time with her 11<sup>th</sup> calf. J316 is one of our favorites – she is a deep, thick, easy fleshing tank!
- ★ At 11 years of age, J316's calf weaned at 734 pounds to be the 15<sup>th</sup> top weaning weight heifer of our crop, and she is one of my favorites! J316 doesn't disappoint!
- ★ J316's sons work for Wayne Reinhart and Dwayne Scar. The Reinhart bull was a bigger framed, really good bull that topped the \$10,000 mark. Her 5 progeny to come to auction have averaged \$7450.

## Joy's Iowa State Fair cake competition adventures!



David packing cakes in the truck to go to the fair



17 of Joy's 24 cakes awaiting judging



Joy and David with Joy's 2nd Overall Triple Layer Lemon cake and 4th Overall Red Waldorf cake



MISS BLACKBIRD ELLSTON Z82 – Lot 173

# HOVER MISS BLACKBIRD ELLSTON Z82

Open Heifer Reg. 20114793 Tattoo: L/R Z82 01/31/21

Hoover No Doubt  
HOOVER KNOW HOW  
Blkcp Empress Ellston L265 #

Baldrige 38 Special  
MISS BLACKBIRD ELLSTON S177  
Miss Blackbird Ellston L52

Mogck Bullseye #  
Miss Blackcap Ellston J2  
SydGen Storm 8504  
Blkcp Empress Ellston J120  
EF Commando 1366 #  
Baldrige Isabel Y69  
Hoover Dam #  
Miss Blackbird Ellston C224

BW	69
ADJ. 205/WR	668/98
ADJ. 365/YR	
%IMF/RATIO	
RE/RATIO	

CED	BW	WW	YW	RADG	YH	SC	\$W
+8	-3	20% +56	+107	+27	+5	+2.42 1%	+57
HP	CEM	Milk	Doc	Claw	Angle	\$M	
+13.2	30%	+15 2%	+23	+14	+25 1%	+45 30%	+71 25%
CW	MB	RE	Fat	\$F	\$B	\$C	
+39	+1.16	10% +66	+015	+85	+158	25% +276	15%
Dam	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters In Herd	
	3-94	3-96	2-101	1-\$4500	None	None	
Grandam	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction		
	5-97	4-101	4-101	1-\$5250	None		

- ★ The style and presence from Know How shines through in this heifer! She is definitely an eye-catching heifer. Z82 is stout, big quartered and fancy. See the featured heifer out of Know How's dam selling today, Lot 174.
- ★ Z82 has the lowest BW EPD in the open heifer division and ties with the top CEM EPD. Her high marbling potential gives her the highest Marbling EPD pre-scan in the open heifer division.
- ★ Z82 traces back 13 generations to Miss Blackbird of Ellston 2, a 1947-model female, sired by the foundational herd sire at Hoover Angus, Revolutions Bell Boy. Bell Boy would have been 10 years old when he sired this cow. I wonder if Walt Hoover would have dreamed that Bell Boy would be in the ancestry of a vast majority of Hoover bloodlines nearly 90 years after he purchased this bull?
- ★ Dam S177 is a fertile cow with a 355 day calving interval. S177's only son works for Dr. Erik Laumann, and her first daughter sells as Lot 125.
- ★ With 2-153 IMF ratio, S177 is the herd's 3<sup>rd</sup> top IMF ratio cow!
- ★ Grandam L52 has put more replacement daughters (5) in the herd than nearly any other cow that hasn't served as a donor. They are superior uddered females doing a very nice job!

## Good disposition show heifers in anyone's budget!

In our sale last year, two heifers (that were selected to be donor cows for their new owners) topped the \$ 10,000 mark, and the rest ranged in price from \$ 2300-6500, a very reasonable price for the high quality heifers they were! Our goal is to sell heifers that will make a nice 4-H project, but go on to make a foundational momma cow for anyone starting a herd.

Steve McFarland purchased open heifer Miss Erica Ellston V110 in our 2020 sale for a \$3250 as a herd-building female. Her first calf by TEX Playbook weaned at 827 pounds to be their #1 weaning weight bull calf of their crop! Steve reports that V110 bred back first service AI and is due for a second calf at 368 days.

