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CENTURY FARMS

# Heritage Farm

## Application

(150 years or more of ownership)

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\* Information submitted on this application is considered public information.

Name of contact person WM. D. WHITAKER

Have you or any family member applied for the Century Farm Award for this farm in the past?

Yes  No

If yes, what year did your family receive the award. late 70's

Name(s) of All Present Farm Owner(s) WILLIAM D. WHITAKER and

DORIS RUTH WHITAKER DECEASED estate not settled yet.  
(wife)

911 address of Heritage Farm (if none, names of roads surrounding farm, include city) |

Township HARRISBURG Heritage Farm County VAN BUREN

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

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

Please give pronunciation of name(s).

Number of acres in the farm: Originally 80 Currently 80

Date your ancestors first purchased this land 1853 DEC. 29

Local newspaper to be notified of Heritage Farm designation Leader-Record

102 Elm St  
P.O. Box 155  
Farmington Ia

52626-0155

APPLICATION CONTINUED ON REVERSE SIDE

Legal description of the land (from deed, abstract or tax statement) or attach copy

1/2 of the NE 1/4 of Section 1 Harrisburg township  
Van Buren county.

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

Name	Relationship to Present Owner
<u>ROBERT + MARGART BARR</u>	<u>Great grand father</u>
<u>FRANK + MARYBARR WHITAKER</u>	<u>grand father</u>
<u>SAM + LEONA R.S. WHITAKER</u>	<u>father</u>
<u>WM D. WHITAKER . DORIS RUTA WHITAKER</u>	

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**AUTHORIZATION/NOTARY**

I (We), Wm D Whitaker

Being duly sworn, depose and say that the statements on this application are true and correct with regard to the land noted herein.

Wm D. Whitaker

Signature(s) of Applicant(s)

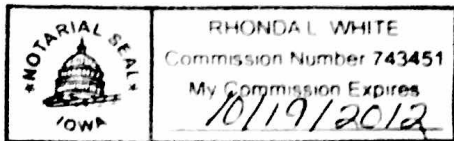
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 21<sup>st</sup> day of May, 2010.

My Commission Expires:

10/19/2012

Rhonda L. White

Notary Public



Please mail to:

**Iowa Department of Agriculture and Land Stewardship**  
**Attention: Century Farms-Heritage Farms**  
**Wallace State Office Building**  
**502 E 9<sup>th</sup> Street**  
**Des Moines, IA 50319**