April 8, 2016

AVIAN INFLUENZA DISEASE ALERT

As a result of continued influenza surveillance in Minnesota, the following poultry flock has presumptive positive influenza test results:

MNAIU02-16 – KANDIYOHİ COUNTY
a) Breeder turkey hens (34 weeks old) with egg production drop
b) Flock is located in Kandiyohi County, MAPP Code = 34MAMR33A
c) Tracheal swab samples were collected April 6, 2016 and submitted to the University of Minnesota Veterinary Diagnostic Laboratory for diagnostic testing.
d) Two (2) tracheal swab samples from one barn were Influenza A Matrix positive (CT values mid 20’s); All samples were H5/H7 NEGATIVE. Tracheal Swab samples from 3 other barns on the site were Influenza A Matrix negative.
e) Samples are being submitted to the National Veterinary Services Laboratory (NVSL) for confirmation.

If there are any questions or concerns please let me know.

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