OPEN HEIFERS

HOVER Angus



**BLACKCAP EMPRESS ELLSTON Z79 – Lot 174**



**PRIM LASSIE OF ELLSTON Z136 – Lot 175**



**Hoover Know How**  
Owned with Select Sires  
and Teixeira Cattle Co.  
Maternal Brother to Lot 174;  
Sire of Lot 173

**HOVER 175 PRIM LASSIE OF ELLSTON Z136**  
**Open Heifer** Reg. 20114813 Tattoo: L/R Z136 02/11/21

HA Cowboy Up 5405  
**FREYS COWBOY LOGIC**  
F A R Princess 148Z

HA Outside 3008  
HA Blackcap Lady 1602 #  
WK Bobcat #  
F A R Princess 214X #  
EF Commando 1366 #  
Baldrige Isabel Y69  
Bruns Top Cut 373 #  
Prim Lassie of Ellston J162 #

BW	72
ADJ. 205/WR	751/110
ADJ. 365/YR	
%IMF/RATIO	
RE/RATIO	

Baldrige 38 Special  
**PRIM LASSIE OF ELLSTON V124**  
Prim Lassie of Ellston R3

CED	BW	WW	YW	RADG	YH	SC	\$W
+12 10%	+1.3	+82 4%	+140 10%	+27	+8 25%	+1.28 25%	+81 10%
HP	CEM	Milk	Doc	Claw	Angle	\$M	
+12.8	+13 10%	+21	+19	+62	+51	+66	
CW	MB	RE	Fat	\$F	\$B	\$C	
+60 20%	+25	+40	-.003	+98 25%	+130	+235	
Dam	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters In Herd	
	1-100	1-110	None	None	None	None	

- ★ This heifer was photographer Mallory's favorite heifer on picture-taking day! She is a broody yet attractive heifer that will look like a million bucks as a mature cow!
- ★ We are sure selling some of our top-end heifers this year, and this is another one! Z136 was the 9<sup>th</sup> top weaning weight heifer of her crop!
- ★ Dam V124 was a first calf heifer with Z136, and I have no complaints! V124 had nice performance data herself: BW 72 lbs., WW 659 lbs., WR 101, YW 955 lbs., YR 101, IMF 4.68, ratio 105, ribeye 11.2", ratio 108. She has one of the most well-rounded EPD profiles of any cow in the herd.
- ★ Starting with great grandam J162, there are an unprecedented *five consecutive* generations of Pathfinder cows down the dam's side of the pedigree of this heifer! J162's first daughter earned Pathfinder honors, so in her pedigree, there would be six consecutive generations of Pathfinders – to my knowledge, this is the longest consecutive stretch in the entire herd! Excellence breeds excellence!
- ★ The influence of this cow family has sure grown in recent years, as we have laid in a lot of J162 daughters, granddaughters, and great granddaughters in our herd.

**HOVER 174 BLACKCAP EMPRESS ELLSTON Z79**

**Open Heifer** Reg. 20114792 Tattoo: L/R Z79 01/31/21

EF Commando 1366 #  
**BALDRIDGE 38 SPECIAL**  
Baldrige Isabel Y69

SydGen Storm 8504  
**BLKCP EMPRESS ELLSTON L265 #**  
Blkcp Empress Ellston J120

EF Complement 8088 #  
Riverbend Young Lucy W1470  
Styles Upgrade J59 #  
Baldrige Isabel T935  
SydGen Contact #  
G A R 616 Rito 2472  
Basin Excitement #  
Blackcap Empress Ellston F29

BW	77
ADJ. 205/WR	655/96
ADJ. 365/YR	
%IMF/RATIO	
RE/RATIO	

CED	BW	WW	YW	RADG	YH	SC	\$W
+7	-.2 20%	+71 20%	+122 20%	+24	+4	+1.68 10%	+68 30%
HP	CEM	Milk	Doc	Claw	Angle	\$M	
+18.1 2%	+10	+17	+22 30%	+39 10%	+40 15%	+87 3%	
CW	MB	RE	Fat	\$F	\$B	\$C	
+45	+91 25%	+15	+084	+84	+134	+261 25%	
Dam	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction	Daughters @ Auction	Daughters In Herd	
	7-98	7-101	3-99	2-\$15,375	1-\$6500	1-103	

