Indiana’s Slaughter and Processing Requirements for Production, Processing and Sales of Meat

**Meat for Personal Consumption**

**Source**
- Owner of animal

**Slaughter**
- Animal taken for custom-exempt slaughter; Animal owner retains ownership throughout process

**Processing**
- “Custom Exempt” processing labeled “Not for Sale”

**Final Use**
- Consumption by owner, employees, and non-paying guests; Meat cannot be sold or donated

**Live Animal Sales for Meat**

**Source**
- Live animal sold to individual(s)

**Slaughter**
- Animal taken for custom exempt slaughter; Animal owner(s) retain ownership throughout process; Plant charges for processing

**Processing**
- “Custom Exempt” processing labeled “Not for Sale”

**Final Use**
- Consumption by owner, employees, and non-paying guests; Meat cannot be sold or donated

**Meat Sales**

**Source**
- Owner of record

**Slaughter**
- Animal slaughtered under inspection at state-inspected facility

**Processing**
- Processing done under daily inspection; Products bear a mark of inspection

**Final Use**
- Wholesale or retail sales

**Further Processing**
- Further processing at county-inspected retail facility, such as a restaurant, grocery store, or caterer

**Retail sales on site or at farmers markets and festivals as well as limited wholesale to hotels, restaurants, and institutions