



Century Farm Applications

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Deadline: April 2, 2018

MINNESOTA STATE FAIR

CENTURY FARM APPLICATION - 2017

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Main Contact Name(s): Jan MowbrayMain Contact Phone Number: 952-454-1103
(area code) (phone number)Main Contact Address: 6225 Idylwood Ln Edina MN 55436
(street) (city) (state) (zip)Present Owner of the Farm: Donald Gust HyytinenName(s), or Family Name, or Farm Name: Hyytinen Homestead est. 1918
Information on certificate will appear exactly as you have printed here.Farm Address: 33083 State Hwy 47 Aitkin mn 56431
(street) (city) (state) (zip)Farm Section: 6 Farm Township: 46 Farm County: AitkinNumber of acres in the farm now: 264Year of original purchase by a member of your family: 1918Has the farm previously been registered as a Century Farm? NO If so, when? _____Legal Description of Land (from deed, abstract, tax statement, etc.): East one-half of the SE quarter of Section 6, Township 46 North of Range 25 West of the Fourth Principal Meridian

PROOF OF 100 YEARS OF FAMILY OWNERSHIP

Name	Years of Ownership	Relationship to Original Owner
Original Family Owner <u>Gust Hyytinen (+ Selma)</u>	<u>40</u>	
Next Owner <u>Donald Gust Hyytinen (+ Lois)</u>	<u>60</u>	<u>son</u>
Next Owner		
Next Owner		
Next Owner		

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I hereby certify that the information listed above is correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Lois & Donald Hyytinen
(signature of present owner)1-27-18
(date)

(over)

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

Any information you can add to this form will be most valuable to future historians. The questions below are only a guide. Feel free to add other data, especially family or pioneer stories concerning the farm and the area around it.

From whom was the farm purchased? Nicolai Wladimiroff

How many acres were in the original parcel? 80

What was the cost of the land per acre at time of original purchase? \$13.75

Where was the first family owner born? Finland

Did he/she engage in any trades or occupations other than farming? Yes, mining iron ore.

If so, please list mining iron ore in Crosby, MN.

Was this a homestead? Yes

Is the original home, any portion of it, or any other original buildings still standing? Yes

When was the present home built? 1972

What were the farm's major crops or products? Cows, chickens, turkeys, vegetables, potatoes, rutabagas, oats, hay

Additional comments _____

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Mail application to:
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Century Farms
1265 Snelling Avenue North
St. Paul, MN 55108-3099

Questions? Email: centuryfarms@mnstatefair.org or Call: (651) 288-4400



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Main Contact Name(s): Eleanor HuweMain Contact Phone Number: 218 346-2164
(area code) (phone number)Main Contact Address: 48467 140 St. Menahga MN 56464
(street) (city) (state) (zip)Present Owner of the Farm: Eleanor HuweName(s), or Family Name, or Farm Name: Tangen
Information on certificate will appear exactly as you have printed here.Farm Address: 48467 140 St. Menahga MN 56464
(street) (city) (state) (zip)Farm Section: 17 Farm Township: Spruce Grove Farm County: BeckerNumber of acres in the farm now: 158.6Year of original purchase by a member of your family: 1913Has the farm previously been registered as a Century Farm? No If so, when? _____Legal Description of Land (from deed, abstract, tax statement, etc.):
E 1/2 of NW 1/4 of Sec. 17 Township 138 N. Range 37 W
of 5th P.M.

PROOF OF 100 YEARS OF FAMILY OWNERSHIP

Name	Years of Ownership	Relationship to Original Owner
Original Family Owner <u>Christian Tangen</u>	<u>1913-</u> <u>1981</u>	
Next Owner <u>Eleanor Huwe</u>	<u>1981-</u> <u>2018</u>	<u>Daughter</u>
Next Owner		
Next Owner		
Next Owner		

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Eleanor J. Huwe
(signature of present owner)3/24/18
(date)

(over)

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From whom was the farm purchased? 80 acres from Andrew Hulteen in 1913
Adjoining 80 from Ole Larson in 1914

How many acres were in the original parcel? 160

What was the cost of the land per acre at time of original purchase? \$16000 (approx)

Where was the first family owner born? Wisconsin

Did he/she engage in any trades or occupations other than farming? No

If so, please list _____

Was this a homestead? No

Is the original home, any portion of it, or any other original buildings still standing? Barn and granary

When was the present home built? 1981

What were the farm's major crops or products? Dairy - grain and hay

Additional comments _____

In the late 1800's & early 1900's it
appears that the Northern Pacific Railroad
owned this section of land.

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PLEASE TYPE OR PRINT CLEARLYMain Contact Name(s): Jerry AhoMain Contact Phone Number: (218)573-3428
(area code) (phone number)Main Contact Address: 21253 County Highway 39 Osage MN 56570
(street) (city) (state) (zip)Present Owner of the Farm: Aho Family TrustName(s), or Family Name, or Farm Name: Aho Family Limited PartnershipInformation on certificate will appear exactly as you have printed here.
Farm Address: 21253 County Highway 39 Osage MN 56570
(street) (city) (state) (zip)Farm Section: 1 Farm Township: Toad Lake Farm County: BeckerNumber of acres in the farm now: 400Year of original purchase by a member of your family: 1917Has the farm previously been registered as a Century Farm? No If so, when? _____Legal Description of Land (from deed, abstract, tax statement, etc.): Southwest Quarter of Section 1 and the Northwest Quarter of the Northwest Quarter (NW 1/4, NW 1/4) Section 12 Township 139 North, Range 38 West of the Fifth Principal Meridian**PROOF OF 100 YEARS OF FAMILY OWNERSHIP**

Name	Years of Ownership	Relationship to Original Owner
Original Family Owner Jacob and Minnie Maisio	25	
Next Owner Eino and Hilja Aho	43	Daughter (Hilja)
Next Owner Jerry and Cynthia Aho	18	Grandson
Next Owner Aho Family Trust	15	
Next Owner		

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Jerry Aho (signature of present owner) March 16, 2018 (date)

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From whom was the farm purchased? Jacob Niemi

How many acres were in the original parcel? 80

What was the cost of the land per acre at time of original purchase? _____

Where was the first family owner born? Finland

Did he/she engage in any trades or occupations other than farming? _____

If so, please list _____

Was this a homestead? _____

Is the original home, any portion of it, or any other original buildings still standing? No

When was the present home built? 1965

What were the farm's major crops or products? Dairy

Additional comments _____

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Main Contact Name(s): Les Petrie or (Rod Petrie 751-5198)Main Contact Phone Number: 218 751-8917
(area code) (phone number)Main Contact Address: 6292 Petrie Ct. NW Bemidji Mn 56601
(street) (city) (state) (zip)Present Owner of the Farm: Les PetrieName(s), or Family Name, or Farm Name: Petrie FarmInformation on certificate will appear exactly as you have printed here.Farm Address: 6292 Petrie Ct. NW Bemidji Mn 56601
(street) (city) (state) (zip)Farm Section: 2 Farm Township: Liberty Farm County: BeltramiNumber of acres in the farm now: 684Year of original purchase by a member of your family: 1898Has the farm previously been registered as a Century Farm? NO If so, when? _____Legal Description of Land (from deed, abstract, tax statement, etc.):
Legal Description: Sect-02 Twp-148 Range-034
79.08 AC
LOT 5 & SE1/4 OF SW1/4 LESS
PUBLIC HWY
NE1/4 OF SW1/4

PROOF OF 100 YEARS OF FAMILY OWNERSHIP

Name	Years of Ownership	Relationship to Original Owner
Original Family Owner <u>Gertrud and John Petrie Sr.</u>	<u>41</u>	
Next Owner <u>John Petrie Jr.</u>	<u>34</u>	<u>John Sr.'s son</u>
Next Owner <u>Les Petrie</u>	<u>45</u>	<u>John Jr.'s son</u>
Next Owner		
Next Owner		

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Les Petrie

(signature of present owner)

3-13-18

(date)

(over)

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From whom was the farm purchased? Homestead

How many acres were in the original parcel? 160

What was the cost of the land per acre at time of original purchase? Prove up for Homestead

Where was the first family owner born? Germany

Did he/she engage in any trades or occupations other than farming? Little bit of Logging

If so, please list _____

Was this a homestead? Yes

Is the original home, any portion of it, or any other original buildings still standing? NO

When was the present home built? about 90 yrs old (1928)

What were the farm's major crops or products? Livestock, Hay, grain

Additional comments _____

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Main Contact Name(s): Ken Fredrickson

Main Contact Phone Number: 218 686-0722
(area code) (phone number)

Main Contact Address: 11720 230TH ST NE Thief River Falls, MN 56701
(street) (city) (state) (zip)

Present Owner of the Farm: Dennis & Dianna Fredrickson

Name(s), or Family Name, or Farm Name: Fredrickson

Information on certificate will appear exactly as you have printed here.

Farm Address: 17719 Old Jefferson Drive NW Solway MN 56678
(street) (city) (state) (zip)

Farm Section: 21 Farm Township: 147 Farm County: Beltrami

Number of acres in the farm now: 80

Year of original purchase by a member of your family: 1910

Has the farm previously been registered as a Century Farm? NO If so, when? _____

Legal Description of Land (from deed, abstract, tax statement, etc.): EY2 of SW 1/4, section 21, Township 147, Range 35

PROOF OF 100 YEARS OF FAMILY OWNERSHIP

Name	Years of Ownership	Relationship to Original Owner
Original Family Owner <u>Anton Fredrickson</u>	<u>1910 - 1942</u>	
Next Owner <u>Ouida Fredrickson & children</u>	<u>1942 - 1947</u>	<u>wife & children</u>
Next Owner <u>Henry & Bernice Fredrickson</u>	<u>1947 - 1983</u>	<u>Son</u>
Next Owner <u>Dennis & Dianna Fredrickson</u>	<u>1983 - Present</u>	<u>Grand Son</u>
Next Owner		

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Dennis Ray Fredrickson
(signature of present owner)

1 23 18
(date)

(over)

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From whom was the farm purchased? W.R. Tait & Abbie M. Tait

How many acres were in the original parcel? 80

What was the cost of the land per acre at time of original purchase? \$12.50

Where was the first family owner born? Norway

Did he/she engage in any trades or occupations other than farming? Stone Mason

If so, please list _____

Was this a homestead? Yes

Is the original home, any portion of it, or any other original buildings still standing? Yes & Barn

When was the present home built? 1910

What were the farm's major crops or products? Corn, Oats,

Additional comments Original well is still in use

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Deadline: April 3, 2017

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CENTURY FARM APPLICATION - 2017

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Main Contact Name(s): Dianne Todavich-Dockendorf (Trustee)Main Contact Phone Number: 218 444-6288
(area code) (phone number)Main Contact Address: 496 So. Movil Lake Rd NE Bemidji MN 56601
(street) (city) (state) (zip)Present Owner of the Farm: Todavich Family TrustName(s), or Family Name, or Farm Name: Todavich Farm
Information on certificate will appear exactly as you have printed here.Farm Address: 3247 Higgins Rd NE Puposky MN 56607
(street) (city) (state) (zip)Farm Section: 23 Farm Township: 150 Farm County: BeltramiNumber of acres in the farm now: 280Year of original purchase by a member of your family: 1913Has the farm previously been registered as a Century Farm? NO If so, when? _____Legal Description of Land (from deed, abstract, tax statement, etc.): Section 23 Twp 150, Range 033 -
W 1/2 of NE 1/4 = 80 acres / sec. 23 Twp 150, Range 033 W 1/2 of SE 1/4 = 80 acres / sec. 23 Twp 150 Range 033
E 1/2 of SE 1/4 = 80 acres /
Section 23 - Twp 150, Range 033 - SE 1/4 of SW 1/4 = 20 acres / Section 23 Twp 150 Range 033
E 1/2 of NE 1/4 of SW 1/4 = 20 acres - (SEE Attachment)

PROOF OF 100 YEARS OF FAMILY OWNERSHIP

Name	Years of Ownership	Relationship to Original Owner
Original Family Owner <u>Clarence Todavich</u>	<u>1913 - 1946</u> <u>33</u>	
Next Owner (Anthony) <u>Tony Todavich Sr.</u>	<u>58</u>	<u>Son</u>
Next Owner <u>Todavich Family Trust</u>	<u>2004 -</u>	<u>children of</u> <u>Tony Todavich, Sr</u>
Next Owner		
Next Owner		

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Dianne A. Dockendorf
(signature of present owner)Sept 3, 2017
(date)

(over)

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From whom was the farm purchased? Willmar Nebish Colonization Company

How many acres were in the original parcel? 80

What was the cost of the land per acre at time of original purchase? \$14 per acre for total \$1120.

Where was the first family owner born? Sunger Austria/Yugoslavia

Did he/she engage in any trades or occupations other than farming? No

If so, please list _____

Was this a homestead? yes

Is the original home, any portion of it, or any other original buildings still standing? yes, (3)

When was the present home built? 1924 (House, Corn Crib, Pump house)

What were the farm's major crops or products? hay, grain - potatoes -

Additional comments _____

Original home is occupied by wife of Tony Indurich Sr.
(Marie), home is well kept, maintained - has life time estate.
Farm continues to be crop farmed.