- ★ Z79 is a 12th generation Blackcap Empress Ellston female to be raised by four generations of the Hoover family in Southern Iowa! Z79's 6th generation dam has been one of the most influential cows in our history - 86 daughter descendants have stemmed from this cow, including 17 Pathfinders and 8 donor cows!
- ★ Z79 is a super gentle heifer and would be a great show prospect for a young 4-H member that wants not just a show heifer for one year, but the foundation of a great cow herd! Even better, Z79 will be "right-priced" to be able to turn a profit unlike high priced show heifers that are designed for the show ring instead of the pasture.
- ★ Z79 has been one of the favorite heifers of some of the first sale visitors to the farm in December! She is big topped, feminine, soggy, and more moderate than most 38 Specials.
- ★ Z79 is a maternal sister to Hoover Know How, a featured sire at Select Sires. Know How progeny were well accepted in our sale last year – five Know How sons averaged \$11,200 to be our top-selling sire group of five or more bulls! Hoover Perception, the \$30,000 top-selling bull in our 2021 auction, was sired by Know How. Know How progeny are sharp-looking, big hipped cattle that take your eye pretty quick.
- ★ Pathfinder dam L265 is better known as "Stormy" around Hoover Angus, and she is a great cow to work with at calving time. She is still going strong at 9 years of age! Stormy and the 6 generations of cows behind her have superior udders.
- ★ Stormy has one Pathfinder daughter that works in the herd. A beautiful ET daughter of Stormy was a photo feature in our 2021 auction as a fall bred heifer, and sold to repeat customer Bill McLaren for \$6500. Bill likes her!
- ★ We decided we could part with Z79 as we have four ET calves from the same calf crop by Stormy that we can put back in our replacement herd!

**10 open heifers selling average:**

- WW EPD top 10%
  - YW EPD top 10%
  - Docility EPD top 35%
  - Claw EPD top 25%
  - Angle EPD top 25%
  - HP top 15%
  - \$M top 10%
  - \$W top 10%
  - \$B top 30%
  - \$C top 20%
- (Rankings among non-parent Angus females)



**OPEN HEIFERS**



**HO 176/ER MISS ERICA ELLSTON Z119****Open Heifer**

Reg. 20114806

Tattoo: L/R Z119

02/09/21

HA Cowboy Up 5405  
**FREYS COWBOY LOGIC**  
 F A R Princess 148Z

Mogck Bullseye #  
**MISS ERICA ELLSTON M229 #**  
 Miss Erica Ellston K258

HA Outside 3008  
 HA Blackcap Lady 1602 #  
 WK Bobcat #  
 F A R Princess 214X #  
 MOGCK Sure Shot #  
 Mogck Mary 1255  
 Hoover Dam #  
 Miss Erica Ellston F61

BW	80
ADJ. 205/WR	675/99
ADJ. 365/YR	
%IMF/RATIO	
RE/RATIO	

CED	BW		WW	YW	RADG		YH	SC	\$W		
+9	25%	+1.2	+63	+118	30%	+28	25%	+8	25%	+90	+64
HP	CEM		Milk	Doc		Claw		Angle		\$M	
+12.4	+15		2%	+25	+21		+54		+43	25%	+67
CW	MB		RE	Fat		\$F		\$B		\$C	
+41	+67		+28	-005		30%	+84	+133		+240	
Dam	BWR	WWR	YWR	Sons @ Auction		Daughters @ Auction		Daughters In Herd			
	7-102	7-104	6-105	1-\$3750		1-\$6200		2-108			

- ★ Z119 is a deep chested, growthy heifer. She ties as the top CEM EPD open heifer to sell.
- ★ Pathfinder dam M229 has a 361 day calving interval on her 7 calves. I say it often, but fertility is the #1 profitability factor in a cow herd! M229's first two daughters in the Hoover herd are making phenomenal young cows. One of these was the 5<sup>th</sup> top weaning weight, 3<sup>rd</sup> top yearling weight, 4<sup>th</sup> top ribeye scanning heifer of her crop.
- ★ Repeat customer Rodney Lovitt selected a daughter of M229 for \$6200, and her son was selected by long time repeat customer Dustin McCoy.
- ★ This pedigree is deep with good cows – ask Joy or John about 5<sup>th</sup> generation dam F99. She was an extremely deep bodied cow that produced until 18 years of age and recorded a 103 WR on her progeny.



**Erica of Ellston T220**  
 \$200,000 Valuation Female  
 Full Sister to Lot 178



**Erica of Ellston X39**  
 Owned by Russell Cattle Co.  
 \$22,000 Full Sister  
 to Lot 178



**Erica of Ellston X52**  
 Owned by Jocko Valley  
 Cattle and Dave Powers  
 \$18,000 Full Sister  
 to Lot 178

**HO 177/ER GAMMER OF ELLSTON Z60****Open Heifer**

Reg. 20114788

Tattoo: L/R Z60

01/24/21

Fortunes Conquest 224  
**BALDRIDGE CHAIRMAN**  
 Baldridge Isabel B061

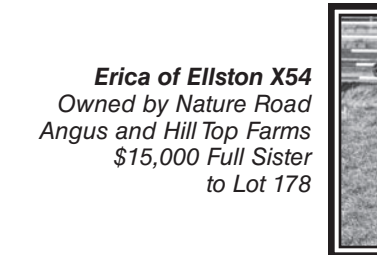
Hoover No Doubt  
**GAMMER OF ELLSTON S439**  
 Gammer of Ellston J500 #

