1. **Electric Fencer Placings and Reasons**

**1)Speedrite 3000, 2)Gallagher M 560, 3)Gallagher B 280, 4)Gallagher M360**

**I place this class of electric fencers 1 – 3 – 4 – 2 for the following reasons:**

**I placed 1 first because it is large enough to power Alexander’s fence this year as well as if he decides to expand his pen in the future. Being able to run it from the power pole is ideal for this year and next year he can add battery or solar power to move it further from the yard.**

**I placed 1 over 3 because the Speedrite has more joules of power than the Gallagher B 280. The B 280 is large enough to charge the fence at is present size, but would be hard pressed to supply sufficient amperage to a larger pen. Granted the Gallagher 280 is on sale and has a very attractive price, and also has a better warranty, the Speedrite 3000 covers all of Alexander’s current and future needs.**

**I placed 3 over 4 because the B 280 has more options of power sources; it can be run by A/C current, by battery, or solar powered. The M 360 would have no problem supplying all of the amperage Alexander would require, but he would need to have it near the yard to power it. The M 360 costs less but the B 280 is more practical.**

**I placed 4 over 2 because the M 360 is less money than the M 560 and Alexander does not need an electric fencer that is as large as the M 560.**

**I placed 2 last because although the price is within budget, and its capacity is acceptable, the M 560 has only an A/C power source and is not practical for use in more remote areas of the farm.**

**For those reasons I place this class of electric fencers 1 – 3 – 4 – 2.**