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Main Contact Name(s): Dan + Mary GilmanMain Contact Phone Number: 507-304-0473
(area code) (phone number)Main Contact Address: 51441 176th St. Lake Crystal MN 56055
(street) (city) (state) (zip)Present Owner of the Farm: Dan + Mary GilmanName(s), or Family Name, or Farm Name: DAN & MARY GILMAN DESCENDANTS OF CHARLES A. ALBION & DEAN E. GILMAN
Information on certificate will appear exactly as you have printed here.Farm Address: 51441 176th St. Lake Crystal MN 56055
(street) (city) (state) (zip)Farm Section: 20 Farm Township: Garden City Farm County: Blue EarthNumber of acres in the farm now: 80Year of original purchase by a member of your family: 1904Has the farm previously been registered as a Century Farm? NO If so, when? n/aLegal Description of Land (from deed, abstract, tax statement, etc.): E2 OF SE4 020 107 28 080.000A

PROOF OF 100 YEARS OF FAMILY OWNERSHIP

Name	Years of Ownership	Relationship to Original Owner
Original Family Owner <u>Charles A. Gilman</u>	<u>24</u>	<u>ORIGINAL OWNER</u>
Next Owner <u>C. Albion Gilman</u>	<u>34</u>	<u>SON</u>
Next Owner <u>Dean E. Gilman</u>	<u>21</u>	<u>GRANDSON</u>
Next Owner <u>DANNY GILMAN</u>	<u>35</u>	<u>GREAT GRANDSON</u>
Next Owner		

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 ☐ County Land Record
 ☐ Other _____

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Danny Gilman / Mary S. Gilman
 (signature of present owner)

3-20-18
 (date)

(over)

2018 Century Farm Recognition Program

Thank you for your interest in the 2018 Century Farm recognition program, sponsored by the State Fair and the Minnesota Farm Bureau. Enclosed you will find an application form. Please fill it out completely. The deadline is **April 2.**

Please return the application to the address below:

Minnesota State Fair
Century Farm Program
1265 Snelling Ave North
St. Paul, MN 55108

Qualifications for entry are as follows:

1. The farm must be at least 100 years old this calendar year (2018) according to abstract of title, land patent, original deed, county land records, court file in registration proceedings, or other authentic land records.
2. Your family must have owned the farm for 100 years or more. "Family" is defined as parents, grandparents, aunts, uncles, brothers, sisters, sons, daughters, first cousins and direct in-laws (father, mother, brother, sister, daughter, son-in-law).
3. Continuous residence on farm is not required, but ownership must be continuous.
4. The farm should consist of 50 or more acres, and currently be involved in agricultural production.

All of the qualifications must be met at the time the application is submitted. Recognition ceremonies are handled by the local county fair. If your county fair does not have a ceremony, your certificate and sign will be sent directly to you shortly after June 1. The Century Farm status is only conferred on a farm one time. New owners from the same "family", after a farm has already been designated a Century Farm, may not reapply or request a new certificate.

Once again, the State Fair and the Minnesota Farm Bureau thank you for your interest in the Century Farm program.

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From whom was the farm purchased? CHARLES E. BAILEY

How many acres were in the original parcel? 80 ACRES

What was the cost of the land per acre at time of original purchase? \$34.37 ACRE

Where was the first family owner born? BLUE EARTH COUNTY, MN. / GARDEN CITY TOWNSHIP

Did he she engage in any trades or occupations other than farming? SCHOOL TEACHER

If so, please list EMPLOYEE AT LAKE CRYSTAL, MN. CREAMERY

Was this a homestead? NO

Is the original home, any portion of it, or any other original buildings still standing? YES

When was the present home built? 1928

What were the farm's major crops or products? CORN, OATS, HAY

Additional comments Charles A. Hilman Bought this 80 acres as bare land in 1904, Charles Albion Hilman bought & built the house in 1928, current owners Dan & Mary Hilman have remodeled the house added 2 new additions & attached 3 stall Garage in the Early 2000's. The original 2 stall model T Garage has been restored & still stands. as does the windmill.

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Main Contact Name(s): Pamela J. HarboMain Contact Phone Number: (507) 420-9258
(area code) (phone number)Main Contact Address: 21037 528th Ave. Lake Crystal MN. 56055
(street) (city) (state) (zip)Present Owner of the Farm: Pamela J. + Larry A. HarboName(s), or Family Name, or Farm Name: Welsh Heritage FarmInformation on certificate will appear exactly as you have printed here.Farm Address: 21037 528th Ave Lake Crystal MN. 56055
(street) (city) (state) (zip)Farm Section: 23, 14 Farm Township: 108 (Judson) Farm County: Blue EarthNumber of acres in the farm now: 158Year of original purchase by a member of your family: 1903Has the farm previously been registered as a Century Farm? No If so, when? _____

Legal Description of Land (from deed) abstract, tax statement, etc.): The North 1/2 of the North East qtr of section 23 and the South West qtr. of the South East qtr. of section 14 all of and in the Township 108 North of Range 28 West. Subject however to the Right of Way Deed given to the Minnesota Valley Railroad Company recorded in book U of Deeds Page 209 in the office of the Register of Deeds of said
PROOF OF 100 YEARS OF FAMILY OWNERSHIP Blue Earth County.

Name	Years of Ownership	Relationship to Original Owner
Original Family Owner <u>Martha Richards</u>	<u>1903-1935</u>	
Next Owner <u>Thomas + Morgan Richards</u>	<u>1935-1976</u>	<u>Sons</u>
Next Owner <u>Edythe Peterson</u>	<u>1976-2001</u>	<u>Grand daughter</u>
Next Owner <u>Pamela J. Harbo</u>	<u>2001-Present</u>	<u>Great Grand daughter</u>
Next Owner		

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Pamela J. Harbo
 (signature of present owner)
3/10/18

(date)

(over)

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From whom was the farm purchased? Robert S. Pritchard + Elizabeth E. Pritchard

How many acres were in the original parcel? 120 acres

What was the cost of the land per acre at time of original purchase? \$59.⁰⁰/acre \$7,000 Total

Where was the first family owner born? Martha Richards was born in Waukesha Co. Wisconsin

Did he/she engage in any trades or occupations other than farming? No

If so, please list _____

Was this a homestead? Yes

Is the original home, any portion of it, or any other original buildings still standing? The original home + horse barn came down in 2002. The barn, machine shed + granary are in use.

When was the present home built? 1982

What were the farm's major crops or products? small grains, corn + dairy

Additional comments My Great Grandmother, Martha Richards, moved here, with her surviving children, after her husband Richard Richards + daughter Lizzie passed away in Ixonia, Wisc. in 1899.

We moved to the farm in 1981 and lived in the original farm house while we built our new home. We planted our apple orchard, developed our business: Welsh Heritage Farms and raised our 3 children. In addition to apples our major crops are corn and soybeans.

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PLEASE TYPE OR PRINT CLEARLYMain Contact Name(s): Don J AppelMain Contact Phone Number: 507 380-7982
(area code) (phone number)Main Contact Address: 55861 127 Mapleton Winn 56065
(street) (city) (state) (zip)Present Owner of the Farm: APPEL Family LLCName(s), or Family Name, or Farm Name: Don J Appel + Family
Information on certificate will appear exactly as you have printed here.Farm Address: 55861 127 Mapleton Winn 56065
(street) (city) (state) (zip)Farm Section: 2 Farm Township: 105 Farm County: 27Number of acres in the farm now: 40 acresYear of original purchase by a member of your family: 11/16/1916Has the farm previously been registered as a Century Farm? No If so, when?Legal Description of Land (from deed, abstract, tax statement, etc.): the Southwest 1/4 of the
Southwest 1/4, Section 2 Township 105
Range 27**PROOF OF 100 YEARS OF FAMILY OWNERSHIP**

Name	Years of Ownership	Relationship to Original Owner
Original Family Owner <u>Ray N. Mullin</u>	<u>53</u>	
Next Owner <u>Jessie H. Mullin</u>	<u>8</u>	<u>Wife</u> <u>Grand parent</u>
Next Owner <u>Phyllis M Mullin</u>	<u>41</u>	<u>aunt</u>
Next Owner <u>Appel Farms, LLC</u>		
Next Owner		

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Don J Appel LLC
(signature of present owner)3-25-18
(date)

(over)

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From whom was the farm purchased? Hennetta Rogel

How many acres were in the original parcel? 40

What was the cost of the land per acre at time of original purchase? _____

Where was the first family owner born? _____

Did he/she engage in any trades or occupations other than farming? _____

If so, please list _____

Was this a homestead? ~~No~~ Yes

Is the original home, any portion of it, or any other original buildings still standing? _____

When was the present home built? 1995

What were the farm's major crops or products? Dairy - 460 hd cattle - 120 milking

Additional comments All buildings were destroyed
by Tornado in 1994 - rebuilt all New

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CENTURY FARM APPLICATION - 2017

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(area code) (phone number)Main Contact Address: 55861 127 Mapleton Minn 56065
(street) (city) (state) (zip)Present Owner of the Farm: Don J Appel & Appel Farm LLCName(s), or Family Name, or Farm Name: Don J Appel & Family
Information on certificate will appear exactly as you have printed here.Farm Address: 55861-127 Mapleton Minn 56065
(street) (city) (state) (zip)Farm Section: 3 Farm Township: 105 Farm County: Blue EarthNumber of acres in the farm now: 125-85 100 yr +Year of original purchase by a member of your family: 1866Has the farm previously been registered as a Century Farm? No If so, when? _____Legal Description of Land (from deed, abstract, tax statement, etc.):
3-105-27**PROOF OF 100 YEARS OF FAMILY OWNERSHIP**

Name	Years of Ownership	Relationship to Original Owner
Original Family Owner (1897) Fred E. Ackerman	24	
Next Owner (1921) Frank E Ackerman	38	Son
Next Owner Jessie Mullin	17	Sister
Next Owner Phyllis Mullin/Joyce Mullin Appel	41/37	assent + mother
Next Owner Don J. Appel	3 yrs	

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D J Appel

(signature of present owner)

3-25-18

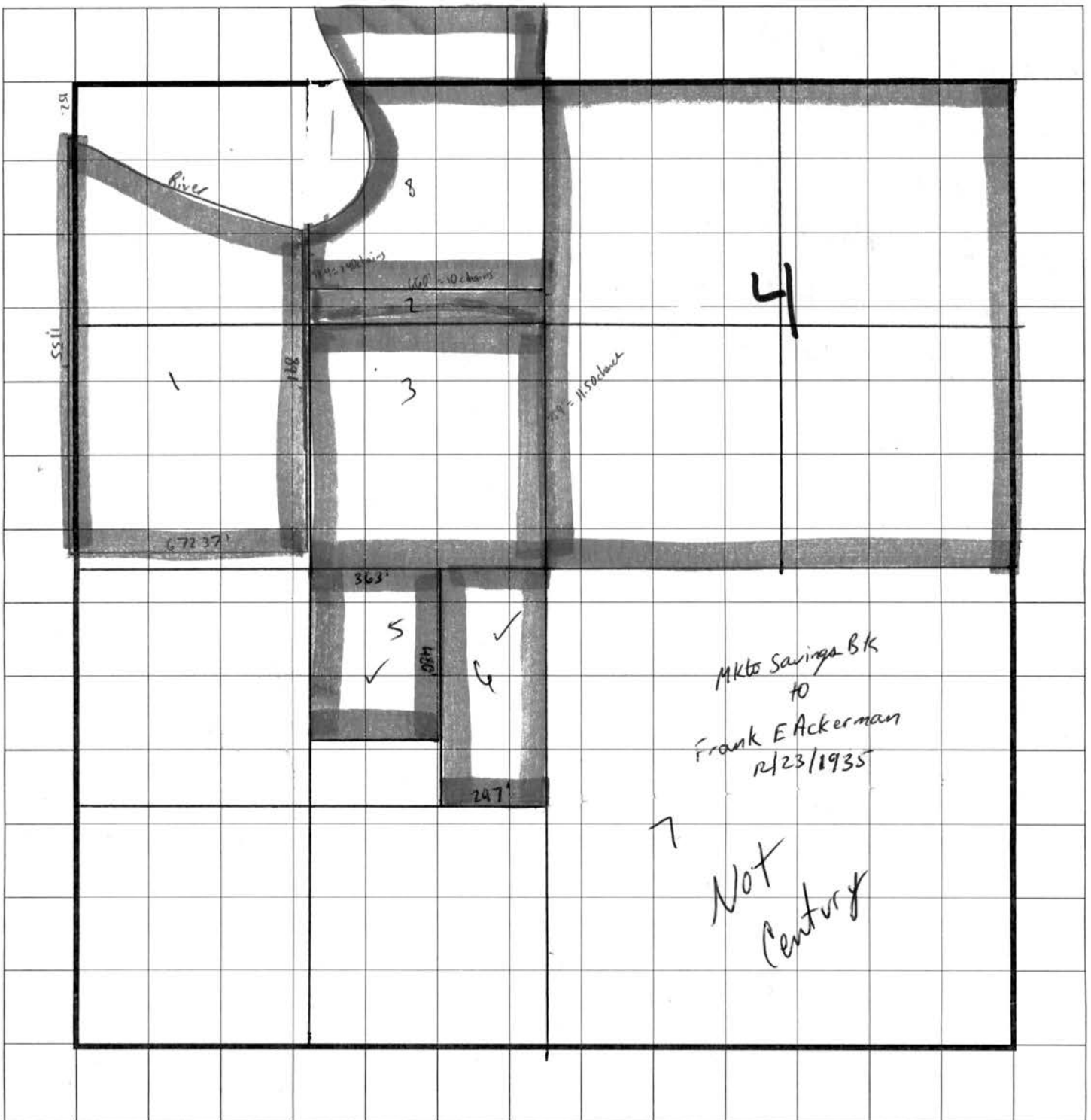
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Section 3 Township 105 Range 27

$\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$



NE SW 3-105-27

Foot Mtg to Loveland + Burton 1858

Foot deeds to Loveland 1859

Burton deeds to Loveland 1864

Loveland deeds to Russell 1864

Russell deeds to Lay 1866

Lay deeds to Albert Ackerman 1866 (10/12)

Albert Ackerman deeds to Willis G Ackerman 10/14/1879

Willis G Ackerman deeds to Fred E Ackerman 12/10/1880

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(area code) (phone number)Main Contact Address: 55861 127 Mapleton Minn 56065
(street) (city) (state) (zip)Present Owner of the Farm: Don J & Arlene Appel LLCName(s), or Family Name, or Farm Name: Don S Appel + Family
Information on certificate will appear exactly as you have printed here.Farm Address: 55861 127⁺ Mapleton Minn 56066
(street) (city) (state) (zip)Farm Section: 11 Farm Township: 105 Farm County: 27Number of acres in the farm now: 40Year of original purchase by a member of your family: 10/8/1915Has the farm previously been registered as a Century Farm? No If so, when? _____Legal Description of Land (from deed, abstract, tax statement, etc.): NW 1/4 NW 1/4 11-105-27**PROOF OF 100 YEARS OF FAMILY OWNERSHIP**

Name	Years of Ownership	Relationship to Original Owner
Original Family Owner <u>Ray N. Mullin</u>	<u>53</u>	
Next Owner <u>Phyllis M. Mullin</u>	<u>27/49</u>	<u>Aunt</u>
Next Owner <u>Don J. Appel & Arlene Appel</u>	<u>3 yrs.</u>	
Next Owner <u>Appel Farms, LLC</u>		
Next Owner		