Connealy Confidence 0100 #  
 Fortunes 4412 Ethelda 742  
 G A R Prophet #  
 Baldridge Isabel Y69  
 Mogck Bullseye #  
 Miss Blackcap Ellston J2  
 H&K Impressive  
 Gammer of Ellston E43

BW	72
ADJ. 205/WR	684/100
ADJ. 365/YR	
%IMF/RATIO	
RE/RATIO	

CED	BW		WW		YW		RADG		YH		SC		\$W	
+3	+1.9		+66 30%		+115 30%		+21		+7		+72		+80 10%	
HP	CEM		Milk		Doc		Claw		Angle				SM	
+12.1	+12	15%	+35	4%	+22	30%	+35	4%	+33	2%	+84	5%		
CW	MB		RE		Fat		SF		SB				SC	
+49	+62		+60		+020		+83		+131				+254	
Dam	BWR	WWR	YWR		Sons @ Auction		Daughters @ Auction		Daughters In Herd					
	2-93	2-98	1-94		None		None		None		None			

- ★ Z60 is a deep sided, easy fleshing Chairman daughter. Our oldest Chairman daughters are just ready to turn 5 years old, and they are some of our best young cows!
- ★ Z60 has the top Milk EPD in the open heifer division.
- ★ Dam S439 is a pretty female that has a perfect 365 day calving interval. Her first daughter settled first service AI and will calve this month at Hoover Angus.
- ★ Pathfinder grandam J500 has been gone for several years, but recorded a 360 day calving interval. She put two replacement daughters in the herd.
- ★ I think I can count on one hand the times that Hoover Angus has bought females in the past 90 years. This Gammer cow family is one of them. In 1999, John, Barb, Joy and David purchased cows from Craig Conover, and fourth generation dam 173, a Pathfinder, was one of them. She was truly one of the great cows of the day. Two of her sons topped the \$10,000 mark, and one was the lead-off bull in our sale. The 173 cow had two daughters that served as two of our very first donors – one of which was E43, the great grandam of Z60.



**Erica of Ellston X54**  
 Owned by Nature Road  
 Angus and Hill Top Farms  
 \$15,000 Full Sister  
 to Lot 178



**Erica of Ellston R96**  
 Pathfinder Hoover Donor  
 Dam of Lot 178



**Erica of Ellston M38**  
 Pathfinder Hoover Donor  
 Grandam of Lot 178



**Erica of Ellston G366**  
 Candid photo at  
 8 years of age  
 Great Grandam of Lot 178

**Hoover Angus Family:**

166 years of family farmed ground  
 (6 generations of the Hoover family)  
 94 years of quality Angus cattle  
 (4 generations of the Hoover family)

**OPEN HEIFERS****HOOVER**  
*Angus*





**ERICA OF ELLSTON Z39 – Lot 178**

**HOVER**  
**Open Heifer**

**ERICA OF ELLSTON Z39**

Reg. +20106356

Tattoo: L/R Z39

01/18/21

EF Commando 1366 #  
**BALDRIDGE 38 SPECIAL**  
Baldrige Isabel Y69

Bruns Top Cut 373 #  
**ERICA OF ELLSTON R96 #**  
Erica of Ellston M38 #

EF Complement 8088 #  
Riverbend Young Lucy W1470  
Styles Upgrade J59 #  
Baldrige Isabel T935  
Bruns UpperCut 610  
Dakota Miss 669 Baf #  
Basin Excitement #  
Erica of Ellston G366 #

BW	80
ADJ. 205/WR	752/110
ADJ. 365/YR	
%IMF/RATIO	
RE/RATIO	

CED	BW		WW		YW		RADG		YH		SC		\$W	
+9	25%	+2.0	+93	1%	+168	1%	+29	20%	+8	25%	+1.10	+98	1%	
HP	CEM		Milk		Doc		Claw		Angle		SM			
+13.8	25%	+8	+28	30%	+22	30%	+51		+38	10%	+88	3%		
CW	MB		RE		Fat		\$F		\$B		\$C			
+69	10%	+49	+64		+005		+103		15%	+147	+279		15%	
Dam	BWR		WWR		YWR		Sons @ Auction		Daughters @ Auction		Daughters In Herd			
	3-106		3-114		2-109		3-\$14,425		4-\$18,750		None			
Grandam	BWR		WWR		YWR		Sons @ Auction		Daughters @ Auction					
	6-103		6-114		3-112		1-\$14,500		1-\$48,000					

