



100 Years of Farming Award Application Form

Landowner's Name: _____

Address: _____

Phone Number: _____

Legal Land Location: _____

Current size of farming/ranching operation: _____

I/We are applying for: Heritage Homestead Award Pioneer Farming Family Award

The Heritage Award is suitable for those who have homesteaded and continuously farmed/ranched the same land for 100 years or more. The Pioneer Award is suitable for families who have lived and farmed/ranched within the County of Grande Prairie for 100 years or more.

Heritage Homestead Award

Date of homestead development: _____

Size of original homestead (minimum 160 acres): _____

Have you attached a copy of the **original** homestead Land Title?
(Please attach document(s))

Yes No

Have you attached a copy of the **current** Land Title?
(Please attach document(s))

Yes No

Have you attached a family tree showing kinship ties?

Yes No

Has the land ever been rented out to non-family members?
(If yes, please go to the Pioneer Farming Family Award section)

Yes No

Is the land still producing agricultural products?

Yes No

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Pioneer Farming Family Award

Date of family arrival: _____

Have you attached proof of date of family arrival? Yes No

(E.g. old homestead records, newspaper articles, archival documents, diary entries, etc.)

Have you attached a family tree showing kinship ties? Yes No

(Please attach document(s))

Are you currently producing agricultural products? Yes No

Please have a long-term County of Grande Prairie resident fill out the following portion to certify your family's presence in the County for the period stated:

I, _____ of _____ hereby affirm that
(name of resident) (location)
the family of _____ have lived/farmed in the County for 100 years, to the best
(name of applicant/family) of my knowledge. I (and my family) have lived in the County for _____ years.

Signature: _____ Date: _____

Have you attached a copy of a Land Title showing ownership of land in the County? Yes No
(Please attach document(s))

If you answered "No", please have the portion below filled out by the person you rent your land from:

I, _____ of _____ hereby affirm
(name of landowner) (location of rented land)
that _____ is renting my land for agricultural production.
(name of applicant/family)

Signature: _____ Date: _____

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Submitting Your Application

Please ensure you have chosen the correct award category (*Heritage Homestead* or *Pioneer Farming Family*) and complete only the questions related to that award.

Heritage Award

- Recognizes farm/ranch families who homesteaded and continuously farmed/ranched the same land for 100 years or more

Pioneer Award

- Recognizes families who have lived and farmed/ranched within the County of Grande Prairie for 100 years or more.

Please review all required documentation and attach it to your application. When finished, submit your completed application and supporting materials to the Agriculture Department using one of the following methods:

- Email to AGFieldman@countygp.ab.ca
- Deliver to 10001-84 Ave, Clairmont, Alberta, T8X 5B2
- Fax to 780-567-5589

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