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Don J Appel LLC
 (signature of present owner)

3-25-18
 (date)

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(street) (city) (state) (zip)Present Owner of the Farm: Don J Appel + Appel Farm LLCName(s), or Family Name, or Farm Name: Don J Appel + Family
Information on certificate will appear exactly as you have printed here.Farm Address: 55861 127 Mapleton Mn 56065
(street) (city) (state) (zip)Farm Section: 3 Farm Township: 105 Farm County: Blue EarthNumber of acres in the farm now: 155 - 85 100 yrs +Year of original purchase by a member of your family: 1866Has the farm previously been registered as a Century Farm? NO If so, when? _____Legal Description of Land (from deed, abstract, tax statement, etc.): Comm at a point 18 rods west
of the NE Corner SW 1/4 SW 1/4 3-105-27 thence South 29 rods, thence West 22 rods, thence North 29 rods
thence East 22 rods to the place of beginning**PROOF OF 100 YEARS OF FAMILY OWNERSHIP**

Name	Years of Ownership	Relationship to Original Owner
Original Family Owner (1893) Ella A. Ackerman	6	
Next Owner Fred E. Ackerman (1899) Frank E. Ackerman (1921)	29 38	SON SON
Next Owner Jessie Mullin	17	Sister
Next Owner Phyllis Mullin / Joyce Mullin Appel	41/37	mother + aunt
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3/30/18 ✓ entered for
Deadline: April 2, 2018

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Main Contact Phone Number: 507-380-7982
(area code) (phone number)

Main Contact Address: 55861 127 Mapleton Minn 56065
(street) (city) (state) (zip)

Present Owner of the Farm: Don J Appel + Appel Farm LLC

Name(s), or Family Name, or Farm Name: Don J Appel + Family
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Farm Address: 55861 127 Mapleton Minn 56065
(street) (city) (state) (zip)

Farm Section: 3 Farm Township: 105 Farm County: Blue Earth

Number of acres in the farm now: 125-85-100 yr + on-

Year of original purchase by a member of your family: 1866

Has the farm previously been registered as a Century Farm? No If so, when? _____

Legal Description of Land (from deed, abstract, tax statement, etc.): NE 1/4 of SW 1/4 3-105-27

PROOF OF 100 YEARS OF FAMILY OWNERSHIP

Name	Years of Ownership	Relationship to Original Owner
Original Family Owner <u>Albert Ackerman</u> (1866)	<u>14</u>	
Next Owner <u>Willis G. Ackerman</u> (1880)	<u>1</u>	<u>Son</u>
Next Owner <u>Fred E. Ackerman</u> (1880)	<u>79</u>	<u>Son</u>
Next Owner <u>Jessie N. Mullin</u> (1959)	<u>17</u>	<u>Sister</u>
Next Owner <u>Phyllis Mullin + Joyce Mullin Appel</u> (1976) <u>Don J. Appel</u> (2017) & (2013)	<u>41/37</u>	<u>mother + aunt</u>

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(street) (city) (state) (zip)Farm Section: 3 Farm Township: 105 Farm County: Blue EarthNumber of acres in the farm now: 125 - 8.5 100 yrs + in -Year of original purchase by a member of your family: 1866 + in -Has the farm previously been registered as a Century Farm? No If so, when? _____Legal Description of Land (from deed, abstract, tax statement, etc.): SE 1/4 NW 1/4 SW 1/4 3.105.27**PROOF OF 100 YEARS OF FAMILY OWNERSHIP**

Name	Years of Ownership	Relationship to Original Owner
Original Family Owner (1874) Willis Ackerman	6	
Next Owner (1935) F.E. Ackerman	36	Son
Next Owner (1921) Frank E. Ackerman	38	Son
Next Owner (1959) Jessie Mullin	17	Sister
Next Owner Phyllis Mullin & Joyce Mullin Appel (1976) Don J. Appel (2017) & (2013)	41/37 3 yrs	uncle & mother

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(street) (city) (state) (zip)Present Owner of the Farm: Don S. Appel - Don S. Appel Farm LLCName(s), or Family Name, or Farm Name: Don S. Appel + Family
Information on certificate will appear exactly as you have printed here.Farm Address: 55861 127th Mapleton Minn 56065
(street) (city) (state) (zip)Farm Section: 3 Farm Township: _____ Farm County: _____Number of acres in the farm now: 125 - 85 100 ym +Year of original purchase by a member of your family: 1866

Has the farm previously been registered as a Century Farm? _____ If so, when? _____

Legal Description of Land (from deed, abstract, tax statement, etc.): The South 1/2 Acre of the NE 1/4 NW 1/4 SW 1/4 of Sec. 3-105-27**PROOF OF 100 YEARS OF FAMILY OWNERSHIP**

Name	Years of Ownership	Relationship to Original Owner
Original Family Owner (1908) F. E. Ackerman	13	
Next Owner (1921) Frank E Ackerman	38	uncle
Next Owner (1959) Jessie Mullin	17	sister - mother
Next Owner (1976) Phyllis Mullin & Joyce Mullin Appel	41/37	mother + Aunt
Next Owner Don J. Appel	3 yrs	

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(area code) (phone number)Main Contact Address: 55861 121st Mapleton Minn 56065
(street) (city) (state) (zip)Present Owner of the Farm: Don J Appel 11 1/2 - Richard Appel - landName(s), or Family Name, or Farm Name: Don J Appel & Family
Information on certificate will appear exactly as you have printed here.Farm Address: 55861 121st Mapleton Minn 56065
(street) (city) (state) (zip)Farm Section: 3 Farm Township: 105 Farm County: Blue EarthNumber of acres in the farm now: 40 AYear of original purchase by a member of your family: 1874Has the farm previously been registered as a Century Farm? No If so, when? _____Legal Description of Land (from deed, abstract, tax statement, etc.):
NW 1/4 of NE 1/4 of Sect 3 Township 105
Range 27**PROOF OF 100 YEARS OF FAMILY OWNERSHIP**

Name	Years of Ownership	Relationship to Original Owner
Original Family Owner <u>Charles Roberts</u>	<u>14</u>	
Next Owner <u>George Ackerman</u>	<u>11</u>	<u>Uncle</u>
Next Owner <u>Fred Ackerman</u>	<u>22</u>	<u>Uncle</u>
Next Owner <u>Frank Ackerman</u>	<u>28</u>	<u>Uncle</u>
Next Owner <u>Phyllis Mullin / Joyce Appel 4/1/37</u>		<u>mother & aunt</u>

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From whom was the farm purchased? Charles Robert - Civil War Vet

How many acres were in the original parcel? 320

What was the cost of the land per acre at time of original purchase? _____

Where was the first family owner born? _____

Did he/she engage in any trades or occupations other than farming? _____

If so, please list _____

Was this a homestead? At one time

Is the original home, any portion of it, or any other original buildings still standing? _____

When was the present home built? _____

What were the farm's major crops or products? _____

Additional comments _____

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(street) (city) (state) (zip)Farm Section: 3 Farm Township: 105 Farm County: Blue EarthNumber of acres in the farm now: 125 - 85 100 yr + or +Year of original purchase by a member of your family: 1866Has the farm previously been registered as a Century Farm? No If so, when? _____Legal Description of Land (from deed, abstract, tax statement, etc.): A tract of land described as beginning at an ash tree on the right bank of the Maple River, thence running South 1.40 chains to a stake, thence East 10 chains to a stake on the east side of the NW 1/4 Sec 3-105-27 + 11.50 chains North of the Southeast corner of said subdivision thence North 12.59 chains to an oak tree (see attached)**PROOF OF 100 YEARS OF FAMILY OWNERSHIP**

Name	Years of Ownership	Relationship to Original Owner
Original Family Owner Fred E. Ackerman (1914)	7	
Next Owner Frank E Ackerman (1921)	38	Son
Next Owner Jessie Mullin (1959)	17	Sister
Next Owner Phyllis Mullin + Joyce Mullin Appel (1976)	41/37	mother + aunt
Next Owner Don J. Appel	3 yrs	

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Legal Description Continuation

thence West to a stake on the right bank of the Maple River, thence following the Right Bank of Said River to the place of Beginning containing 10 acres be the same More or less.

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From whom was the farm purchased? _____

How many acres were in the original parcel? _____

What was the cost of the land per acre at time of original purchase? _____

Where was the first family owner born? _____

Did he/she engage in any trades or occupations other than farming? _____

If so, please list _____

Was this a homestead? Yes

Is the original home, any portion of it, or any other original buildings still standing? _____

When was the present home built? _____

What were the farm's major crops or products? _____

Additional comments all parts were wood lot at
one time

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Main Contact Phone Number: 807-380-7982
(area code) (phone number)

Main Contact Address: 55861 127th Mapleton Minn 56065
(street) (city) (state) (zip)

Present Owner of the Farm: Don J Appel + Appel Farm LLC

Name(s), or Family Name, or Farm Name: Don J Appel + Family
Information on certificate will appear exactly as you have printed here.

Farm Address: 55861 127th Mapleton Minn 56065
(street) (city) (state) (zip)

Farm Section: 3 Farm Township: 105 Farm County: Blue Earth

Number of acres in the farm now: 125 - 85 - 100yrs +

Year of original purchase by a member of your family: 1866 yrs -

Has the farm previously been registered as a Century Farm? No If so, when? _____

Legal Description of Land (from deed, abstract, tax statement, etc.): All that land in the W 1/2 NW 1/4 SW 1/4 South of the River in Sec. 3-105-27

PROOF OF 100 YEARS OF FAMILY OWNERSHIP

Name	Years of Ownership	Relationship to Original Owner
Original Family Owner (Fred) (1914) F.E. Ackerman	7	
Next Owner (1921) Frank E. Ackerman	38	Uncle -
Next Owner Jessie Mullin	17	mother - sister
Next Owner Phyllis Mullin + Joyce Mullin Appel	41/37	aunt + mother
Next Owner Don J. Appel	3 yrs	

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Don J Appel
(signature of present owner)

3-25-18
(date)

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CENTURY FARM APPLICATION - 2017

PLEASE TYPE OR PRINT CLEARLY GEORGE & JANIS ERICKSON

Main Contact Name(s): George and Janis Erickson

Main Contact Phone Number: 507-227-5673 (GEORGE) 507-227-7938 (JAN)
(area code) (phone number)

Main Contact Address: 37796-150TH ST., SPRINGFIELD, MN 56087
(street) (city) (state) (zip)

Present Owner of the Farm: George & Jan Erickson

Name(s), or Family Name, or Farm Name: TIMM/SIEBERT/ERICKSON FARM

Information on certificate will appear exactly as you have printed here.

Farm Address: 37796-150TH ST., SPRINGFIELD, MN 56087
(street) (city) (state) (zip)

Farm Section: SW QTR. 4 Farm Township: BASHAW Farm County: BROWN

Number of acres in the farm now: 160

Year of original purchase by a member of your family: 1878

Has the farm previously been registered as a Century Farm? NO If so, when? _____

Legal Description of Land (from deed, abstract, tax statement, etc.): _____

SECT-04 Twp-108 RANGE-034 150 AC

SW4 EXC 675.08' X 645.33' (10 AC) TRACT IN S2 OF SW4 (BLDG. SITE)

PROOF OF 100 YEARS OF FAMILY OWNERSHIP

Name	Years of Ownership	Relationship to Original Owner
Original Family Owner WESTLY OF SW4 <u>FRIEDRICH TIMM 80 ACRES</u>	1878 - 1910	
Next Owner SW 1/4 <u>GUSTAV TIMM 160 ACRES</u>	1910 - 1976	SON
Next Owner <u>ELLNER SIEBERT</u>	1976 - 2016	GRAND DAUGHTER
Next Owner <u>10 ACRE BLDG. SITE</u> <u>GEORGE & JANIS ERICKSON</u>	1986 - PRESENT	GREAT GRAND DAUGHTER
Next Owner <u>GEORGE & JANIS ERICKSON (GGD)</u> <u>SUE KRUSE (GGD), CHARLES & DEBRA SIEBERT (GGS)</u> <u>150 ACRES</u>	2016 - PRESENT	GREAT GRAND DAUGHTERS GREAT GRAND SON 4 TH GENERATION

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☐ Other _____

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George Erickson

+ (signature of present owner)

2-12-18

(date)

(over)

Jan Erickson

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

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From whom was the farm purchased? The government

How many acres were in the original parcel? 300

What was the cost of the land per acre at time of original purchase? \$0 - LAND PATENT

Where was the first family owner born? Germany

Did he/she engage in any trades or occupations other than farming? No

If so, please list _____

Was this a homestead? yes

Is the original home, any portion of it, or any other original buildings still standing? A GRANERY A PART OF THE BASEMENT

When was the present home built? 1926

What were the farm's major crops or products? SOYBEANS, CORN
CATTLE, HOGS, DAIRY, CHICKENS, MILK, EGGS

Additional comments WE HAVE THE ORIGINAL HOMESTEAD
CERTIFICATE PATENT WITH THE SEAL OF THE GENERAL
LAND OFFICE FROM PRESIDENT HAYES.

A TORNADO DESTROYED THE ROUND BARN AND THE CURRENT
HAYMOW BARN WAS BUILT IN 1934 FOR \$2200.00 / A 2ND TORNADO CAME
THROUGH IN 2017 AND DESTROYED SOME CRDP-TREES & GESTATION BARN ROOF.