- ★ Z39 is the power heifer of the group! She's got lots of rib and nice eye appeal. Z39 ties as the #1 WW EPD female to sell and has the 2<sup>nd</sup> top YW EPD!
- ★ Z39 is a donor prospect and full sister to the \$200,000 valued Erica of Ellston T220 cow! T220 sold as an 8 month-old calf for \$20,000, and is now owned by 7 Oaks Angus, Baldrige Performance Angus, Bullseye Angus, KDS Angus, and 2S Angus. T220 is on track for becoming the most well-known Hoover Angus female in our 94-year history! Her progeny have already grossed over \$200,000 before she has turned 4 years of age! Two sons have sold to bull studs. Daughters of T220 serve as donors in 7 herds in 5 different states.
- ★ T220 weaned at 784 pounds, WR 118 to be the 3<sup>rd</sup> top adjusted weaning weight heifer of the 2018 Hoover crop.
- ★ T220 produced 52 embryos as a coming yearling heifer, and bred back first service AI for her first natural calf. This natural heifer calf weaned off an adjusted 799 pounds (no creep). T220's first four ET progeny through AHIR averaged an adjusted 855 pound weaning weight.
- ★ Pathfinder dam R96 has a stunning record of production and fertility – she was flushed as a wet two year-old, three year-old, and four year-old, and maintains a 356

day calving interval! R96 has grossed over \$125,000 on progeny and embryo sales, and she has another four bulls (Lots 11-14) and this heifer selling today! She is the herd's 3<sup>rd</sup> top indexing cow with 3-114 WR!

- ★ Daughters of R96 (and full sisters to Z39 and T220) have sold to Dana Russell, Jocko Valley and Dave Powers, and Nature Road Angus and Hill Top Farms. A full brother was the 3<sup>rd</sup> top-selling bull of our 2021 auction at \$26,000 to long-time repeat customer Glen Hanson. Glen's bull was the #1 adjusted weaning weight ET calf of the crop at 865 pounds and our Lot 1 bull last year! He also was the #1 adjusted yearling weight bull of our 2021 sale.
- ★ R96's first two sons were both photo features in our 2020 auction selling to Richard & Jason Swaney and Barnett Angus.
- ★ R96 was the #1 adjusted weaning weight, 3<sup>rd</sup> top yearling weight heifer of her crop at 827 lbs., WR 120, YW 1093 lbs., YR 114.
- ★ Pathfinder donor grandam M38 serves as the herd's 2<sup>nd</sup> top indexing cow! She produced three-in-a-row #1 adjusted weaning weight heifers in their respective crops, all weaning over 820 pounds. M38 generated \$27,400 in embryo sales through our 2019 mini online auction.
- ★ M38 is a superior uddered female with one of the best dispositions on the farm. She is truly a model Angus cow and serves as a working donor with a 355 day calving interval on her first 5 natural calves (before we took her out of production for a year to flush her).
- ★ Pathfinder donor grandam G366 is easily regarded as the best cow in Hoover's history. Eight bulls placed in AI studs have descended directly from G366; another three, including Hoover Dam, stem from this Erica cow family.
- ★ G366 has three Pathfinder daughters – two in the Hoover herd, and one owned by JJ Scheckel. Four of the top 15 indexing cows in the Hoover herd are direct G366 daughters or granddaughters! It doesn't get any better than this! At least 15 of her daughter descendants have served as donors.
- ★ G366 has produced well over \$200,000 in registered progeny sales, second only to Hoover Dam's mother in gross sales.
- ★ Superior udders run in this cow family. G366's udder at over 12 years of age would rival most 3-4 year-old females in the breed today.
- ★ The Ericas have been a dominant force of our top-end genetics for many years. They have proven themselves the hard way – the old-fashioned way – by progeny performance and success. Six of the past 7 years, sons of the Ericas have been the Lot 1 bulls in our sales. In our 2021 auction, of the 8 animals that hit the \$20,000+ price tag, 6 of them were from the Erica cow family.
- ★ Nine Pathfinders are found in this pedigree, including *three consecutive* generations down her dam's side!
- ★ See pictures from this cow family on page 70.

