CENTENARY PIONEER RECOGNITION PROGRAM

THE CENTENARY PIONEER RECOGNITION PROGRAM HONOURS ALL THOSE PIONEERS WHO SETTLED IN EAST CENTRAL ALBERTA PRIOR TO THE FIRST WORLD WAR; THEIR SPIRIT AND PERSEVERANCE HELPED BUILD ALBERTA.

Please complete all sections of this form, retrieve and attach the required documentation and return to the address below by June 30, 2011.

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SECTION 1: APPLICANT (Please print)

Your name __________________________________________________________________
Address _______________________________________ Telephone ___________________
City/ Town _____________________________________ Fax         ___________________
Postal Code _________________ E-mail _______________________________________

Please check: ☐ I am applying to this program for the first time ☐ I have applied to this program before
If I am unavailable to answer questions, please contact: _______________________________________

SECTION 2: TELL US ABOUT THE PERSON(S) YOU ARE NOMINATING (Please print)

When filling out this section, please use the versions of the names and surnames of these people as they were called when they settled in east central Alberta (rather than how they became known in later years).

A. GENERAL INFORMATION

☐ This person was a member of my family.
☐ This person was a resident of east central Alberta who has no known living family.

What best describes the people you are nominating

☐ I am applying for a person who came alone (fill out part B)
☐ I am applying for a family (fill out parts B, C and D)
  ☐ The family consisted of husband and wife (fill out B and C)
  ☐ The family consisted of husband; wife and children (fill out parts B, C and D)
  ☐ This family arrived with other relatives who I would also like to nominate (please use a separate form)
B. INFORMATION ABOUT THE MALE HOUSEHOLDER

His last name in English: _____________________ His first name in English: ____________
His last name in Ukrainian: _____________  His first name in Ukrainian: ___________
His date of birth: ___________ The name of his village and county (selo, povit): __________

When did he settle in east central Alberta? ______ When did he arrive in Canada? ______

What was the name of his community in east central Alberta? __________________________
What was the legal description of his homestead in east central Alberta? (eg. SE-25-59-16-W4)
____ Quarter, Section _____, Township _____, Range _____, West of the Fourth Meridian

C. INFORMATION ABOUT HIS SPOUSE (IF APPLICABLE)

When did they marry? _______________________ Where did they get married? ____________
Her maiden name in English: _________________ Her first name in English: ______________
Her maiden name in Ukrainian: _______________ Her first name in Ukrainian: _____________
Her Date of Birth: _______________ The name of her village and county (selo, povit): __________

D. INFORMATION ABOUT ANY CHILDREN WHO ARRIVED TO CANADA (IF APPLICABLE)

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Please add the names of any additional children who arrived on a separate sheet of paper

SECTION 3: SUPPORTING INFORMATION

(This nomination must be accompanied by copies of any documentation that confirms
the year that these ancestor(s) settled in east central Alberta.)

To verify the information presented in my nomination, I have submitted copies of the following required documents:

- Homestead documents
- Census records
  - For the year 1901
  - For the year 1906
  - For the year 1911
  - For the year 1916

I have also submitted copies of the following documents (recommended if in possession of family):

- Passport/ Travel Records
- Ship Manifest/ Passenger List
- Birth/ Baptismal Certificate
- Marriage Certificate

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I understand that personal information on this form or supplementary information submitted with this form is collected under the authority of the Historical Resources Act and the Centenary Pioneer Recognition Program and is protected by the Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy Act.

I understand that any historical documentation and/or information submitted with this nomination may be deposited into the working collection of the Centenary Pioneer Recognition Program. By checking on each of the following boxes, I also agree that a copy may also be deposited:

- into the working collection of the Ukrainian Cultural Heritage Village Research Programme
- into the working collection of the Alberta-Ukraine Genealogical project;
- as part of the online finding aids, document or photograph collection of the Family History Portal (Alberta-Ukraine Genealogical project) at http://tapor.ualberta.ca/heritagevillage/gene.

I acknowledge that my personal information and copies of the records that I provide along with this nomination will be retained and used only for the purposes outlined on this application or for consistent purposes of this program.

After marking any of the boxes above, I understand I am entitled at any time to opt out and request the information to be removed from any of the respective program’s working collections or online collection of finding aids, documents or photographs (Alberta-Ukraine Genealogical project).