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Deadline: April 2, 2018

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PLEASE TYPE OR PRINT CLEARLY

Main Contact Name(s): Ronald P. WindschitlMain Contact Phone Number: 507 877-2638
(area code) (phone number)Main Contact Address: 13795 Co Rd 8 Comfrey MN 56019
(street) (city) (state) (zip)Present Owner of the Farm: Ronald P and Carol J. WindschitlName(s), or Family Name, or Farm Name: Windschitl Family Farm
Information on certificate will appear exactly as you have printed here.Farm Address: 13795 Co Rd 8 Comfrey MN 56019
(street) (city) (state) (zip)Farm Section: 16 Farm Township: Mulligan Farm County: BrownNumber of acres in the farm now: 1.20Year of original purchase by a member of your family: 1914Has the farm previously been registered as a Century Farm? NO If so, when? _____Legal Description of Land (from deed, abstract, tax statement, etc.):
S 1/2 of NE 1/4 and NE 1/4 of NE 1/4 Section 16 Township 108
Range 33

PROOF OF 100 YEARS OF FAMILY OWNERSHIP

Name	Years of Ownership	Relationship to Original Owner
Original Family Owner <u>John W. Windschitl</u>	<u>1914-1932</u>	
Next Owner <u>FRANK B. Windschitl</u>	<u>1932-1973</u>	<u>son</u>
Next Owner <u>Norbert F. Windschitl</u>	<u>1973-1982</u>	<u>grandson</u>
Next Owner <u>Ronald P. Windschitl</u>	<u>1982-present</u>	<u>great grandson</u>
Next Owner		

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Ron Windschitl
 (signature of present owner)

march 7, 2018
 (date)

(over)

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From whom was the farm purchased? Hunter land Company

How many acres were in the original parcel? 120 acres

What was the cost of the land per acre at time of original purchase? \$67

Where was the first family owner born? Germany

Did he/she engage in any trades or occupations other than farming? Carpentry

If so, please list _____

Was this a homestead? yes

Is the original home, any portion of it, or any other original buildings still standing? yes

When was the present home built? 1921

What were the farm's major crops or products? CORN, BEANS, Dairy, Pigs, Oats,

Additional comments Wheat, alfalfa, cattle, chickens

Had problems reading abstract so That's why we are
a couple of years after we could have applied.

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Main Contact Name(s): Barb Grimm

Main Contact Phone Number: 952-657-2476
(area code) (phone number)

Main Contact Address: 13355 78th St Waconia MN 55387
(street) (city) (state) (zip)

Present Owner of the Farm: Joel & Barb Grimm, and Ronald Grimm

Name(s), or Family Name, or Farm Name: Joel Grimm & Ronald Grimm

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Farm Address: 13355 78th St. Waconia MN 55387
(street) (city) (state) (zip)

Farm Section: 17 Farm Township: Waconia (116) Farm County: Carver

Number of acres in the farm now: 120

Year of original purchase by a member of your family: 1912

Has the farm previously been registered as a Century Farm? no If so, when? _____

Legal Description of Land (from deed, abstract, tax statement, etc.): NW Qtr. of Section 17, Township 116,
Rng 25, except the following: Commencing at the center section post of Section 17-116-25, running North on centerline
77 rods; NW 80 rods to the point; then 83 rods South to the centerline of section; then 80 rods East to spot of beginning

PROOF OF 100 YEARS OF FAMILY OWNERSHIP

Name	Years of Ownership	Relationship to Original Owner
Original Family Owner Henry & Louisa Grimm	1912-1922	
Next Owner George & Emma Grimm	1922-1952	Son
Next Owner Norman & Erma Grimm	1952-1993	Grandson
Next Owner Joel Grimm and Ronald Grimm	1993- present	Great Grandsons
Next Owner		

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Joel Grimm
(signature of present owner)

3-15-2018
(date)

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

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From whom was the farm purchased? August Sauter

How many acres were in the original parcel? 120

What was the cost of the land per acre at time of original purchase? \$37.30 (\$4475)

Where was the first family owner born? Germany

Did he/she engage in any trades or occupations other than farming? Not known

If so, please list _____

Was this a homestead? yes

Is the original home, any portion of it, or any other original buildings still standing? no

When was the present home built? 1924; family lived in the grainery during construction.

What were the farm's major crops or products? Dairy, hogs, corn, oats, hay, eggs

Additional comments Property was originally a Bounty Patent Military Land Warrent to John C. Krauss, July 1, 1861.

Ownership of the 160 acre property was passed from the John Krauss family to John Sauter, (who sold 40 acres to John Henke), to Christian Boehner, back to the Sauter family & a series of tranfers after John's death, then to Henry Grimm. Home was built in 1924, dairy barn in 1928, feedlot and 1 silo built in 1970, second silo built in 1983. Barn was remodeled last in 1981 with addition of a pipeline milking system. Norman was born in first house in 1919, walked a 1/2 mile to school that was located at what is now Rutz Lake Cemetary. Ronald was born in the present home.

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CENTURY FARM APPLICATION - 2017

PLEASE TYPE OR PRINT CLEARLYMain Contact Name(s): Kenneth JohnsonMain Contact Phone Number: 952 955-3441
(area code) (phone number)Main Contact Address: 14780 30th St. Watertown MN 55388
(street) (city) (state) (zip)Present Owner of the Farm: Glenn H. Johnson and Kathleen M. Johnson

Name(s), or Family Name, or Farm Name: _____

Information on certificate will appear exactly as you have printed here.Farm Address: 14980 County Rd 122 Watertown MN 55388
(street) (city) (state) (zip)Farm Section: 13 Farm Township: Hollywood Farm County: CarverNumber of acres in the farm now: 100Year of original purchase by a member of your family: 1917Has the farm previously been registered as a Century Farm? no If so, when? n/a

Legal Description of Land (from deed, abstract, tax statement, etc.): _____

PROOF OF 100 YEARS OF FAMILY OWNERSHIP

Name	Years of Ownership	Relationship to Original Owner
Original Family Owner <u>Frank Harris Johnson</u>		
Next Owner <u>Glenn Harris Johnson</u>	<u>61</u>	<u>Son</u>
Next Owner		
Next Owner		
Next Owner		

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X Glenn H. JohnsonKathleen M. Johnson

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From whom was the farm purchased? John Kelley (March 1917)

How many acres were in the original parcel? 100

What was the cost of the land per acre at time of original purchase? \$170 per acre = \$17,000

Where was the first family owner born? Dundas, MN

Did he/she engage in any trades or occupations other than farming? NO

If so, please list _____

Was this a homestead? yes

Is the original home, any portion of it, or any other original buildings still standing? yes

When was the present home built? 1954

What were the farm's major crops or products? Wheat, Corn, Barley, Oats, hogs, chickens

Additional comments Also cows for milk

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Deadline: April 2, 2018

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CENTURY FARM APPLICATION - 2017

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Main Contact Name(s): Robert & Betty Kangas

Main Contact Phone Number: (218) 587-4453
(area code) (phone number)

Main Contact Address: 3921 40th Ave SW Pine River, MN 56474
(street) (city) (state) (zip)

Present Owner of the Farm: Robert & Betty Kangas

Name(s), or Family Name, or Farm Name: Kangas

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Farm Address: 3921 40th Ave SW Pine River MN 56474
(street) (city) (state) (zip)

Farm Section: 20 Farm Township: Walden Farm County: Cass

Number of acres in the farm now: 560

Year of original purchase by a member of your family: 1918

Has the farm previously been registered as a Century Farm? No If so, when? _____

Legal Description of Land (from deed, abstract, tax statement, etc.): _____

South East Quarter of the South East Quarter,

Section (20) Township 137 North, Range (30) West, Fifth Principal meridian containing 40 acres.

PROOF OF 100 YEARS OF FAMILY OWNERSHIP

Name	Years of Ownership	Relationship to Original Owner
Original Family Owner Charles and Mary Kangas	38	
Next Owner Charles and Edla Kangas	16	Son
Next Owner Robert and Betty Kangas	46	Grandson
Next Owner		
Next Owner		

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Robert Kangas Betty Kangas
(signature of present owner)

2/1/2018
(date)

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From whom was the farm purchased? Amanda Rivers

How many acres were in the original parcel? 40

What was the cost of the land per acre at time of original purchase? \$30/acre

Where was the first family owner born? NA

Did he/she engage in any trades or occupations other than farming? No

If so, please list _____

Was this a homestead? No

Is the original home, any portion of it, or any other original buildings still standing? Yes

When was the present home built? 1905

What were the farm's major crops or products? Corn, Hay, Timber and Dairy

Additional comments _____

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Main Contact Name(s): ARVID HECHT
 Main Contact Phone Number: 218 5684248
 (area code) (phone number)
 Main Contact Address: 6917 25TH AVE SW PEGUOT LAKES MINN 56472
 (street) (city) (state) (zip)

Present Owner of the Farm: ARVID HECHT

Name(s), or Family Name, or Farm Name: ARVID HECHT

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Farm Address: 6917 25TH AVE SW PEGUOT LAKES MINN 56472
 (street) (city) (state) (zip)

Farm Section: 35 Farm Township: MAPLE Farm County: CASS

Number of acres in the farm now: 475

Year of original purchase by a member of your family: 2-8-1918

Has the farm previously been registered as a Century Farm? NO If so, when? _____

Legal Description of Land (from deed, abstract, tax statement, etc.): SOUTH 1/2 OF
NORTHEAST 1/4 OF SECTION 35 TOWNSHIP 136

PROOF OF 100 YEARS OF FAMILY OWNERSHIP

Name	Years of Ownership	Relationship to Original Owner
Original Family Owner <u>HERMAN HECHT</u>	<u>28</u>	
Next Owner <u>HECHT</u> <u>HERBERT AND LENORA</u>	<u>37</u>	<u>SON</u>
Next Owner <u>ARVID HECHT</u>	<u>35</u>	<u>GRAND SON</u>
Next Owner		
Next Owner		

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Arvid Hecht 3-16-2018
 (signature of present owner) (date)

(over)

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From whom was the farm purchased? RUFUS MAHONEY

How many acres were in the original parcel? 80

What was the cost of the land per acre at time of original purchase? 17.50

Where was the first family owner born? RICE COUNTY

Did he/she engage in any trades or occupations other than farming? No

If so, please list _____

Was this a homestead? ~~YES~~ NO

Is the original home, any portion of it, or any other original buildings still standing? No

When was the present home built? _____

What were the farm's major crops or products? DAIRY HAY

Additional comments BEEF CATTLE HAY

Current crop

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CENTURY FARM APPLICATION - 2017

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Main Contact Name(s): Chris ZimmerMain Contact Phone Number: 320 - 894 - 1374
(area code) (phone number)Main Contact Address: 7015 140th Ave SE Clara City MN 56222
(street) (city) (state) (zip)Present Owner of the Farm: Angie ZimmerName(s), or Family Name, or Farm Name: Zimmer Family FarmInformation on certificate will appear exactly as you have printed here.Farm Address: 7015 140th Ave SE Clara City MN 56222
(street) (city) (state) (zip)Farm Section: 28 Farm Township: 117 Farm County: ChippewaNumber of acres in the farm now: 160Year of original purchase by a member of your family: 1901Has the farm previously been registered as a Century Farm? NO If so, when? _____

Legal Description of Land (from deed, abstract, tax statement, etc.): _____

N.E. 1/4 - Sec. No 28 in township number 117 Range 37**PROOF OF 100 YEARS OF FAMILY OWNERSHIP**

Name	Years of Ownership	Relationship to Original Owner
Original Family Owner <u>Egbert Brower</u>	<u>1901</u>	
Next Owner <u>John Zimmer</u>	<u>1928</u>	<u>Father-in-law</u>
Next Owner <u>Egbert Zimmer</u>	<u>1938</u>	<u>Son of John Zimmer</u>
Next Owner <u>John E. Zimmer</u>	<u>1962</u>	<u>Son of Egbert Zimmer</u>
Next Owner <u>Jason & Angie Zimmer</u>	<u>1987</u> <u>1987-Present</u>	<u>Son of John E. Zimmer</u>

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Angie Zimmer
 (signature of present owner)

3-8-2018
 (date)

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Main Contact Name(s): JERRY O. SUCCO

Main Contact Phone Number: 651-257-2182 cell 651-402-0288
(area code) (phone number)

Main Contact Address: 17836-260TH STN SHAFER MN 55074
(street) (city) (state) (zip)

Present Owner of the Farm: JERRY OSUCCO

Name(s), or Family Name, or Farm Name: SUCCO FARMS

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Farm Address: 17836-260TH ST N SHAHER IN 55074
(street) (city) (state) (zip)

Farm Section: 20 Farm Township: FRANCONIA Farm County: Chisago County

Number of acres in the farm now: 158

Year of original purchase by a member of your family: 1918-1917

Has the farm previously been registered as a Century Farm? NO If so, when? _____

Legal Description of Land (from deed, abstract, tax statement, etc.): Township 033
Range 019 W 1/2 of SE 1/4 Except the for com at cor of SE 1/4 T3E
along 1/4 line 80 RDS ML TO NE cor

PROOF OF 100 YEARS OF FAMILY OWNERSHIP

Name	Years of Ownership	Relationship to Original Owner
Original Family Owner		
Next Owner JAY E SUCCO	1918 _{28Y}	Grand Parents
Next Owner ORIN J SUCCO	1956 _{37Y}	Dad
Next Owner JERRY O SUCCO	1988	SON
Next Owner		

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Jerry Succo
(signature of present owner)

march 5 2018
(date)

(over)

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From whom was the farm purchased? Walter Vitalis

How many acres were in the original parcel? 150

What was the cost of the land per acre at time of original purchase? Seven Thousand five hundred

Where was the first family owner born? Lindstrom MN

Did he/she engage in any trades or occupations other than farming? Back in 30s Trucking

If so, please list cream then Livestock

Was this a homestead? Yes

Is the original home, any portion of it, or any other original buildings still standing? NO

When was the present home built? 1996

What were the farm's major crops or products? Corn & HAY - OATS

Additional comments _____

please call my cell phone @ 651-402-0288

if you have any questions-

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CENTURY FARM APPLICATION - 2017

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Main Contact Name(s): Phyllis RamstadMain Contact Phone Number: 218 483-4203
(area code) (phone number)Main Contact Address: 663 215th St. N. Hawley MN 56549
(street) (city) (state) (zip)Present Owner of the Farm: Ogden + Marjorie RamstadName(s), or Family Name, or Farm Name: Ramstad Airview AcresInformation on certificate will appear exactly as you have printed here.Farm Address: 663 215th St. N. Hawley MN 56549
(street) (city) (state) (zip)Farm Section: 03 Farm Township: Hawley Farm County: ClayNumber of acres in the farm now: ~~10.66~~ 150.66Year of original purchase by a member of your family: 1918Has the farm previously been registered as a Century Farm? NO If so, when?Legal Description of Land (from deed, abstract, tax statement, etc.): FR, NW 1/4 LESS 8.61
AC FOR AIRPORT + RD 3-139-45 Section 03**PROOF OF 100 YEARS OF FAMILY OWNERSHIP**

Name	Years of Ownership	Relationship to Original Owner
Original Family Owner <u>Ole + Bendie Ramstad</u>	<u>28</u>	<u>2 brothers</u>
Next Owner <u>Ole Ramstad</u>	<u>13</u>	<u>1 of original brothers</u>
Next Owner <u>Ogden + Marjorie Ramstad</u>	<u>59</u>	<u>son + daughter-in-law</u>
Next Owner		<u>of Ole Ramstad</u>
Next Owner		

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Ogden H. Ramstad Marjorie S. Ramstad 3-24-2018
(signature of present owner) (date)

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ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

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From whom was the farm purchased? Claus + Clara Wouters

How many acres were in the original parcel? 160

What was the cost of the land per acre at time of original purchase? \$60/acre

Where was the first family owner born? Ole was born in Norway + Bendie
was born in U.S.

