<u>NEW</u> Mandatory Sheep Electronic Identification (eID) Scanning at Mudgee Saleyards for sheep in Transit.

Effective July 1st, 2025, all sheep transiting through Mudgee Saleyards must be scanned using Sheep eID technology.
This initiative supports national biosecurity efforts, helping to protect Australia's sheep industry from disease outbreaks.

Key Information:

1. **Mandatory Scanning:** In compliance with NSW Department of Primary Industries regulations, all sheep entering Mudgee Saleyards must be scanned.
2. **Free Self-Service Scanning:** Sheep eID scanners are available for free, self-service use.
3. **Scanning Options:**
    - **3.1. Physical Scanning:** Sheep can be scanned by running them through the designated race and eID scanner. (Refer to the provided map for directions.)
    - **3.2. Electronic Submission:** Alternatively, a file containing the sheep's eID data can be emailed to the Saleyard Manager at saleyardsmanager@midwestern.nsw.gov.au upon entry.
4. **Yarding Hours:** Transit sheep can be yarded from **9:00 AM Thursday to 2:00 PM Tuesday**.
5. **Non-Compliance Fee:** A $20 per head handling fee may be imposed for sheep that are identified as not having been scanned.
6. **Holding Pens:** Transit sheep can be held in pens H1 to H4.
7. **Loading Procedures:** Sheep should be loaded via pen 56 to the loading ramp or the truck ramp at pen 46.