

SFR 0003

Ford Farms Inc.

Oregon Agricultural Education Foundation

Sesquicentennial Award Application

Date 10-29-07

Type of designation (please check)

Farm Ranch

Legal owner / Applicant name Ford Farms Inc. / Stephen M. Ford (President)

Mailing address of Legal Owner / Applicant Redacted for Privacy

Telephone Redacted for Privacy E-mail address _____

Contact name (if different than legal owner) _____

Mailing address of Contact _____

Contact Telephone _____ Contact E-mail address _____

Location of farm or ranch (which is the subject of this application):

County Lane

Distance 8 miles from nearest town Eugene OR

Township 18S Range 5W Section 22

Address or physical location of the farm or ranch (which is subject of this application):
Redacted for Privacy

GPS (Global Positioning System) Coordinates, if known: _____

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Please provide the following information.

Founder(s):

Original family owner(s) or founder(s) Stephen Jenkins - DLC # 44

Year this farm or ranch was acquired by founder(s) 1853

Year farm or ranch was awarded Century Farm or Century Ranch status, if applicable 1959

Who farms or ranches the land today? Ford Farms Inc. (family corp.)

Relationship of Applicant to original owner. Please explain lineage.

Family Corporation, consisting of 11 family shareholders that are 5th thru 7th generations

History of buildings:

Are any of the original buildings still in use? Yes No

If yes, please describe the buildings and their former and current use:

Family cemetery, with original owner, and family members

Are any of the buildings listed on the National Register of Historic Places? Yes No
If "yes", please describe:

History of crops or livestock raised on farm or ranch:

Please describe the early crops or livestock. Horses, cows (Beef + Dairy) pigs, sheep, Turkeys, chickens, grains, Hops, hay, silage (corn + grass) Trees.

How many acres were included in original farm or ranch? 641

How did the crops / livestock / use of farm or ranch change over the years?

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History of crops or livestock raised on farm or ranch – Cont'd:

What are crops / livestock raised on the subject farm or ranch today?

feeder cattle, low/calf, horses, pasture, trees

How many acres does the subject farm or ranch include today? 500

How many acres are in agricultural use today? 495 as pasture or growing trees

The Family:

How many generations live on the farm or ranch today? ~~2~~ 3

Please list names and birth years:

Paula Norness 1943
Ken Norness 1943
Lovina Ford - 1932
Stephen Ford - 1951
Jan Ford - 1954
Brian Ford - 1982

Please include a narrative of your family history. Please also submit historical & current photos of the property & family, as available. If photos can be provided in digital format at a high resolution appropriate for publication (300 dpi or greater), it would be appreciated.

Types of information to include in your family history narrative:

- From which city, state, or country original owner moved.
- Generational transfers of the farm or ranch property.
- Significant events in the family (births, deaths, marriages, etc).
- Any major changes to operations (methods of production, etc.).
- Additional information on crops, buildings, other changes from the original farm or ranch.

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Statement of Affirmation

I, Stephen M. Ford - President (Ford Farms Inc.)

hereby affirm and declare that the farm or ranch which I own at Redacted for Privacy

Redacted for Privacy, in the County of Lane

has been owned by my family for at least 150 continuous years, as specified in the qualifications for the Century Farm & Ranch Program / Sesquicentennial Award, on or before December 31 of the current calendar year. Further, I hereby affirm that this property meets all other requirements for Century Farm or Ranch / Sesquicentennial Award honors, including that the farm or ranch has a gross income from farming or ranching activities of not less than \$1,000 per year for three out of the five years immediately preceding making this statement. I understand that the application materials will become property of the Oregon Historical Society Library and be made available for public use. By signing below, I understand that I am consenting to the use of both information and photographs.

Stephen M Ford (President) 10-29-07
Signature of Owner Date

Certification by Notary Public

State of Oregon
County of Lane

Be it remembered, that on this 31 day of October, 2007, before me, the undersigned, a Notary Public in and for said county and state, personally appeared the within named Stephen M. Ford, 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.

Carrie J. Cheatham



Notary Public for Oregon
My Commission Expires April 16, 2011

Fees
Application Fee (includes one certificate) \$ 25.00
Additional Certificates (\$15 each) \$ _____
Total enclosed \$ 25.00

For office use only
Date Received 11/07
Century Farm or Ranch ID No. if on File CFR0170
Not on File _____
Application Approved? Yes No
Authorization GM
Century Farm & Ranch Program Coordinator
OHS Library
MSS 1604 Program ID No. SFR0003

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Oregon Agricultural Education Foundation or OAEF

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