Did he/she engage in any trades or occupations other than farming? NO

If so, please list _____

Was this a homestead? NO

Is the original home, any portion of it, or any other original buildings still standing? yes

When was the present home built? 1920

What were the farm's major crops or products? oats, barley, wheat, corn,

potatoes, alfalfa, flax, soybeans

Additional comments _____

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Main Contact Name(s): Sandra Nelson

Main Contact Phone Number: (6) 218-790-1495 (h) 218-937-5606
(area code) (phone number)

Main Contact Address: 28254 112th Ave So. Hawley Mn. 56549
(street) (city) (state) (zip)

Present Owner of the Farm: Sandra (Spillum) Nelson

Name(s), or Family Name, or Farm Name: Fjaer Family Farm
Information on certificate will appear exactly as you have printed here.

Farm Address: 28254 112th Ave. S. Hawley Mn. 56549
(street) (city) (state) (zip)

Farm Section: 35 Farm Township: 138 Farm County: Clay

Number of acres in the farm now: 200

Year of original purchase by a member of your family: 1911

Has the farm previously been registered as a Century Farm? No If so, when? _____

Legal Description of Land (from deed, abstract, tax statement, etc.): _____
NE 1/4 of NW 1/4

PROOF OF 100 YEARS OF FAMILY OWNERSHIP

Name	Years of Ownership	Relationship to Original Owner
Original Family Owner <u>Ole P. Fjaer</u>	<u>1911 - 1957</u>	
Next Owner <u>Joe + Valborg (Fjaer) Spillum</u>	<u>1957 - 1968</u>	<u>Daughter</u>
Next Owner <u>Marvin + Pearl Spillum</u>	<u>1968 - 1986</u>	<u>Son</u>
Next Owner <u>Eric + Sandra (Spillum) Nelson</u>	<u>1986 - Present</u>	<u>Daughter</u>
Next Owner		

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Sandra Nelson
(signature of present owner)

3-14-18
(date)

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ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

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From whom was the farm purchased? John Anderson

How many acres were in the original parcel? 80

What was the cost of the land per acre at time of original purchase? \$ 18.13 per Acre

Where was the first family owner born? Norway

Did he/she engage in any trades or occupations other than farming? No

If so, please list _____

Was this a homestead? Yes

Is the original home, any portion of it, or any other original buildings still standing? Yes - Granary

When was the present home built? 1986

What were the farm's major crops or products? Grain & Corn

Additional comments _____

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CENTURY FARM APPLICATION - 2017

PLEASE TYPE OR PRINT CLEARLYMain Contact Name(s): Jerome ThayerMain Contact Phone Number: 715-235-1835 (area code) cell 715-505-5178 (phone number)Main Contact Address: 711 28th Ave N #2 (street) Memorville (city) WI (state) 54751 (zip)Present Owner of the Farm: Jerome ThayerName(s), or Family Name, or Farm Name: Thayer FarmInformation on certificate will appear exactly as you have printed here.Farm Address: 400th St (street) Bagley (city) mn (state) 56621 (zip)Farm Section: 34 Farm Township: Holst Farm County: ClearwaterNumber of acres in the farm now: 160Year of original purchase by a member of your family: 1896Has the farm previously been registered as a Century Farm? NO If so, when? _____Legal Description of Land (from deed, abstract, tax statement, etc.): Acres 160 Section 34
Township 148 Range 037 SE 1/4**PROOF OF 100 YEARS OF FAMILY OWNERSHIP**

Name	Years of Ownership	Relationship to Original Owner
Original Family Owner <u>Jerome Thayer</u>	<u>45</u>	
Next Owner <u>Charles Thayer</u>	<u>31</u>	<u>Son</u>
Next Owner <u>Jerome Thayer</u>	<u>46</u>	<u>Grandson</u>
Next Owner		
Next Owner		

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Jerome Thayer
(signature of present owner)3-30-18

(date)

(over)

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

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From whom was the farm purchased? Homestead Act

How many acres were in the original parcel? 200

What was the cost of the land per acre at time of original purchase? Homestead No cost

Where was the first family owner born? Onieda County, New York State

Did he/she engage in any trades or occupations other than farming? Yes

If so, please list In late 1800's and Early 1900's a stopping place was

ran housing travelers from Detroit Lakes, Minn and Forestburg to Red Lake
also housed loggers and farmers Reservation

Was this a homestead? Yes

Is the original home, any portion of it, or any other original buildings still standing? NO

When was the present home built? Only Barn built

What were the farm's major crops or products? Timber, Hay, small grains and Dairy

Additional comments This farm was known as Thayer's Stopping place

on the Red Lake Indian Trail. The original log house was there

until the mid 80's when it was taken down.

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CENTURY FARM APPLICATION - 2017

PLEASE TYPE OR PRINT CLEARLYMain Contact Name(s): Dawn BourdeauxMain Contact Phone Number: 612-386-0070
(area code) (phone number)Main Contact Address: 31187 151st St. Princeton MN 55371
(street) (city) (state) (zip)Present Owner of the Farm: Erie - Bourdeaux Family Revocable TrustName(s), or Family Name, or Farm Name: The Erie Family Farm
Information on certificate will appear exactly as you have printed here.Farm Address: 490th St. Gonvick MN 56644
(street) (city) (state) (zip)Farm Section: 23 Farm Township: 149 Farm County: ClearwaterNumber of acres in the farm now: 150.75Year of original purchase by a member of your family: 1918Has the farm previously been registered as a Century Farm? NO If so, when? _____Legal Description of Land (from deed, abstract, tax statement, etc.): Acres: 150.75 Section 23
Township 149 Range Q38 Lots 2, 3, 6 & 7**PROOF OF 100 YEARS OF FAMILY OWNERSHIP**

Name	Years of Ownership	Relationship to Original Owner
Original Family Owner <u>Oscar Erie</u>	<u>31</u>	
Next Owner <u>Oscar & Anna Erie</u>	<u>39</u>	<u>Oscar added wife Anna</u>
Next Owner <u>Harvey B. & Marilyn E. Erie</u>	<u>27</u>	<u>Harvey - Son</u> <u>Marilyn - daughter-in-law</u>
Next Owner <u>David D. Erie & Dawn Bourdeaux</u> <u>Erie - Bourdeaux Family Revocable Trust</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>David D. - grandson</u> <u>Dawn - granddaughter</u>
Next Owner		

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Dawn Bourdeaux and David D. Erie 3-27-18
(signature of present owner) (date)

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ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

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From whom was the farm purchased? David Erie and Karn Erie

How many acres were in the original parcel? 150.75

What was the cost of the land per acre at time of original purchase? \$29.19

Where was the first family owner born? _____

Did he/she engage in any trades or occupations other than farming? No

If so, please list _____

Was this a homestead? yes

Is the original home, any portion of it, or any other original buildings still standing? yes

When was the present home built? _____

What were the farm's major crops or products? hay, corn, wheat, oats & barley, cattle

Additional comments Oscar Erie purchased the farm on Jan.

18, 1918. Oscar & Anna had 9 children. Eight of the
nine children were born on this homestead farm. Oscar
was township clerk for many years. The summer
of 1945 a tornado went through and destroyed the barn.
The barn was rebuilt. The farm had dairy cattle til

Feel free to attach any additional files if you have run out of space above.

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Erie farm con't

1948. Then in 1948 the farm had beef cattle. The farm has always had cattle & crops on it. Currently about 50 beef cattle on this farm. Current crop is hay. This family farm has provide our family a living for 100^{plus} years. The original farmstead has been in our family for over 100 years. It's been our pride and joy and its part of my families past, present & future.

Watching a sunset with cows and crops filling the view is extremely peaceful. Or seeing deer in the distance or a bald eagle flying overhead and then my favorite a white swan swimming in the Erie Lake always makes me feel very privileged to be stewards (owners) of such a beautiful piece of land.

As a kid, I and my siblings spent a lot of time with my grandpa and his passion for the land was passed down to my dad and my siblings. And grandpa probably got his passion from great grandpa David Erie. Respect for the family farm runs deep in our family.

Thank you!

Deadline: April 2, 2018

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CENTURY FARM APPLICATION - 2017

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Main Contact Name(s): WENDELL FREDINMain Contact Phone Number: 507-920-6477
(area code) (phone number)Main Contact Address: 29053 COUNTY (street) RD 1 (city) COMFREY (state) MN (zip) 56019Present Owner of the Farm: WENDELL FREDIN

Name(s), or Family Name, or Farm Name: _____

Information on certificate will appear exactly as you have printed here.Farm Address: 29053 COUNTY RD 1 COMFREY MN 56019
(street) (city) (state) (zip)Farm Section: NE 1/4-21 Farm Township: SELMA Farm County: COTTONWOOD

Number of acres in the farm now: _____

Year of original purchase by a member of your family: 1916Has the farm previously been registered as a Century Farm? No If so, when? _____

Legal Description of Land (from deed, abstract, tax statement, etc.): _____

NE 1/4 SECTION 21 - SELMA TOWNSHIP - 107 RANGE 34
COTTONWOOD COUNTY**PROOF OF 100 YEARS OF FAMILY OWNERSHIP**

Name	Years of Ownership	Relationship to Original Owner
Original Family Owner <u>LOUIS FREDIN</u>	<u>2</u>	
Next Owner <u>MILTON FREDIN</u>	<u>53</u>	<u>SON - 1918 - 1971</u>
Next Owner <u>WENDELL FREDIN</u>	<u>47</u>	<u>SON - 1971 - 2018</u>
Next Owner		
Next Owner		

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☒ Original Deed ☐ County Land Record ☐ Other _____

I hereby certify that the information listed above is correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Wendell Fredin

(signature of present owner)

3-17-18

(date)

(over)

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

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From whom was the farm purchased? MILTON FREDIN

How many acres were in the original parcel? 160 ACRES

What was the cost of the land per acre at time of original purchase? \$75.00 1916 - \$43.75 1918

Where was the first family owner born? SWEDEN

Did he/she engage in any trades or occupations other than farming? NO

If so, please list _____

Was this a homestead? _____

Is the original home, any portion of it, or any other original buildings still standing? YES

When was the present home built? 1928 - BUILT ON - 1971

What were the farm's major crops or products? CORN - SOYBEANS - OATS - WHEAT
FLAX - BARLEY - ALFALFA

Additional comments _____

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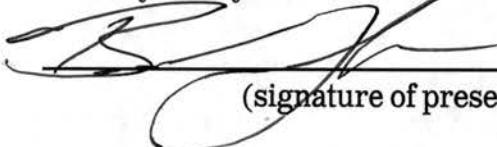
Main Contact Name(s): Brandon JunkerMain Contact Phone Number: 507-822-2612
(area code) (phone number)Main Contact Address: 58230 320th Street Mountain Lake MN 56159
(street) (city) (state) (zip)Present Owner of the Farm: Brandon JunkerName(s), or Family Name, or Farm Name: Brandon & Marta Junker
Information on certificate will appear exactly as you have printed here.Farm Address: 58230 320th Street Mountain Lake MN 56159
(street) (city) (state) (zip)Farm Section: 34 Farm Township: Selma Farm County: CottonwoodNumber of acres in the farm now: 160Year of original purchase by a member of your family: 1917Has the farm previously been registered as a Century Farm? no If so, when? _____Legal Description of Land (from deed, abstract, tax statement, etc.): THE SOUTHWEST QUARTER (SW1/4)
OF SECTION THIRTY FOUR (34) IN TOWNSHIP ONE HUNDRED SEVEN (107) NORTH, OF RANGE THIRTY FOUR
(34) WEST OF THE FIFTH PRINCIPAL MERIDIAN, COTTONWOOD COUNTY, MINNESOTA.**PROOF OF 100 YEARS OF FAMILY OWNERSHIP**

Name	Years of Ownership	Relationship to Original Owner
Original Family Owner Harlan and Nettie R. Green	19	
Next Owner Kinney Green	52	Son
Next Owner Laurence Green	18	Grandson
Next Owner Brandon Junker	12	Great , Great Grandson
Next Owner		

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 (signature of present owner)

2-24-2018
 (date)

(over)

2018 Century Farm Recognition Program

Thank you for your interest in the 2018 Century Farm recognition program, sponsored by the State Fair and the Minnesota Farm Bureau. Enclosed you will find an application form. Please fill it out completely. The deadline is **April 2.**

Please return the application to the address below:

Minnesota State Fair
Century Farm Program
1265 Snelling Ave North
St. Paul, MN 55108

Qualifications for entry are as follows:

1. The farm must be at least 100 years old this calendar year (2018) according to abstract of title, land patent, original deed, county land records, court file in registration proceedings, or other authentic land records. **Please do not send originals or copies of records.**
2. Your family must have owned the farm for 100 years or more. "Family" is defined as parents, grandparents, aunts, uncles, brothers, sisters, sons, daughters, first cousins and direct in-laws (father, mother, brother, sister, daughter, son-in-law).
3. Continuous residence on farm is not required, but ownership must be continuous.
4. The farm should consist of 50 or more acres, and currently be involved in agricultural production.

All of the qualifications must be met at the time the application is submitted. Recognition ceremonies are handled by the local county fair. If your county fair does not have a ceremony, your certificate and sign will be sent directly to you shortly after June 1. The Century Farm status is only conferred on a farm one time. New owners from the same "family", after a farm has already been designated a Century Farm, may not reapply or request a new certificate.

