POINTS TO REMEMBER – Producer copy

- With the Swine ID Law, all pigs moving on public roads in the state for any reason are required to be identified with “official ID.”

- Swine that do not leave the premises of the swine owner are not subject to the identification requirements of the Swine ID Law.

- For small producers, the ID types can be:
  - Brite ear tags
  - Official tattoos issued by NCDA&CS and assigned specifically to the producer (and tied to their premises registration number) that they can then apply just prior to movement as a Slap Tattoo
  - Far Notch Numbers that also have been assigned by NCDA&CS specifically to the producer
    - You must have a Premises Registration Number to be issued any of the above IDs. If you are not registered, download the Registration Form from this website.
    - If you are unsure you are registered, call our office at: 919-707-3275

- Unlawful transport of swine without identification is subject to a civil penalty fine of up to $5,000 for each violation. Each swine that has no identification is a separate violation.

(The larger producers will continue to use the group/lot ID for movements in accordance with the Swine Health Protection Act in CFR as they have been for years.)

- Tags are assigned specifically to YOU
  - They cannot be given to anyone else for any reason
  - There is a $1000 per tag civil penalty fine for giving tags to anyone other than the person they were issued to