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*Angus*

**OPEN HEIFERS**



# HOVER ERICA OF ELLSTON Z87

Open Heifer

Reg. 20114796

Tattoo: L/R Z87

02/05/21

HA Cowboy Up 5405  
FREYS COWBOY LOGIC  
F A R Princess 148Z

HA Outside 3008  
HA Blackcap Lady 1602 #  
WK Bobcat #  
F A R Princess 214X #  
SydGen Enhance  
MOGCK Erica 2255 #  
Hoover Carbon Copy  
Erica of Ellston E250 #

BW	71
ADJ. 205/WR	744/109
ADJ. 365/YR	
%IMF/RATIO	
RE/RATIO	

MOGCK Entice  
ERICA OF ELLSTON V113  
Erica of Ellston L89 #

CED	BW		WW		YW		RADG		YH		SC		\$W	
+8	+1.5		+81	5%	+134	10%	+29	20%	+1.0	10%	+1.26	25%	+88	4%
HP	CEM		Milk		Doc		Claw		Angle				\$M	
+13.3	30%	+7	+28	30%	+22	30%	+46	30%	+48				+72	25%
CW	MB		RE		Fat		\$F		\$B				\$C	
+60	20%	+70	+50		-.024		15%	+103	15%	+157	25%	+276	15%	
Dam	BWR		WWR		YWR		Sons @ Auction		Daughters @ Auction		Daughters In Herd			
	1-99		1-109		None		None		None		None			
Grandam	BWR		WWR		YWR		Sons @ Auction		Daughters @ Auction					
	8-103		8-104		4-105		None		None		None			

- ★ Z87 is a square made, clean fronted heifer with a little bigger frame. One ear was nipped by the cold a bit, but that won't hurt her productivity a bit!
- ★ Z87 was the 12<sup>th</sup> top weaning weight heifer of her crop!
- ★ Dam V113 was a first calf heifer with Z87, and I'd say she did a fine job!
- ★ V113 had nice individual performance data too: WW 652 lbs., WR 100, YW 942 lbs., YR 100, IMF 6.92, ratio 156, ribeye 10.8", ratio 104. She was the 5<sup>th</sup> top IMF heifer of her crop!
- ★ I didn't realize it when I picked these 10 open heifers, but I selected both V113's calf and her dam L89's calf to go in the sale! L89's calf sells as Lot 180; please read about her and her cow family in that footnote.

# HOVER ERICA OF ELLSTON Z89

Open Heifer

Reg. 20114798

Tattoo: L/R Z89

02/03/21

SydGen Enhance  
MOGCK ENTICE  
MOGCK Erica 2255 #

SydGen Exceed 3223  
SydGen Rita 2618  
Mogck Sure Shot 253  
MOGCK Erica 2162  
SydGen C C & 7 #  
Keymura Katy Z99 #  
LaGrand 338 Right Time 3404 #  
Erica of Ellston B235 #

BW	92
ADJ. 205/WR	729/107
ADJ. 365/YR	
%IMF/RATIO	
RE/RATIO	

Hoover Carbon Copy  
ERICA OF ELLSTON L89 #  
Erica of Ellston E250 #

CED	BW		WW		YW		RADG		YH		SC		SW														
+3	+2.0		+80		10%		+147		4%		+29		20%		+1.4		1%		+1.56		15%		+84		10%		
HP		CEM		Milk		Doc		Claw		Angle		SM															
+16.4		10%		+1		+31		15%		+26		15%		+36		5%		+49				+73		20%			
CW		MB		RE		Fat		SF		SB		SC															
+79		3%		+87		25%		+1.11		3%		-.033		10%		+126		2%		+196		2%		+327		1%	
Dam	BWR		WWR		YWR		Sons @ Auction		Daughters @ Auction		Daughters In Herd																
	8-103		8-104		4-105		None		None		3-102																

- ★ Z89 is a bigger framed gal, super long and extended, but still got plenty of depth to go along with it.
- ★ Z89 has the #1 \$Combined Value of all females in this sale! She is also the top Ribeye EPD, \$Beef, and \$Feedlot Value in the open heifer division.
- ★ Dam L89 has earned Pathfinder honors and maintains a 362 day calving interval on her 8 progeny. Fertility is the #1 profitability factor for the commercial cow-calf operation!
- ★ L89 has put three excellent daughters back in the Hoover herd, the oldest of which has earned Pathfinder honors. One daughter was the #1 adjusted weaning weight heifer of her crop. Another daughter is the dam of the outstanding feature Lot 23 bull.
- ★ With a whopping 4-145 IMF ratio, L89 is the herd's 6<sup>th</sup> top IMF ratio cow!
- ★ Grandam E250 was an extremely successful cow and served as a donor. Two of her daughters were the #1 IMF scanning females of their crop, and one son was #1!
- ★ E250 produced the lead-off, top-selling open heifer in our 2016 auction at \$10,750 to the Mickey family in Illinois. Others that have E250 progeny include: Eddie LaBoube, Freddie Jones, Taylor Ridge, LeRoy Stortenbecker, Henry Langstraat, Mark Groth, and Jerry Ebert.
- ★ You'll note the Erica cow family here – Z89's great grandam is B235 – who is also the grandam of the great G366 cow that many of our featured lots descend from today. Lead-off open heifer Lot 178 is a great granddaughter of G366!
- ★ Seven Pathfinders are in the three generation pedigree of Z89, and it's likely only a matter of time before two more earn the honor – Enhance and Entice on the top side of the pedigree. Z89 is a rare find with three consecutive generations of Pathfinders down the dam's side of the pedigree.