Once again, the State Fair and the Minnesota Farm Bureau thank you for your interest in the Century Farm program.

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

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From whom was the farm purchased? James and Agnes Norton

How many acres were in the original parcel? 160

What was the cost of the land per acre at time of original purchase? \$230 per acre

Where was the first family owner born? Spirit Lake, Iowa

Did he/she engage in any trades or occupations other than farming? No

If so, please list _____

Was this a homestead? Yes

Is the original home, any portion of it, or any other original buildings still standing? No

When was the present home built? 1972

What were the farm's major crops or products? Corn Soybeans Cattle

Additional comments _____

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Deadline: April 2, 2018

MINNESOTA STATE FAIR

CENTURY FARM APPLICATION - 2017

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Main Contact Name(s): Brenda Derickson

Main Contact Phone Number: 507-221-0172
(area code) (phone number)

Main Contact Address: 22131 Co. Rd. 54 Lambertson MN 56152
(street) (city) (state) (zip)

Present Owner of the Farm: John & Brenda Derickson James and Ella

Name(s), or Family Name, or Farm Name: J. Derickson Farm

Information on certificate will appear exactly as you have printed here.

Farm Address: 22131 Co. Rd. 54 Lambertson MN 56152
(street) (city) (state) (zip)

Farm Section: 18 Farm Township: 108 Farm County: Cottonwood

Number of acres in the farm now: 160

Year of original purchase by a member of your family: 1912

Has the farm previously been registered as a Century Farm? no If so, when?

Legal Description of Land (from deed, abstract, tax statement, etc.): NE 1/4 Sec. 18

Township 108 Range 37

PROOF OF 100 YEARS OF FAMILY OWNERSHIP

Name	Years of Ownership	Relationship to Original Owner
Original Family Owner <u>Nils C. Mattison</u>	<u>1912 - 1946</u> <u>34 yr.</u>	
Next Owner <u>Myrtle Derickson</u>	<u>1946 - 1960</u> <u>26 yr.</u>	<u>daughter</u>
Next Owner <u>James Derickson/Ella Derickson</u>	<u>1960 - 1994</u> <u>34 yr.</u>	<u>son</u>
Next Owner <u>John & Brenda Derickson</u>	<u>1994 - present</u>	<u>son</u>
Next Owner		

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I hereby certify that the information listed above is correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

John Derickson
(signature of present owner)

3-29-18
(date)

(over)

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

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From whom was the farm purchased? James / Ella Derickson

How many acres were in the original parcel? 180 acres

What was the cost of the land per acre at time of original purchase? \$60 per acre

Where was the first family owner born? _____

Did he/she engage in any trades or occupations other than farming? _____

If so, please list _____

Was this a homestead? _____

Is the original home, any portion of it, or any other original buildings still standing? no

When was the present home built? 1922

What were the farm's major crops or products? corn / soybeans

Additional comments _____

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CENTURY FARM APPLICATION - 2017

PLEASE TYPE OR PRINT CLEARLYMain Contact Name(s): RAYMOND POTTERMain Contact Phone Number: 507 628-4674
(area code) (phone number)Main Contact Address: 47186 COUNTY ROAD 53 JEFFERS MN 56145
(street) (city) (state) (zip)Present Owner of the Farm: RAYMOND POTTERName(s), or Family Name, or Farm Name: RAY AND DIANE POTTERInformation on certificate will appear exactly as you have printed here.Farm Address: 47186 COUNTY ROAD 53 JEFFERS MN 56145
(street) (city) (state) (zip)Farm Section: 14 Farm Township: AMBOY Farm County: COTTONWOODNumber of acres in the farm now: 240Year of original purchase by a member of your family: 1911Has the farm previously been registered as a Century Farm? no If so, when? _____Legal Description of Land (from deed, abstract, tax statement, etc.): SECT-14 TWP 107 RANGE 36 -
SW 1/4 AND N 1/2 SW 1/4 AND S 1/2 NW 1/4**PROOF OF 100 YEARS OF FAMILY OWNERSHIP**

Name	Years of Ownership	Relationship to Original Owner
Original Family Owner <u>WM. ALONZO POTTER (1911)</u>	<u>3</u>	
Next Owner <u>GEORGE W. POTTER (1913)</u>	<u>32</u>	<u>SON OF WM.</u>
Next Owner <u>LLOYD L. POTTER (1945)</u>	<u>31</u>	<u>SON OF GEORGE</u>
Next Owner <u>FLORENCE POTTER (1976)</u>	<u>20</u>	<u>WIFE OF LLOYD</u>
Next Owner <u>RAYMOND POTTER 1996</u>	<u>22</u>	<u>SON OF LLOYD & FLORENCE</u>

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I hereby certify that the information listed above is correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Raymond Potter
(signature of present owner)3-28-18
(date)

(over)

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

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From whom was the farm purchased? J.C. HAGGARD

How many acres were in the original parcel? 320 ACRES

What was the cost of the land per acre at time of original purchase? \$ 6.25 PER ACRE

Where was the first family owner born? ONANDAGA COUNTY, NEW YORK

Did he/she engage in any trades or occupations other than farming? UNKNOWN

If so, please list _____

Was this a homestead? UNKNOWN

Is the original home, any portion of it, or any other original buildings still standing? POSSIBLY THE BARN

When was the present home built? 1950

What were the farm's major crops or products? CORN, SOYBEANS, OATS, ALFALFA, FLAX

Additional comments RAISED CATTLE & SHEEP, CHICKENS.

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Deadline: April 2, 2018

Handwritten: 3/30/18

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CENTURY FARM APPLICATION - 2017

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Main Contact Name(s): Dana Strese

Main Contact Phone Number: (cell) 320-815-6773
(area code) (phone number)

Main Contact Address: 14650 Berg Road NW Evansville MN 56326
(street) (city) (state) (zip)

Present Owner of the Farm: Terry and Dana Strese

Name(s), or Family Name, or Farm Name: Berglund Farm
Information on certificate will appear exactly as you have printed here.

Farm Address: 14650 Berg Road NW Evansville MN 56326
(street) (city) (state) (zip)

Farm Section: 29 Farm Township: 130 Farm County: Douglas

Number of acres in the farm now: 327.8

Year of original purchase by a member of your family: 1911

Has the farm previously been registered as a Century Farm? No If so, when? _____

Legal Description of Land (from deed, abstract, tax statement, etc.): South 1/2 of the NE 1/4 of Section 29,
Township 130, Range 40

PROOF OF 100 YEARS OF FAMILY OWNERSHIP

Name	Years of Ownership	Relationship to Original Owner
Original Family Owner Carl Gustaf and Alma Berglund	50	
Next Owner Alton C. and Corinne Berglund	35	Son
Next Owner Terry and Dana Strese	22	Granddaughter
Next Owner		
Next Owner		

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() Original Deed () County Land Record () Other _____

I hereby certify that the information listed above is correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Dana R. Strese
(signature of present owner)

March 30, 2018
(date)

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ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

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From whom was the farm purchased? Ole O. Vig

How many acres were in the original parcel? 40

What was the cost of the land per acre at time of original purchase? \$1,000.00

Where was the first family owner born? Unknown

Did he/she engage in any trades or occupations other than farming? not that I know of

If so, please list _____

Was this a homestead? Yes

Is the original home, any portion of it, or any other original buildings still standing? Yes

When was the present home built? 1911-1912 ??

What were the farm's major crops or products? Brome grass, oats, corn and alfalfa

Additional comments See attachment.

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Berglund Farm Attachment

The SE 1/4 of the NE 1/4 was purchased by Carl & Alma Berglund from Ole O. Vik on June 7, 1911 and follows the chain of ownership as listed on the first page of this application.

The SW 1/4 of the NE 1/4 was purchased by a Patent from the State of Minnesota by P.E. Berglund on June 12, 1919. P.E. Berglund is the father of Carl Berglund.

P.E. Berglund owned the SW 1/4 from June 12, 1919 to October 5, 1931, when it went to Carl and Alma Berglund. Carl and Alma owned it until January 3, 1961, when it went to Alton C. and Corinne Berglund. Alton & Corinne owned it until December, 1996 when it went to Terry and Dana (Berglund) Strese.

The two quarters were combined as the South 1/2 in October, 1931 when Carl and Alma Berglund owned both parcels.

Deadline: April 2, 2018

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CENTURY FARM APPLICATION - 2017

PLEASE TYPE OR PRINT CLEARLY

Main Contact Name(s): Robert OrenMain Contact Phone Number: 507 525 2384
(area code) (phone number)Main Contact Address: 51716 65th ST Bricelyn MN 56014
(street) (city) (state) (zip)Present Owner of the Farm: Tim Oren Robert OrenName(s), or Family Name, or Farm Name: Oren Bros. Tim A. Oren Robert J. Oren
Information on certificate will appear exactly as you have printed here.Farm Address: 51716 65th ST Bricelyn MN 56014
(street) (city) (state) (zip)Farm Section: 4 Farm Township: Seely Farm County: FaribaultNumber of acres in the farm now: 163.75Year of original purchase by a member of your family: 1899Has the farm previously been registered as a Century Farm? NO If so, when?Legal Description of Land (from deed, abstract, tax statement, etc.): Buildings

Description:

Sect-04 Twp-101 Range-025 160.94 AC
5.75A IN SW COR OF NE 1/4 & SE 1/4 EX 2A & EX N350' OF E350'
OF W 1/2 OF SE 1/4

Description:

Sect-04 Twp-101 Range-025 2.81 AC
N350' OF E350' OF W 1/2 OF SE 1/4

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Name	Years of Ownership	Relationship to Original Owner
Original Family Owner <u>Olle + Amanda Oren</u>	<u>1899 - 1950</u>	
Next Owner <u>Oswald, John + Stella Ruth Hamson, Opal ECKHART</u>	<u>1950 - 1961</u>	<u>Sons + Daughters</u>
Next Owner <u>Oswald Oren</u>	<u>1961 - 1996</u>	<u>Son</u>
Next Owner <u>Tim Oren, Robert Oren</u>	<u>1996 -</u>	<u>Grand sons</u>
Next Owner		

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Robert J. Oren
(signature of present owner)3-20-18
(date)

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ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

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From whom was the farm purchased? Samuel Rugg

How many acres were in the original parcel? 163.75

What was the cost of the land per acre at time of original purchase? ?

Where was the first family owner born? Norway - Ole, Faribault Co - Amanda

Did he/she engage in any trades or occupations other than farming? No

If so, please list _____

Was this a homestead? Home Steaded 1856 - James Williams, sold Samuel

Is the original home, any portion of it, or any other original buildings still standing? No Rugg - 1884

When was the present home built? 1939

What were the farm's major crops or products? Corn, wheat, Soybeans, Hogs, Beef, Dairy

Additional comments Not original but Barn + Granary

Very old

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MINNESOTA STATE FAIR

CENTURY FARM APPLICATION - 2017

PLEASE TYPE OR PRINT CLEARLYMain Contact Name(s): P Tim PerrizoMain Contact Phone Number: 507 327-9438
(area code) (phone number)Main Contact Address: 18126 405th Ave Delavan MN 56023
(street) (city) (state) (zip)Present Owner of the Farm: Timothy & Susan PerrizoName(s), or Family Name, or Farm Name: Perrizo FarmInformation on certificate will appear exactly as you have printed here.Farm Address: 18126 405th Ave Delavan MN 56023
(street) (city) (state) (zip)Farm Section: 3 Farm Township: Prescott Farm County: FaribaultNumber of acres in the farm now: 160Year of original purchase by a member of your family: 1872Has the farm previously been registered as a Century Farm? No If so, when? _____Legal Description of Land (from deed, abstract, tax statement, etc.):
SE 1/4 of Section 3 Township 103 Range 27**PROOF OF 100 YEARS OF FAMILY OWNERSHIP**

Name	Years of Ownership	Relationship to Original Owner
Original Family Owner <u>Joseph Perrizo</u>	<u>49</u>	
Next Owner <u>Henry Perrizo</u>	<u>50</u>	<u>Son</u>
Next Owner <u>Alan J. Perrizo</u>	<u>16 / 41</u>	<u>Son</u>
Next Owner <u>Timothy</u> <small>Purchased 1/2 in 1987</small> <u>Purchased Second 1/2 2012</u>	<u>31 / 6</u>	<u>Son</u>
Next Owner		

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 ☐ Other _____

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Timothy Perrizo
 (signature of present owner)

3-29-2018
 (date)

(over)

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

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From whom was the farm purchased? Samuel Schuler + Daniel B. Thurston

How many acres were in the original parcel? 80 acres ~~400~~

What was the cost of the land per acre at time of original purchase? \$13.75

Where was the first family owner born? Canada

Did he/she engage in any trades or occupations other than farming? _____

If so, please list _____

Was this a homestead? yes 6 generation have lived here

Is the original home, any portion of it, or any other original buildings still standing? yes / house

When was the present home built? 1879

What were the farm's major crops or products? Beet, milk, hogs, sheep, wheat, oats,

Additional comments alfalfa, corn, soy beans, peas, sweet corn

There has been Perrizo's continuously living here since 1879.
1879 is when the house was built. Joseph commuted back + forth
to Fond du Lac Wisconsin before the house was built. Joseph and
his brothers stayed in a building across the road from this farm.

