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Arkansas Century Farm Program Application

(Please print legibly when submitting paper application.)

Name: * _____

Mailing Address: _____

City/State/Zip: _____

Phone: _____

E-mail Address: _____

Date Submitted: _____

*This person will be the primary point of contact during the application process and will receive notification of approval and presentation schedules.

Farm Address: _____

City/State/Zip: _____

County: _____

Legal Description of Land:

The evidence of family ownership provided in this application is taken from one or more of the following records:

____ Abstract of Title ____ Land Patent ____ Wills
____ Original Deed ____ County Land Record ____ Other

- Copies of original documents must accompany this application. Please do not send originals. Documents will not be returned.
- Please highlight appropriate dates, legal descriptions, and ownership on each document.

PROOF OF 100 YEARS OF FAMILY OWNERSHIP – Additional pages may be attached.

- Family ownership does not have to be continuous but must total at least 100 years.
- Please provide supporting documentation for each declared owner.

NAME	DATES OF OWNERSHIP (Month-Day-Year)	RELATIONSHIP
ORIGINAL Owner	FROM _____ TO _____	Relation
Next Owner	FROM _____ TO _____	Relation
Next Owner	FROM _____ TO _____	Relation
Next Owner	FROM _____ TO _____	Relation
Next Owner	FROM _____ TO _____	Relation
CURRENT Owner	FROM _____ TO _____	Relation

How many acres of the original farm are being submitted for qualification as a Century Farm? (A minimum of 10 acres is required.) _____

Does the above acreage contribute toward the current income of the owners from agricultural related activities? Yes _____ No _____

If yes, how? (Ex. Rent, Trees, Crops, Livestock, Etc.)

Are you a Certified Tree Farm? Yes _____ No _____

Has the farm or farm owner received any awards for agricultural stewardship?

Is the original home, any portion of it, or other original building still standing or in use?

Please provide no more than three sentences regarding your farm/family to be read during the Arkansas Century Farm Induction Ceremony.

Example: "Six generations of family have owned land in this small community for more than 100 years. The family is honored to have this great legacy and are instilling the importance of caring for the land to the next generations. The next generation is involved in maintaining the wildlife habitat, learning about conservation, and understanding the value of legacy land."

Farms inducted into the Arkansas Century Farm Program will receive a metal sign. **Please fill in the information below as you would like for it to appear on the sign:**

Name of farm: _____ Year farm was established: _____

Farms inducted into the Arkansas Century Farm Program will also receive a Certificate of Recognition. **Please fill in the information below as you would like for it to appear on the certificate:**

Name of farm: _____

Last name of family/families: _____

I (We) _____
as owner(s) of the land noted, affirm that the statements contained in the Arkansas Century Farm Program application and the accompanying documentation are true and correct regarding the land noted.

I (We), give the Arkansas Department of Agriculture the right to use, copy, and make available all photographs or videotape recordings of me (us) arising from my application and participation in the Arkansas Century Farm Program. I hereby renounce any claim to any payment for or royalty from these photographs or videotape recordings. With regard to any narratives, photographs, and videos that I am providing with my application, I warrant and represent that I own all right, title, and interest in and to the narratives, photographs, and videos or otherwise have the right to license them to the Arkansas Department of Agriculture without infringing or violating any law or right of any third party.

I hereby grant the Arkansas Department of Agriculture a worldwide, non-exclusive, and royalty-free license in perpetuity to use, reproduce, exhibit, transmit, and distribute, including but not limited to all markets and media and advertising, the narratives, photographs, and videos for promoting the Arkansas Century Farm Program and for any other lawful purpose of the Arkansas Department of Agriculture. I hereby waive, release, indemnify, and hold harmless the State of Arkansas, the Arkansas Department of Agriculture, and the Department's Board members, officers, employees, and agents from and forever promise not to sue them on any and all claims, demands, rights, causes of action, liabilities, losses, damages, costs, and expenses (including reasonable attorneys' fees), whether known or unknown, arising out of or in any way relating to the Department's use of the narratives, photographs, and videos for any lawful purpose.

Signature of Applicant(s)

Date

Information for the Arkansas Historic Preservation Program

The Arkansas Historic Preservation Program is interested in collecting as much information as possible about the lives of the farm families who have played such a vital role in Arkansas's development. Responses to the following questions are welcomed and encouraged but are not required for Century Farm certification.

How many acres were in the original parcel?

Where was/were the original owner(s) born?

Where did he/she live before moving to Arkansas? Why and when did they move to Arkansas?