ERICA OF ELLSTON T64 – Donor Dam of Lot 181 Embryos



Erica of Ellston N54  
Pathfinder Donor Grandam of  
Lot 181 Embryos



HCC Whitewater 9010  
\$280,000 Sire of  
Lot 181 Embryos

# HOVER 6 FROZEN EMBRYOS

Embryos  
Mill Brae Identified 4031  
HCC WHITEWATER 9010  
Rock Creek Sara 6066

Baldrige 38 Special  
ERICA OF ELLSTON T64  
Erica of Ellston N54 #

Koupals B&B Identity #  
Mill Brae Pro Blackcap 1092  
Silveiras Conversion 8064  
H P C A Confidence A322 +  
EF Commando 1366 #  
Baldrige Isabel Y69  
Basin Excitement #  
Erica of Ellston G366 #

# PROJECTED CALF EPDS

BW	WW	YW	SC	DOC	MILK	HP
+1.3	+80	+138	+1.07	+23	+29	+16.7
CW	MB	RE	\$M	\$W	\$B	\$C
+59	+97	+86	+88	+89	+161	+297

- ★ Selling 6 IVF Grade 1 embryos, guaranteeing two pregnancies.
- ★ Here is a rare offering of embryos from the great Erica cow family by one of the breeds most up-and-coming young sires!
- ★ It is extremely rare for us to flush a virgin heifer, but we knew T64 was one of the neatest females we had ever produced, so we took one flush on this female before we bred her as a yearling.
- ★ The lone resulting calf of this flush was one of the very top heifers of our 2020 crop! This heifer by No Doubt weaned at 753 pounds, WR 109 in a tough contemporary group of ET calves. She went on to have a 1079 pound yearling weight, YR 107, IMF 10.63, ratio 175, ribeye 12.3", ratio 112! This heifer settled first service AI and will calve shortly after our sale this year. Come see her in person!
- ★ T64 was a really high performing female herself, being the #1 adjusted weaning weight ET heifer of her crop! WW 810 lbs., WR 115, YW 1108 lbs., YR 114.
- ★ T64's natural calf this year was too young for the sale, but he weaned at 759 pounds and will be one of our top private treaty bulls.
- ★ Pathfinder grandam N54 is my favorite G366 daughter. N54 is a beautiful cow – the picture above was taken this past July, the week before her calf was weaned. Her 2021 calf is possibly the best calf of the heifer crop!
- ★ N54 has a superb 355 day calving interval, and that includes stealing flushes two different years. She is a true low birth weight cow whose calves grow rapidly, as proven by her 6-93 BWR and 6-106 WR! Three daughters have served as donors.
- ★ T64, her dam (N54), her sister (X25) and her dam's sister (M38) are four of the 21 Hoover-owned females that break the +100 mark for \$M! This is an amazing feat as breed average for current dams is +57! Out of over 350,000 dams nation-wide, only 299 cows can match or exceed N54's +103 \$M or higher! Sort these 299 cows down to the high accuracy cows, and only N54 and one other cow come to the top!
- ★ Bulls from the Erica cow family once again lead-off our catalog – see Lots 1-17 for more success from this cow family! They are truly second-to-none!
- ★ Embryo sire, Whitewater, was the \$280,000 head-turning bull selected by several of the top programs in the country this past spring from Heim Cattle Co. He is a really athletic, free moving bull with length of body and mass in a moderate package. His calving ease, elite carcass, and high \$Values along with moderate mature weight and height are truly unique and fit for the industry.



