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NORTH DAKOTA CROP PROGRESS AND CONDITION

FARGO, N.D. March 3, 2025 - For the week ending March 2, 2025, topsoil moisture supplies rated 9% very short, 30% short, 57% adequate, and 4% surplus, according to the USDA's National Agricultural Statistics Service. Subsoil moisture supplies rated 13% very short, 32% short, 53% adequate, and 2% surplus.

Field Crops Report: Winter wheat condition rated 4% very poor, 10% poor, 47% fair, 39% good, and 0% excellent.

Livestock Report: Cattle and calf conditions rated 1% very poor, 3% poor, 24% fair, 67% good, and 5% excellent. Cattle and calf death loss rated 1% heavy, 53% average, and 46% light. Calving progress was 14% complete.

Sheep and lamb conditions rated 1% very poor, 2% poor, 22% fair, 72% good, and 3% excellent. Sheep and lamb death loss rated 3% heavy, 58% average, and 39% light. Lambing progress was 28% complete. Shearing progress was 39% complete.

Hay and roughage supplies rated 4% very short, 15% short, 76% adequate, and 5% surplus.

Stock water supplies rated 9% very short, 27% short, 61% adequate, and 3% surplus.

The next report will be issued March 31, 2025

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