

CFR 0999

Carl A. Ross

## APPLICATION FOR CENTURY FARM HONORS

Deadline for filing application - May 1, 1990

(please type or print)

telephone: Redacted for PrivacyYour name (Mr., Mrs., Ms., Miss) Carl A. RossYour Address Redacted for Privacy

street, route or box city ZIP code

Location of farm Township 23, Sec. 36, Range 13 Coos County

To qualify as a Century Farm, a farm must have no fewer than 10 acres with a gross income from farm use of not less than \$500 per year for three out of the five years immediately preceding application for Century Farm honors.

Does your farm meet this qualification? yesName of family member who was founder or original owner of farm: Charles Oscar Ross

Founder gained ownership of farm in (year) 1889  
(ATTACH VERIFYING DOCUMENTATION, see rule 9).

Founder came to Oregon from SwedenWho farms the land today? Carl A. RossRelationship to original owner grandson

Are any of the original buildings still in use? no  
If yes, which ones? \_\_\_\_\_

If you know crops or livestock raised on farm one hundred years ago, please list: sheep, cattle, hogs, potatoes

What do you raise on the farm today? cattle; manage, select  
and log trees

How many generations live on the farm today? three

Please list names: Ally Ross, daughter-in-law of Charles Ross;  
Carl & Philis Ross, grandson; Carlee & Marilee Ross, great-grandchildren

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

Carl A. Ross

(signature of owner)

Please return forms to:

Century Farm Program  
Oregon Historical Society  
1230 S. W. Park Avenue  
Portland, OR 97205



STATEMENT FORM

I, Carl A. Ross, hereby affirm  
(print name)

and declare that the farm which I own at Redacted for Privacy  
(full address)

North Bend, Oregon 97459, in Coos County County,

shall have been owned by my family as specified in Rule 2 of the

RULES FOR 1990 CENTURY FARM PROGRAM for at least one hundred years by

no later than December 31, 1990.

Carl A. Ross  
Signature

- - - - - Acknowledgement (for use of Notary Public) - - - - -

STATE OF OREGON

County of Coos

BE IT REMEMBERED, That on this 3 day of January,

19 90, before me, the undersigned, a Notary Public in and for

said County and State, personally appeared the within named

Carl A. Ross

known to me to be the identical individual described in and who

executed the within instrument and acknowledged to me that was

executed the same freely and voluntarily.

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

Stanley A. Leigard  
Notary Public for Oregon

Commission Expires 9-7-91

# STATE OF OREGON.

In Consideration of

*Two Hundred and Forty* Dollars,  
paid to the Board of Commissioners for the Sale of School, University  
and other State Lands, the State of Oregon does hereby grant, bargain  
sell and convey unto *Charles Oscar Ross*

his heirs and assigns, the following described *School* lands  
situate in *Coos* County, Oregon, to-wit:

*The South Half of South West  
Quarter and North West Quarter  
of South West Quarter of Section  
Thirty Six Township Twenty Three  
South Range Thirteen West of the  
Willamette Meridian containing  
120 Acres.*

TO HAVE AND TO HOLD the said premises, with their appurtenances,  
unto the said *Charles Oscar Ross*

his heirs and assigns forever.

WITNESS the Seal of the State, affixed  
this *6<sup>th</sup>* day of *February* 188*9*



*Spencer H. King* Governor.  
*Geo M M. Bride* Secretary.  
*G. W. Webb* Treasurer.

# DEED.

STATE OF OREGON

—TO—

*Charles O. Ross*

STATE OF OREGON, }  
County of *Clatsop* } ss.

I certify that the within was received and  
duly recorded by me in *Clatsop*

County Records, Book of Deeds, Vol. *17*

Page *405* on the *25<sup>th</sup>* day of

*April* A.D. 1889

*J. J. Lamb*

Recorder.

*\$1.00 Paid*

Carl A. Ross  
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Oregon Historical Society  
1230 S. W. Park Avenue  
Portland, OR 97205





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Ron Brentano -  
Oregon Historical Society  
1230 S. W. Park Avenue  
Portland, OR 97205

Dear Mr. Brentano:

Our farm has been in  
our family for 100 years,  
since my grandfather  
purchased it in February, 1889.

I understand your agency  
handles the applications for  
century farms. Would you  
please send me an application  
to register our farm as a  
century farm.

Thank you for your help.

Carl A. Ross

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attn.  
Century Farms  
Hon Brentano  
Oregon Historical Society  
1230 S.W. Park Avenue  
Portland, OR 97205





# Oregon Historical SOCIETY

1230 S.W. PARK AVENUE, PORTLAND, OREGON 97205

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CABLE / HISTORE

March 17, 1989

Mr. Carl A. Ross

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Dear Mr. Ross:

Thank you for your inquiry regarding the Century Farm Program. We are happy to send copies of the rules and application forms for your use.

Since 1958, the Century Farm Program has honored nearly 900 farms in Oregon, recognizing and commending the tremendous achievement of many of Oregon's "first families" in keeping and working farms from generation to generation. The Century Farm certificate is an honorary award and does not confer legal or tax advantages. Qualifying farms receive the certificate, the right to post a metal Century Farm sign outside on the property, and (whenever possible) recognition at a local awards ceremony.

We hope that you will return the enclosed application to us any time before May 1, 1990, which is the deadline for the next award period. Please do not hesitate to ask for our assistance if you need guidance in filling out the forms.

Thank you again for your interest, and we look forward to hearing from you.

Sincerely,

Ron Brentano  
Coordinator, Century Farm Program

Enclosures



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## CENTURY FARM PROGRAM

January 5, 1990

Carl A. Ross

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Dear Mr. Ross:

Thank you for returning the application for Century Farm Honors for the CHARLES OSCAR ROSS FARM.

We have reviewed your application and find that all the information you have provided is complete and correct to qualify your farm for Century Farm status. Please accept our congratulations! This action will initially be published in the next issue of the Oregon Historical Society Newsletter.\*

The awards will be presented in the summer of 1990, and you will be notified of the time and place of the presentation ceremony as soon as this is determined. Whenever possible, we try to coordinate the presentation with a county historical society program. If we are unable to arrange such an event, we will mail the certificate to you or have it available here for you to pick up.

Please do not hesitate to call on me anytime for further information, and thanks for your interest in the Century Farm Program.

Sincerely,

Ron Brentano  
Coordinator, Century Farm Program

\*P.S. I am taking the liberty of enclosing some information concerning membership in the Oregon Historical Society. Because of your interest in history, I think you would really enjoy learning more about the programs, events and services provided by the Oregon Historical Society statewide. On behalf of our 8000+ members, I sincerely invite you to join us!



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## Century Farm Program

September 12, 1990

Carl A. Ross  
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Dear Mr. Ross:

We are very pleased to announce that the Coos County Historical Society Museum has arranged to have your historic Century Farm acknowledged at a reception and program honoring Century Farms in Coos County, to be held at the Coos County Historical Society Museum, Simpson Park, North Bend, on Saturday October 13 at 1 pm. Ann Koppy of the Museum should be shortly contacting you concerning this event.

We now have the certificates back from the calligrapher, who has produced an extremely attractive certificate inscribed with the name **The Charles Oscar Ross Farm, Founded 1889.**

Please let me know if this date is not convenient for you so we can make other arrangements.

Sincerely,

Ron Brentano, Coordinator  
Century Farm Program