Copies of archival information submitted will be deposited at the Provincial Archives of Alberta according to government records management schedules. Any further questions about the conditions above may be forwarded to:

Radomir Bilash, Project Manager
Alberta-Ukraine Genealogical Project
c/o 3rd Floor, Old St. Stephen’s College
8820-112 Street, Edmonton, AB T6G 2P8

Signed __________________________ Date ______________________

To learn more about the Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy Act and/or the Historical Resources Act, please visit: http://www.qp.gov.ab.ca/index.cfm

Contact the Alberta-Ukraine Genealogical Project
to learn about what finding aids have been developed
to ease your nomination experience!

PLEASE COMPLETE AND RETURN NOMINATION(s) BY JUNE 30, 2011
CENTENARY PIONEER RECOGNITION PROGRAM - 2011 CRITERIA

The Centenary Pioneer Recognition Program honours all pioneer families, Ukrainian and non-Ukrainian alike, who settled in east central Alberta prior to 1915. Eligible pioneers are recognized with Centenary Pioneer Recognition Certificates on Ukrainian Day on August 7, 2011. A year later, their names will appear on a monument at the Ukrainian Cultural Heritage Village as a lasting tribute.

This year we are accepting nominations for people who settled in east central Alberta in 1911 or earlier. Anyone who is interested in participating must submit a completed nomination form to the Alberta-Ukraine Genealogical Project office by June 30th, 2011.

Who can be nominated?

Anyone of Ukrainian or non-Ukrainian origin (including children) who settled in east central Alberta 100 years ago or earlier, within the designated boundaries that today is the study area of the Ukrainian Cultural Heritage Village (see shaded area on attached map). Those who settled between the years 1912 and 1914 may be pre-registered for the appropriate year.

Nominees are not required to be current residents of the original homestead in order to submit a nomination.

Nominations may include extended family or neighbors of ancestral pioneers, provided the necessary documentation is submitted to confirm settlement history of the family.

Information that will appear on the Monument

First and last name of the head of each family; the first name of his spouse (with maiden surname), and the year of settlement in east central Alberta.

For example: Pylypow, Ivan & Maria (Luniw) 1893 Пилипів, Іван і Марія (Лунів)

Any children who arrived with them will be acknowledged on separate lines.

For example: Pylypow, Wasyl 1893 Пилипів, Василь

While we will review your information and recommend any alternative spellings of ancestral names or surnames, the ultimate responsibility for all information submitted will lie with you as the applicant.

Four years remain to nominate pioneers. Register today!

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It will be possible to nominate pioneers who settled in east central Alberta in 1915 or earlier until 2014.
BACKGROUND INFORMATION

- The Alberta Ukraine Genealogical Project was established with the signing of a Memorandum of Understanding on Cooperation between the Province of Alberta and the Lviv Oblast state administration in September of 2005 and former Premier Ralph Klein’s subsequent trip to Ukraine in June 2006.

- Part of the impetus for creating this project was the establishment of a recognition program at the Ukrainian Cultural Heritage Village in 2003, which honours individuals who settled in east central Alberta prior to the First World War. In 2005, the recognition program was expanded to include a permanent monument.

- The success of the Centennial Pioneer Recognition Program resulted in an obvious growth in popularity and awareness of local and family history research.

- This increase in queries from Albertans and Ukrainians who were interested in learning their pre-emigration family history identified a need to streamline, simplify and enhance access to resources in Alberta and in Ukraine.

- The Alberta-Ukraine Genealogical Project now makes it possible for Albertans and Ukrainians to research their family histories, and even find lost relatives, in both Canada and Ukraine.

- Thus far, the Project has undertaken four major initiatives, primarily focused on making public and archival records more readily available to its stakeholders and retrievable in more user-friendly formats:
  1. Development of new Print and Digital Finding Aids
  2. Centenary Pioneer Recognition Program
  3. Reference and Research Services in Alberta and Ukraine
  4. Documentation of Church Properties in Rural Communities of Alberta

- The project continues to develop thanks to a very strong level of community support – moral, financial, and promotional.
Pioneers who settled within the boundaries of the UCHV Study Area are eligible to be recognized by the Centenary Pioneer Recognition Program. The shaded squares represent the homesteads of settlers already listed on the Centenary Monument. Visit www.ukrainianvillage.ca for more information.