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**MISS BLACKCAP ELLSTON N58**  
Donor Dam of Lot 182



**Myers Fair-N-Square M39**  
Sire of Lot 182



**Hoover No Doubt**  
Full Brother to the  
Donor Dam of Lot 182

## HOVER 182 HEIFER CALF PREGNANCY

Woodhill Blueprint  
**MYERS FAIR-N-SQUARE M39**  
Myers Miss Beauty M136

Mogck Bullseye #  
**MISS BLACKCAP ELLSTON N58 #+**  
Miss Blackcap Ellston J2

Connealy Confidence Plus  
Woodhill Evergreen Z291-B233  
Connealy Thunder #  
Myers Miss Beauty M476 #  
MOGCK Sure Shot #  
Mogck Mary 1255  
SydGen C C & 7 #  
Miss Blackcap Ellston D154 #

### PROJECTED CALF EPDS

BW	WW	YW	SC	DOC	MILK	HP
+2.2	+85	+152	+70	+33	+27	+11.9
CW	MB	RE	\$M	\$W	\$B	\$C
+76	+71	+94	+75	+82	+186	+316

- ★ Pregnancy due fall 2022 – contact Landi for details and recip location.
- ★ A rare chance to purchase a heifer calf pregnancy out of the breed's #2 Docility EPD Pathfinder cow, which happens to be No Doubt's best flush sister! She truly lives up to this title, she is as gentle as they come! Last summer we knew we wanted to get a picture of N58 out on pasture while raising her calf, so I instructed Andrew to get her slicked off while she was in the lot. I *assumed* he would put her in the chute. Nope! I was heat checking cows one day, and I heard clipper noise coming from the calving barn, so I go to check it out. N58 was standing in the middle of the calving barn, not restrained by anything, and Andrew was clipping her! Her calf (Lot 81 in this sale) was calmly hanging out with her, apparently not bothered a bit by the noise of the clippers. If you scroll back through the videos on the Hoover Angus Facebook page, you'll find a short video of Andrew clipping her!
- ★ N58 and No Doubt were the two knockouts of their flush – when we sold dam J2, we retained one flush out of her, and the result was No Doubt and four flush sisters; three of which have earned Pathfinder status! N58 was the highest performing sister in this flush at 850 pounds, WR 119. At the time, she was the #1 weaning

weight female ever at Hoover Angus! She had a YW 1244 pounds, YR 120, 6.80 IMF, ratio 143, ribeye 13.3", ratio 111.

- ★ No Doubt had countless sons and daughters at the top of sale reports this past year. Top cattlemen have realized the value of his thickness, structure, performance, and docility in an uncompromising phenotypic package.
- ★ One of the coolest things about this cow family is that N58 is an 11<sup>th</sup> generation bred, born, and raised Hoover Angus female. These cows have been fertile, fescue-tolerant, and some of our best at raising top-notch calves! Udder quality is superior!
- ★ As an 8 year-old cow, N58 has 9 EPDs or \$Values in or above the best 1% of the breed!
- ★ N58 is the dam of two of the best bulls selling in this sale – Lot 81, the top \$C bull of the sale, and Lot 82, the meatwagon Alternative son. At the time of the writing of this footnote, it looks like Lot 81 will lead-off the sale. Come see him in person to appreciate his superior thickness and disposition!
- ★ N58 produced a flush selling for \$24,000 in the 2019 Hoover Angus sale to Lylester Ranch, and her daughter sold for \$20,750 in our online sale to Riverbend Ranch. In our fall 2021 mini online sale, Ray Johnson of Johnson Angus Ranch in Connecticut picked a N58 daughter as his Pick of the Fall Heifers for \$13,500.
- ★ N58's three natural sons have weaned at an average 825 pounds; her two daughters 701 pounds.
- ★ N58 records 5-92 BWR, 5-107 WR, 3-103 YR, 10-111 IMF ratio and 10-101 ribeye ratio with a 348 day calving interval on her 4 progeny before she was left open to flush for a year.
- ★ Flush sisters to N58 have sold for \$60,000 to Dixie Valley Ranch and \$27,500 to Wall Street Cattle Co. An Entice son sold by the Wall Street cow sold for \$10,000 in their fall 2021 sale to be the 2<sup>nd</sup> top-selling bull!
- ★ N58's dam, J2, sold ½ interest for \$150,000 as a 7 year-old cow. At 11 years of age, J2 produced the top-selling bull of all breeds at the 2021 Midland Bull Test for \$158,000! This bull, Sterling Bond 007, was selected by ST Genetics.
- ★ Sire Myers Fair-N-Square was selected as the ideal candidate to use on N58 as a more moderate framed, very sound, complete-made bull whose uptake has been very strong among highly reputable programs in the breed. We saw Fair-N-Square's dam this summer, and realized Fair-N-Square was the perfect opportunity to insert the superior foot qualities of Thunder along with breed-leading EPDs of today.





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