

AMERICAN ANGUS ASSOCIATION

Founded in 1883, the American Angus Association is owned and controlled by its members. Members elect delegates to represent their state at the Annual Meeting. The delegates in turn elect five representatives each year to the 15-member Board of Directors, as well as the Association president and vice president.

The primary job of the Association is to collect and to process performance and ancestral records on Angus cattle and to issue certificates of registration and transfer. The Association also performs a variety of other services for members, including public relations, support of shows and educational events, junior activities programs, commercial relations, and Certified Angus Beef LLC (CAB). In addition, the Association publishes the Angus Journal and the Angus Beef Bulletin through its for-profit subsidiary, Angus Productions Inc. (API).

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AMERICAN ANGUS ASSOCIATION MISSION STATEMENT

“To provide programs, services, technology and leadership to enhance the genetics of the Angus breed, to broaden its influence within the beef industry, and to expand the market for superior-tasting, high-quality Angus beef worldwide.”

LONG-RANGE GOALS

The American Angus Association’s Board of Directors and staff met in March 2003 to discuss long-term goals, opportunities and issues that affect the Association and its entities, as well as its members. That planning session led to the establishment of five core strategies that were used to develop a strategic plan, which includes objectives and initiatives, for developing and implementing programs and services. These core strategies include:

- ▶ achieve Angus excellence through information;
- ▶ increase beef demand with Angus equity;
- ▶ identify and implement relevant technologies;
- ▶ optimize resources; and
- ▶ create opportunities.

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