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Elton A. and Marilyn J. Anderson

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CLATSOP

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April 28, 1998

APPLICATION FOR CENTURY FARM HONORS
Deadline for Filing Application - May 1, 1998

(Please print or type)

Telephone: Redacted for Privacy

Your Name Elton A. & Marilyn J. Anderson

Your Address Redacted for Privacy (Clatsop County)
(Street, Route or Box #, City, Zip, and County)

Location of Farm Township 8N, Range 7W, Section 2, Redacted for Privacy

To qualify as a Century Farm, a farm must have a gross income from farm use of not less than \$1000 per year for three out of the five years immediately preceding application for Century Farm honors. Does your farm meet this qualification? Yes

Name of family member(s) who was founder or original owner of farm: Charles E. Anderson

Founder gained ownership of farm in (year) 1889

(Attach verifying documentation, see Rule 9)

Founder came to Oregon from Sweden

Who farms the land today? Grandson Elton Anderson

Relationship to original owner Grandson

Are any of the original buildings still in use? Yes

If yes, which ones? Machine Shed, Garage & House

If you know crops or livestock raised on farm one hundred years ago, please list Chickens, Pigs, Milk Cow

What do you raise on the farm today? Beef cattle & grass hay

How many generation live on the farm today? none

Please list names _____

Do you declare that the statements made above are accurate and correct to the best of your knowledge? Yes

Elton A. Anderson
Signature of Owner

Please return forms to: Century Farm Program, Oregon
Historical Society, 1200 S. W. Park Ave., Portland, OR 97205
Telephone (503) 306-5215

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Century Farm Program 1998
STATEMENT FORM

I, ELTON A. ANDERSON
hereby affirm and declare that the farm which I own at
TOWNSHIP 8N, RANGE 7W, SECTION 2, Redacted for Privacy
in CLATSOP County,
shall have been owned by my family as specified in Rule 2
of the RULES FOR 1998 CENTURY FARM PROGRAM for at least
one hundred years by no later than December 31, 1998.

Elton A. Anderson
Signature

-----Acknowledgement- for use of Notary Public-----

State of Oregon

County of CLATSOP

Be it remembered, that on this 28TH day of APRIL
1998, before me, the undersigned, a Notary Public in and
for said County and state, personally appeared the within
named ELTON A. ANDERSON
known to me to be the identical individual described in
and who executed the within instrument and acknowledged to
me that HE executed
the same freely and voluntarily.



In Testimony Whereof, I have
set my hand and affixed my
official seal the day and
year last above written.

Ray Rainala
Notary Public for Oregon

My Commission Expires 8/15/2000

ANDERSON FARMS
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Oregon Historical Society
Attn: Rick Read
1230 S. W. Park Avenue
Portland, Oregon 97205

Dear Mr. Read:

We would greatly appreciate your sending us an application
for a Century Farm.

Thank you for your help.

Sincerely,

M. J. Anderson
Marilyn J. Anderson

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Received 3-25-98

Packet Mailed
3-30-98

Elton & Marilyn Anderson
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5 June 1998

Dear Elton & Marilyn,

It gives me great pleasure to inform you that your **Century Farm** application has been approved. Congratulations on receiving this prestigious honor for the Charles E. Anderson Farm, founded in 1889. A total of 23 farm and ranch owners submitted applications this year and *all* of them met the requirements for Century Farm status. This brings our grand total of Oregon Century Farms to 921 (recognized since 1958 when the program started).

Now that all 1998 applications have been reviewed, we can begin the process of creating the award certificates. These special documents, signed by Gov. Kitzhaber and dignitaries from the Oregon Historical Society, will be available in the late summer or fall.

To recognize your family's accomplishment, it's customary that the certificate be presented in a meaningful way. If you already have an event in mind—such as a special family reunion—please share that information with me so I can have your Century Farm certificate ready by that date (and attend if you wish). The Clatsop County Historical Society (325-2203) may be interested in hosting a certificate presentation ceremony, perhaps during a regular meeting or event, when you and other family members can officially receive your Century Farm certificate. These are just some of the options available to you.

If you are interested in sharing recognition of your honor, you may want to purchase a distinctive "CENTURY FARM" sign for your property. Please see the attached fact sheet for the details. The Oregon Historical Society *does not* sell these signs.

Thank you for participating in this popular, and important, heritage program. If you have any questions about the Century Farm Program, please feel free to call me at (503) 306-5215.

Sincerely,

Rick Read
Field Services Coordinator

cc. Mark Tolonen, Clatsop County Historical Society