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Hello

I am FOR changing the 12 day rule for dated milk in Montana. The 12 day rule is too short when we all know the milk is viable for a period much longer than the 12 days presently allowed by the milk board. I am manager of a convenience store in Bozeman and see the waste on a regular basis. When this affects our costs and our retail in a negative way we end up charging the consumer and the poorer person more for milk than they should pay. With the present droughts in all areas of the country and in particular California which affects our economy in the West it is quite egregious to be wasteful and throw out milk that is perfectly good. Because we are so blessed in this country it should not give us a license to throw out perfectly good food just so more can be produced and make a lot of money for some people.

Please allow the end date for milk to be sold to be extended to the much longer date.

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