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Deadline: April 2, 2018

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CENTURY FARM APPLICATION - 2017

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Main Contact Name(s): Victor JohnsonMain Contact Phone Number: 641 420-4861
(area code) (phone number)Main Contact Address: 6453 Burnham Circle, Inver Grove Heights
(street) (city) (state)Present Owner of the Farm: Victor JohnsonName(s), or Family Name, or Farm Name: Iverson - Johnson
Information on certificate will appear exactly as you have printed hereFarm Address: 11116 450th Avenue, Blue Earth MN
(street) (city) (state)Farm Section: 9 Farm Township: Emerald Farm County: FaribaultNumber of acres in the farm now: 80Year of original purchase by a member of your family: 1869Has the farm previously been registered as a Century Farm? No If so, when?Legal Description of Land (from deed, abstract, tax statement, etc.): West Half
SW quarter in Section 9, Twp. 102N, Range 26W in
County, Minnesota

Who We Were
- Author -
Victor Johnson
Stories Since The Iverson Sod House
- Order -
<http://whowewerebook.com>

PROOF OF 100 YEARS OF FAMILY OWNERSHIP

Name	Years of Ownership	Relationship to Original Owner
Original Family Owner <u>Ole Iverson</u>	<u>25</u>	
Next Owner <u>Ole Johnson</u>	<u>53</u>	<u>Son-in-Law</u>
Next Owner <u>Elsie Johnson</u>	<u>19</u>	<u>Grand Daughter in Law</u>
Next Owner <u>Victor Johnson</u>	<u>52</u>	<u>Great Grandson</u>
Next Owner		

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I hereby certify that the information listed above is correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Victor Johnson

(signature of present owner)

March 21, 2018

(date)

(over)

Deadline: April 2, 2018

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CENTURY FARM APPLICATION - 2017

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(street) (city) (state) (zip)Farm Section: 9 Farm Township: Emerald Farm County: FaribaultNumber of acres in the farm now: 80Year of original purchase by a member of your family: 1869Has the farm previously been registered as a Century Farm? No If so, when?Legal Description of Land (from deed, abstract, tax statement, etc.): West Half of the SW quarter in Section 9, Twp. 102N, Range 26W in Faribault County, Minnesota

PROOF OF 100 YEARS OF FAMILY OWNERSHIP

Name	Years of Ownership	Relationship to Original Owner
Original Family Owner <u>Ole Iverson</u>	<u>25</u>	
Next Owner <u>Ole Johnson</u>	<u>53</u>	<u>Son-in-Law</u>
Next Owner <u>Elsie Johnson</u>	<u>19</u>	<u>Grand Daughter in Law</u>
Next Owner <u>Victor Johnson</u>	<u>52</u>	<u>Great Grandson</u>
Next Owner		

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I hereby certify that the information listed above is correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Victor Johnson

(signature of present owner)

March 21, 2018

(date)

(over)

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

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From whom was the farm purchased? USA by US Grant, President

How many acres were in the original parcel? 120

What was the cost of the land per acre at time of original purchase? Unknown - Not Purchased Patent

Where was the first family owner born? Norway

Did he/she engage in any trades or occupations other than farming? No

If so, please list _____

Was this a homestead? Yes

Is the original home, any portion of it, or any other original buildings still standing? Yes

When was the present home built? Unknown Perhaps 1875-1885

What were the farm's major crops or products? Corn Soybeans

Additional comments Although The patent is dated 1869, Ole Iverson began his occupation of the Stakeout property in 1861-1863 according to handed-down history in the family.

I have written a book Telling The Story of This Farm's Occupants "Who We Were" Life since the Iversons and House

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Mail application to:
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Century Farms
1265 Snelling Avenue North
St. Paul, MN 55108-3099

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Questions? Email: centuryfarms@mnstatefair.org or Call: (651) 288-4400



Deadline: April 2, 2018

MINNESOTA STATE FAIR

CENTURY FARM APPLICATION - 2017

PLEASE TYPE OR PRINT CLEARLY

Main Contact Name(s): Ross L. HeusinkveldMain Contact Phone Number: 507 937-3376
(area code) (phone number)Main Contact Address: 17477 Cty Rd 14 Spring Valley MN 55975
(street) (city) (state) (zip)Present Owner of the Farm: Ross L. HeusinkveldName(s), or Family Name, or Farm Name: Heusinkveld Family Farm
Information on certificate will appear exactly as you have printed here.Farm Address: 17477 Cty Rd 14 Spring Valley MN 55975
(street) (city) (state) (zip)Farm Section: 29 Farm Township: Forestville Farm County: FillmoreNumber of acres in the farm now: 80Year of original purchase by a member of your family: 1910Has the farm previously been registered as a Century Farm? No If so, when? _____Legal Description of Land (from deed, abstract, tax statement, etc.):
E 1/2 SW 1/4 Sec. 29-102-12**PROOF OF 100 YEARS OF FAMILY OWNERSHIP**

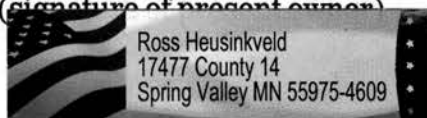
Name	Years of Ownership	Relationship to Original Owner
Original Family Owner <u>Wilbur Heusinkveld</u>	<u>54</u>	
Next Owner <u>Carroll Heusinkveld</u>	<u>12</u>	<u>son</u>
Next Owner <u>Ross Heusinkveld</u>	<u>42</u>	<u>Grandson</u>
Next Owner		
Next Owner		

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 ☐ County Land Record
 ☐ Other _____

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Ross L. Heusinkveld
 (signature of present owner)

3/1/18
 (date)


(over)

2018 Century Farm Recognition Program

Thank you for your interest in the 2018 Century Farm recognition program, sponsored by the State Fair and the Minnesota Farm Bureau. Enclosed you will find an application form. Please fill it out completely. The deadline is **April 2.**

Please return the application to the address below:

Minnesota State Fair
Century Farm Program
1265 Snelling Ave North
St. Paul, MN 55108

Qualifications for entry are as follows:

1. The farm must be at least 100 years old this calendar year (2018) according to abstract of title, land patent, original deed, county land records, court file in registration proceedings, or other authentic land records. **Please do not send originals or copies of records.**
2. Your family must have owned the farm for 100 years or more. "Family" is defined as parents, grandparents, aunts, uncles, brothers, sisters, sons, daughters, first cousins and direct in-laws (father, mother, brother, sister, daughter, son-in-law).
3. Continuous residence on farm is not required, but ownership must be continuous.
4. The farm should consist of 50 or more acres, and currently be involved in agricultural production.

All of the qualifications must be met at the time the application is submitted. Recognition ceremonies are handled by the local county fair. If your county fair does not have a ceremony, your certificate and sign will be sent directly to you shortly after June 1. The Century Farm status is only conferred on a farm one time. New owners from the same "family", after a farm has already been designated a Century Farm, may not reapply or request a new certificate.

Once again, the State Fair and the Minnesota Farm Bureau thank you for your interest in the Century Farm program.

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

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From whom was the farm purchased? J. L. Colby

How many acres were in the original parcel? 80

What was the cost of the land per acre at time of original purchase? \$50.00

Where was the first family owner born? Forestville Township Fillmore Co

Did he/she engage in any trades or occupations other than farming? NO

If so, please list _____

Was this a homestead? Farm was 1st Homesteaded in 1856 by Wm. Smith

Is the original home, any portion of it, or any other original buildings still standing? yes NO

When was the present home built? 1925

What were the farm's major crops or products? Corn, Oats, Soy beans and Hay

Additional comments My Great-Great Grandfather immigrated from
Holland in the 1850's. Along with many ^{other} Dutch who settled
in this area. His Farm is a mile ¹/₂ from our Farm which I can
see from our Farm as well as the Cemetery which he
is buried as well as my Great Grandfather,
Grandfather and Father - Thank you Ross.

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Century Farms
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St. Paul, MN 55108-3099

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Hello,

We are having a Berg/Hanson family reunion on July 18, so regardless of whether our county has a fair or not, we will be grateful to have the certificate and sign sent directly to us before that date.

Thanks so much,
Jamie

Alternate point of contact is my cousin Kathy Samuelson at 507-572-3615

MINNESOTA STATE FAIR

CENTURY FARM APPLICATION - 2017

PLEASE TYPE OR PRINT CLEARLY

Main Contact Name(s): JAMIE HANSON

Main Contact Phone Number: 507 589 9339
(area code) (phone number)

Main Contact Address: 32371 Mower-Freeborn Road Blooming Prairie MN 55917
(street) (city) (state) (zip)

Present Owner of the Farm: Lyndon/Jamie Hanson

Name(s), or Family Name, or Farm Name: Berg/Hanson Family Farm

Information on certificate will appear exactly as you have printed here.

Farm Address: 32371 Mower-Freeborn Road Blooming Prairie MN 55917
(street) (city) (state) (zip)

Farm Section: 12 Farm Township: Newry Farm County: Freeborn

Number of acres in the farm now: 160

Year of original purchase by a member of your family: 1888

Has the farm previously been registered as a Century Farm? No If so, when?

Legal Description of Land (from deed, abstract, tax statement, etc.):
SE Quarter of Section 12, Township 104, Range 19

PROOF OF 100 YEARS OF FAMILY OWNERSHIP

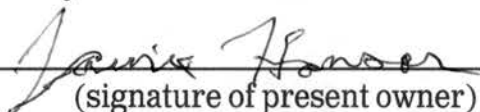
Name	Years of Ownership	Relationship to Original Owner
Original Family Owner Kundt T Berg	44	
Next Owner Children of Kundt Berg (Aura Berg)	9	Daughter
Next Owner Aldine/Aura (Berg) Hanson	39	Son-In-Law/Daughter
Next Owner Lyle/Evie Hanson	32	Grandson/Granddaughter-In-Law
Next Owner Lyndon/Jamie Hanson (Current Owners)	5	Great Grandsons

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(X) Abstract of Title () Land Patent () Court File in Registration Proceedings

() Original Deed () County Land Record () Other

I hereby certify that the information listed above is correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.


(signature of present owner)

7/26/18
(date)

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ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

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From whom was the farm purchased? Thomas Olson and wife

How many acres were in the original parcel? 160

What was the cost of the land per acre at time of original purchase? \$25.63

Where was the first family owner born? Brodhead, WI

Did he/she engage in any trades or occupations other than farming? _____

If so, please list _____

Was this a homestead? Originally, yes, but not by the current family

Is the original home, any portion of it, or any other original buildings still standing? original of KT Berg

When was the present home built? 1895

What were the farm's major crops or products? oats, hay, corn, sugar beets, beans

Additional comments originally homesteaded in 1863 by Jason Easton and Thomas Olson in 1868, each had 1/2 of quarter at that time

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Deadline: April 2, 2018

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CENTURY FARM APPLICATION - 2017

PLEASE TYPE OR PRINT CLEARLY

Main Contact Name(s): MARK J. FOSTERMain Contact Phone Number: 507-475-1905
(area code) (phone number)Main Contact Address: 32804 780th Ave Ellendale, MN 56026
(street) (city) (state) (zip)Present Owner of the Farm: MARK J. FOSTER & KAROLName(s), or Family Name, or Farm Name: MARK J. FOSTER & KAROLInformation on certificate will appear exactly as you have printed here.Farm Address: 32804 780th Ave ELLENDALE MN 56026
(street) (city) (state) (zip)Farm Section: 12 Farm Township: BATH Farm County: FREEBORNNumber of acres in the farm now: 80Year of original purchase by a member of your family: 1918Has the farm previously been registered as a Century Farm? NO If so, when? _____Legal Description of Land (from deed, abstract, tax statement, etc.): THE SOUTH HALF
OF THE NORTHWEST QUARTER OF SECTION 12
TOWNSHIP 104 NORTH, RANGE 21 WEST OF 5th P.M.**PROOF OF 100 YEARS OF FAMILY OWNERSHIP**

Name	Years of Ownership	Relationship to Original Owner
Original Family Owner <u>C.A. & Annette Nelson</u>	<u>56 yrs</u>	
Next Owner <u>Mark & Karol Foster</u>	<u>44 yrs</u>	<u>grandson & wife</u>
Next Owner		
Next Owner		
Next Owner		

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☒ Original Deed ☐ County Land Record ☐ Other _____

I hereby certify that the information listed above is correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Mark Foster
(signature of present owner)March 21-2018
(date)

(over)

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

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From whom was the farm purchased? Mrs. J.A. (Christine) Jensen

How many acres were in the original parcel? 80

What was the cost of the land per acre at time of original purchase? \$122.50 per acre

Where was the first family owner born? Sweden

Did he/she engage in any trades or occupations other than farming? No

If so, please list _____

Was this a homestead? Yes

Is the original home, any portion of it, or any other original buildings still standing? Yes

When was the present home built? 2011

What were the farm's major crops or products? Corn, Soybeans, oats, hay, Cattle, hogs, chicken

Additional comments Attached paper.

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Bought by C.A. Nelson March 1st 1918
and
Annette Nelson wife.

C.A. Nelson farmed this 80 until his passing in Aug 1957. His son Ray Nelson who farmed with him continued farming it until 1970. Ray retired in 1970 and moved to town and Mark and Karl Foster rented this 80 for 4 yrs and then bought it from my grandmother who was C.A. Nelsons wife. Mark has farmed it from 1970 and is still farming it. I hope my son who farms will be the 4th generation on this farm.

The barn on this farm was built in 1908 and has had cattle in it for 100 years. We are still using it.

There is a building which my grandfather called the coal house here also that has the date 1902 carved in it. I use it for a storage shed.

Mark Foster

150 years

Deadline: April 2, 2018

MINNESOTA STATE FAIR

CENTURY FARM APPLICATION - 2017

PLEASE TYPE OR PRINT CLEARLY

Main Contact Name(s): David + Linda KlingspornMain Contact Phone Number: (507) 386-8495
(area code) (phone number)Main Contact Address: 51350 230th Ave Pine Island MN 55963
(street) (city) (state) (zip)Present Owner of the Farm: David + Linda KlingspornName(s), or Family Name, or Farm Name: Klingsporn Farms
Information on certificate will appear exactly as you have printed here.Farm Address: 23025 510th St Pine Island MN 55963
(street) (city) (state) (zip)Farm Section: 25 Farm Township: 109 Farm County: GoodhueNumber of acres in the farm now: 153.76Year of original purchase by a member of your family: 1868Has the farm previously been registered as a Century Farm? no If so, when? _____Legal Description of Land (from deed, abstract, tax statement, etc.): Sect-25 Twp-109
Range-105 153.76 AC SW 1/4 SEC 25 109 15
DOC #522520 EX 6.24 AC REC 8/6/04

PROOF OF 100 YEARS OF FAMILY OWNERSHIP

Name	Years of Ownership	Relationship to Original Owner
Original Family Owner <u>AUGUST KLINGSPORN</u>	<u>1868-</u> <u>1898</u>	
Next Owner <u>Carl Herman Klingsporn</u>	<u>1898-</u> <u>1938</u>	<u>Grandson</u>
Next Owner <u>Ella Klingsporn</u>	<u>1938-</u> <u>1952</u>	<u>Great Grand-daughter</u>
Next Owner + <u>Lauretta</u> <u>Duane Klingsporn</u>	<u>1952-</u> <u>2005</u>	<u>Great-Nephew</u>
Next Owner <u>David + Linda Klingsporn</u>	<u>2005-</u> <u>present</u>	<u>Great-great Nephew</u>

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I hereby certify that the information listed above is correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

David Klingsporn
(signature of present owner)3-30-2018
(date)

(over)

Deadline: April 3, 2017

MINNESOTA STATE FAIR

CENTURY FARM APPLICATION - 2017

PLEASE TYPE OR PRINT CLEARLY

Main Contact Name(s): Terry Jacobson

Main Contact Phone Number: 507 649 1136
(area code) (phone number)

Main Contact Address: 38266 70th Ave Cannon Falls MN 55009
(street) (city) (state) (zip)

Present Owner of the Farm: Terry & Laurie Jacobson

Name(s), or Family Name, or Farm Name: Terry & Laurie Jacobson

Information on certificate will appear exactly as you have printed here.

