

Gosey Red Angus Dispersal
Thursday, November 20, 2014
Wahoo Livestock Commission – Wahoo, Nebraska

It was fitting that Jim & Linda Gosey disperse their Red Angus cow herd through the Wahoo sale barn, because since the herd's inception, that's where they marketed females that didn't produce well enough to fit the herd. The Gosey's focused on raising bulls for Nebraska's commercial cowherds and did not sell seedstock females – that is until November 20, 2014, when every female they owned was offered. The sale was promoted as a cow herd dispersal, because the Goseys are retaining their 2014 bull calves to sell at their final bull sale on March 28, 2015.

It was also fitting to have a UNL Animal Science student, Curtis Wetovick, serve as auctioneer for this cowherd, given Dr. Jim Gosey's tenure at University of Nebraska, and his contributions to Nebraska's beef industry. An overflow crowd including buyers from 10 states appraised the cattle as follows:

- 31 Bred Cows averaged: \$6,048
- 18 Heifer Calves averaged: \$3,536
- 12 Bred Heifers averaged: \$5,708
- 2 Herd Sires averaged: \$8,125

High sellers included:

Lot 5 – JAG Ruby 012X, a 2010 daughter of Schuler Envy to Brian Theil, Winfield, KS at \$10,500

Lot 6 – JAG Julie 820U, a 2008 born daughter of Basin Cherokee 2926 to B Lazy T Ranch, Hot Springs, SD at \$10,500

Lot 20 – JAG Ruby 914W, 2009 born daughter of Brown Commitment S7206 to Andy Albrecht, Thurston, NE at \$9,000

Lot 7 – JAG Design 108Y – was sire of many of the high selling bred heifers and heifer calves. This 2011 son of 5L Double Design 1177-227W sold to Kal-Kota Ranch, Steele, SD and Jim Cravins, Buffalo, IL at \$8,750.

Lot 45 – JAG Ruby 338A – this 2013 daughter of Lot 7, JAG Design 108Y, was the high selling bred heifer going to Stan Meng, Oregon, MO at \$8,000.

Lot 9A – JAG Ruby 426B was the high selling heifer calf. This March 2014 daughter of JAG Design 108Y sold to Jon Pehrson of Laurel, NE at \$5,750