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Bill Northey
SECRETARY OF AGRICULTURE

In Conjunction with Iowa Farm Bureau Federation

Century Farm Application

Must be postmarked no later than June 1st of year applying

Please Print or Type

* Information submitted on this application is considered public information.

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MAY 25 2016
CENTURY FARMS

Have you or any family member applied for the Century Farm Award for this farm in the past? Yes No

Name of contact person Cheryl A Jacobsen

Address of contact person 3141 Franklin Ave Eagle Grove Ia. 50533
Street address City State Zip

Phone No. ([redacted]) E-mail [redacted]

Name(s) of All Present Farm Owner(s) Cheryl Jacobsen, Frances Johnson,
Benjamin Dencklau, Brittney Dencklau, Heather Weiner

911 address of Century Farm (if none, names of roads surrounding farm, include city) North side of 160th, West of Xavier +

1 mile E of Vincent Ave., Vincent, IA 50594

Township NEWARK Century Farm County Webster

You will be awarded a certificate at the Iowa State Fair in August. What name(s) would you like on this certificate?

DENCKLAU ACRES, INC. Cheryl Jacobsen, Frances Johnson,
Benjamin Dencklau, Brittney Dencklau, Heather Weiner

How would you like your farm announced at the ceremony if different than owners names listed? _____

Please give pronunciation of name(s) Denk-law

Number of acres in the farm: Originally 160 Currently 80

Date your ancestors first purchased this land Feb. 29 1916

Legal description of the land (from deed, abstract or tax statement) or attach copy
The West Half (W 1/2) of the Southeast Quarter (SE 1/4) of Section
Thirty-Five (35), Township Ninety (90) North, Range Twenty-Seven (27)
West of the Fifth P.M.,

List all previous ancestors who owned this land, beginning with the first owner to present:

Name	Relationship to Present Owner
Matthias Dencklau	Great and Great Great Grandfather
William E. Dencklau	" " " "
Raymond A. Dencklau	Father + " "
Irene E. Dencklau	Mother + Grandmother

Information you may be able to add to this form, while not essential to Century Farm Certification, will be most valuable to future historians. The questions below are offered only as a guide, so please feel free to attach any other data, especially family or pioneer stories concerning the farm and area around it.

How did your family originally obtain the land? Gift Homestead Purchase Will

What was the original cost of land per acre? ~~165.00~~ \$165.00

Was your family the first owner/settler on the land? Yes No

Where was the first family owner born? Fehmarn, Germany

Is the original home or other original building still standing or in use? Bare ground

What are the farm's crops or products? Corn & Soybeans

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AUTHORIZATION/NOTARY

I (We), Cheryl JACOBSEN
Being duly sworn, depose and say that the statements on this application are true and correct with regard to the land noted herein.

Cheryl Jacobsen
Signature(s) of Applicant(s)

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19th day of May, 2016.

My Commission Expires: 11-16-16

Rachael Kastler
Notary Public

Please mail to:



Iowa Department of Agriculture and Land Stewardship
Attention: Century Farms
Wallace State Office Building
502 E 9th Street
Des Moines, IA 50319