Farm Address: 38266 70th Ave Cannon Falls MN 55009
(street) (city) (state) (zip)

Farm Section: 29 Farm Township: Leon Farm County: Goodhue

Number of acres in the farm now: 103.8

Year of original purchase by a member of your family: 1913

Has the farm previously been registered as a Century Farm? no If so, when? —

Legal Description of Land (from deed, abstract, tax statement, etc.): Sect 29 Twp-111 Range-017
9.98 AC PT OF W 1/2 OF NW 1/4 SEC 29 111 17 BEG AT SW COR NW 1/4 E 330 FT
N 52 DG 27 MIN 19 SC

PROOF OF 100 YEARS OF FAMILY OWNERSHIP

Name	Years of Ownership	Relationship to Original Owner
Original Family Owner <u>Joseph A. Jacobson</u>	<u>1913 -</u> <u>Died 1952</u>	
Next Owner <u>Ana G Jacobson</u>	<u>1952 -</u> <u>1966</u>	<u>wife - widow</u>
Next Owner <u>G Wallace Jacobson</u>	<u>1966 -</u> <u>1972</u>	<u>Son</u>
Next Owner <u>G Wallace Jacobson Katherine Jacobson</u>	<u>1972 -</u> <u>1995</u>	<u>son and wife</u>
Next Owner <u>Terry, Laurie Jacobson</u>	<u>1995 -</u> <u>Present</u>	<u>Grandson</u>

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Terry Jacobson
(signature of present owner)

3-28-18

(date)

(over)

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

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From whom was the farm purchased? Andrew J. Stenhaus

How many acres were in the original parcel? ?

What was the cost of the land per acre at time of original purchase? ?

Where was the first family owner born? _____

Did he/she engage in any trades or occupations other than farming? _____

If so, please list _____

Was this a homestead? ?

Is the original home, any portion of it, or any other original buildings still standing? Barn ?

When was the present home built? 1896

What were the farm's major crops or products? crops & dairy

Additional comments If you need anything or have questions

give me a call 507 649 1136

Terry

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CENTURY FARM APPLICATION - 2017

PLEASE TYPE OR PRINT CLEARLY

Main Contact Name(s): Geraldine McINTOSHMain Contact Phone Number: 507 732 7762
(area code) (phone number)Main Contact Address: 15678 460 st Zumbrota MN 55992
(street) (city) (state) (zip)Present Owner of the Farm: Geraldine McIntoshName(s), or Family Name, or Farm Name: Jacobson — McIntosh FarmInformation on certificate will appear exactly as you have printed here.Farm Address: 15678 460 st Zumbrota MN 55992
(street) (city) (state) (zip)Farm Section: 03 Farm Township: Roscoe Farm County: GoodhueNumber of acres in the farm now: 78.87Year of original purchase by a member of your family: 1918Has the farm previously been registered as a Century Farm? NO If so, when? _____Legal Description of Land (from deed, abstract, tax statement, etc.): _____N 1/2 of NE 1/4
Section 3 Twp 109 Range 016**PROOF OF 100 YEARS OF FAMILY OWNERSHIP**

Name	Years of Ownership	Relationship to Original Owner
Original Family Owner <u>Iver Jacobson</u>	<u>1918</u> <u>31</u>	
Next Owner <u>Edwin Jacobson</u>	<u>1949</u> <u>43</u>	<u>Son</u>
Next Owner <u>Geraldine McIntosh</u>	<u>1992</u> <u>26</u>	<u>grand daughter</u>
Next Owner		
Next Owner		

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☐ Original Deed ☐ County Land Record ☐ Other _____

I hereby certify that the information listed above is correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Geraldine McIntosh
(signature of present owner)3/8/2018
(date)

(over)

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

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From whom was the farm purchased? Mr + Mrs Adolph Syverson

How many acres were in the original parcel? 80

What was the cost of the land per acre at time of original purchase? \$8800.00

Where was the first family owner born? Norway

Did he/she engage in any trades or occupations other than farming? _____

If so, please list besides farming I was a cream
hauler with a horse + wagon

Was this a homestead? _____

Is the original home, any portion of it, or any other original buildings still standing? NO

When was the present home built? 1989

What were the farm's major crops or products? hay corn oats some soybeans

Additional comments cows pigs chickens

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Deadline: April 2, 2018

MINNESOTA STATE FAIR

CENTURY FARM APPLICATION - 2017

PLEASE TYPE OR PRINT CLEARLY

Main Contact Name(s): Eric Lomen

Main Contact Phone Number: 651 698 5280
(area code) (phone number)

Main Contact Address: 1216 Scheffer Ave ST. Paul MN 55116
(street) (city) (state) (zip)

Present Owner of the Farm: Eric Lomen

Name(s), or Family Name, or Farm Name: Eric Lomen

Information on certificate will appear exactly as you have printed here.

Farm Address: 16919 Hwy 60 Blvd Zumbrota MN 55992
(street) (city) (state) (zip)

Farm Section: 35+26 Farm Township: Minneola Farm County: Goodhue

Number of acres in the farm now: 186

Year of original purchase by a member of your family: 1900

Has the farm previously been registered as a Century Farm? NO If so, when? _____

Legal Description of Land (from deed, abstract, tax statement, etc.): N 1/2 of the NE 1/4 of SECT. 35
IN township 110 North, range 16 west - Also the E 1/2 of the
SE 1/4 of section 26, IN township 110 N, range 16 west

PROOF OF 100 YEARS OF FAMILY OWNERSHIP

Name	Years of Ownership	Relationship to Original Owner
Original Family Owner <u>Erick H Lomen</u>	<u>47</u>	
Next Owner <u>Einar O Lomen</u>		
Next Owner <u>Elisabeth Lomen</u>	<u>60</u>	
Next Owner <u>Eric Lomen</u>	<u>10</u>	
Next Owner		

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 ☐ County Land Record
 ☐ Other _____

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EHL
(signature of present owner)

10/1/17
(date)

(over)

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

Any information you can add to this form will be most valuable to future historians. The questions below are only a guide. Feel free to add other data, especially family or pioneer stories concerning the farm and the area around it.

From whom was the farm purchased? John & Marit Fylkin

How many acres were in the original parcel? 160

What was the cost of the land per acre at time of original purchase? \$ 37.50

Where was the first family owner born? Norway

Did he/she engage in any trades or occupations other than farming? _____

If so, please list _____

Was this a homestead? yes

Is the original home, any portion of it, or any other original buildings still standing? House, Barn, Granary yes

When was the present home built? _____

What were the farm's major crops or products? Dairy Farm

Additional comments The Barn Has been restored and won 2012 Barn of the year by MN Friends of Barns. It was built in "1918" The original house and granary are still in use today.

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No. 40

John N. Fylkin and Marit Fylkin,
his wife.

-to-

Erick H. Lomen.

WARRANTY DEED

Dated January 11, 1900
Recorded February 16, 1931
In Book H-7 of Deeds, Page 325
Consideration \$6000.00

Conveys the $N\frac{1}{2}$ of the $NE\frac{1}{4}$ of section 35, in township 110 north, range 16 west.
Also the $E\frac{1}{2}$ of the $SE\frac{1}{4}$ of section 26, in township 110 north, range 16 west.

No. 41

Marit Fylkin, widow.

-to-

Erick H. Lomen.

WARRANTY DEED

Dated May 28, 1910
Recorded May 31, 1910
In Book X-5 of Deeds, Page 166

Conveys the $N\frac{1}{2}$ of the $NE\frac{1}{4}$ of section 35, in township 110 north, range 16 west; Also
the $E\frac{1}{2}$ of the $SE\frac{1}{4}$ of section 26, in township 110 north, range 16 west, except right of way
of Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul Railway Company.

No. 42

Erick Lomen, single.
(signed:Erik Lomen).

-to-

Marit Fylkin.

MORTGAGE FOR \$5000.00

Dated May 28, 1910
Recorded May 31, 1910
In Book 62 of Mortgages, Page 267

Covers premises described in No. 41 hereof.

No. 43

Emily B. Souder.

-to-

Joseph A. Thacher.

RELEASE OF NO. 38

Dated February 13, 1883
Recorded December 23, 1884
In Book 19 of M.R. Page 180

Deadline: April 2, 2018

MINNESOTA STATE FAIR

CENTURY FARM APPLICATION - 2017

PLEASE TYPE OR PRINT CLEARLY

Main Contact Name(s): Gregory Miller & Richard Miller
 Main Contact Phone Number: (651) 258-4133 (651) 258-4342
 (area code) (phone number)

Main Contact Address: 34712 Ch. #25 Blvd. Common Falls Minn. 55009
 (street) (city) (state) (zip)

Present Owner of the Farm: Gregory & Lisa Miller

Name(s), or Family Name, or Farm Name: Silver Springs Farm
 Information on certificate will appear exactly as you have printed here.

Farm Address: 34712 Ch. #25 Blvd. Common Falls Minn. 55009
 (street) (city) (state) (zip)

Farm Section: 2 Farm Township: Leon Farm County: Goodhue

Number of acres in the farm now: 100 acres

Year of original purchase by a member of your family: January 29, 1904

Has the farm previously been registered as a Century Farm? no If so, when? _____

Legal Description of Land (from deed, abstract, tax statement, etc.): Sec-02 Twp-111 Range-017
Doc # 274815 N 1/2 of SE 1/4 & N 1/2 of SW 1/4 of SE 1/4 Sec.

PROOF OF 100 YEARS OF FAMILY OWNERSHIP

Name	Years of Ownership	Relationship to Original Owner
Original Family Owner <u>Edvard Miller</u>	<u>54 yrs.</u>	
Next Owner <u>Fred. Willard Miller</u>	<u>23 yrs</u>	<u>son</u>
Next Owner <u>Richard Miller</u>	<u>37 yrs</u>	<u>grandson</u> <u>He still is farming the land</u>
Next Owner <u>Gregory Miller</u>		<u>great grandson</u>
Next Owner		

Please do not send originals or copies of records. Continuous family ownership is taken from one or more of the following records.

- ☒ Abstract of Title ☐ Land Patent ☐ Court File in Registration Proceedings
☐ Original Deed ☐ County Land Record ☐ Other _____

I hereby certify that the information listed above is correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Gregory M. Miller
 (signature of present owner)

3/1/18
 (date)

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

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From whom was the farm purchased? Therese Holm - Lars Johnson - Charlotte ^{his wife} Frank Holm ^{wife} Berta Holm
Leonard Holm - Edith Holm ^{wife}

How many acres were in the original parcel? 120 acres

What was the cost of the land per acre at time of original purchase? \$ 78.33

Where was the first family owner born? Cannon Falls, Minn.

Did he/she engage in any trades or occupations other than farming? no

If so, please list _____

Was this a homestead? yes

Is the original home, any portion of it, or any other original buildings still standing? yes

When was the present home built? The home was there when Edward Miller

What were the farm's major crops or products? wheat - oats - barley - corn ^{bought it.}

Additional comments The major crops on the farm since Willard
Miller inherited it was corn, soybeans, & hay.

Feel free to attach any additional files if you have run out of space above.

Mail application to:
**Minnesota State Fair
Century Farms
1265 Snelling Avenue North
St. Paul, MN 55108-3099**

Questions? Email: centuryfarms@mnstatefair.org or Call: (651) 288-4400



MINNESOTA STATE FAIR

CENTURY FARM APPLICATION - 2017

PLEASE TYPE OR PRINT CLEARLY

Main Contact Name(s): Timothy F McNamara

Main Contact Phone Number: 952-250-8265

Main Contact Address: 19066 Echo Lane Farmington MN 55024
 (street) (city) (state) (zip)

Present Owner of the Farm: Hugh-N-Ann Farms, LP

Name(s), or Family Name, or Farm Name: Hugh-N-Ann Farms

Information on certificate will appear exactly as you have printed here.

Farm Address: 15500 370th Street Goodhue MN 55027
 (street) (city) (state) (zip)

Farm Section: 22 Farm Township: Belle Creek Farm County: Goodhue

Number of acres in the farm now: 80

Year of original purchase by a member of your family: May 4, 1918

Has the farm previously been registered as a Century Farm? _____ If so, when? _____

Legal Description of Land (from deed, abstract, tax statement, etc.): _____

North Half of the Northeast Quarter (N12NW14) Section 22 Township 111 North Range 16 West

PROOF OF 100 YEARS OF FAMILY OWNERSHIP

Name	Years of Ownership	Relationship to Original Owner
Original Family Owner Cornelius Malloy	5-4-18	
Next Owner John V. McNamara	4-17-42	Nephew
Next Owner Hugh E. and Anna G. McNamara	7-26-71	Great Nephew
Next Owner Hugh-N-Ann Farms, LP	4-15-2001	Great-great nieces and nephews
Next Owner		

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Timothy F McNamara
 (signature of present owner)

February 15, 2018

(date)

(over)

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From whom was the farm purchased? Eva T. Lawther

How many acres were in the original parcel? 160

What was the cost of the land per acre at time of original purchase? \$57.50/acre

Where was the first family owner born? _____

Did he/she engage in any trades or occupations other than farming? _____

If so, please list _____

Was this a homestead? _____

Is the original home, any portion of it, or any other original buildings still standing? no

When was the present home built? _____

What were the farm's major crops or products? _____

Additional comments _____

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