

## **Crossroads Of The West Sale Date and Location Changed**

*Cuba, IL* -- The 7th Annual Crossroads of the West Sale will be held in Tooele, Utah, at the Deseret Peak Complex the weekend of July 8-9. The move was necessitated when the Fairgrounds in Heber City, site of the past three Crossroads Sales, was chosen as the site of the National Intermountain Barrel Racing competition.

The first three Crossroads of the West Sales were held at the Deseret Peak Complex featuring an excellent facility, recreational park and swimming pool.

This year's show and sale format will remain the same with all sheep showing on Friday, July 8 and the sale on Saturday, July 9. Danny Westlake, Ohio, will again serve as auctioneer.

The Buyers and Bidders BBQ will be back in the pavilion, beside the show and sale arena.

"We are happy for the fairgrounds in Heber City to be chosen as host to the Nationals, which they have desired for years," said Greg Deakin, manager, Banner Sale Management Service, Illinois. "However, we will only be moving an hour over to Tooele, which is an excellent facility and a town we're very familiar with," said Deakin.

Deseret Peak Complex will use the panels from Heber City for the Crossroads of the West Sale. The Crossroads Sale features top wether sires and dams, plus all breeds of sheep are welcome.

The National Rambouillet Show and Sale is slated for a return in 2017 after their two-year stint in Pipestone, Minnesota. Several National Columbia Shows and Sales have also been held in Tooele.

"We're excited about the interest in this year's sale and believe the move to one week earlier in the year, July 8 and 9, will benefit current and future consignors," said Deakin.

For more information, contact Banner Sale Management Service at P.O. Box 500, Cuba, IL 61427, 309/785-5058. Sale entries are due May 20 and a sale catalog may be seen online at [www.bannersheepmagazine.com](http://www.bannersheepmagazine.com).