



NOMINATION FORM

Canada's Outstanding Young Farmers Program is an annual competition to recognize farmers who exemplify excellence in their profession. Demonstrating leadership in the agricultural industry, nominees are judged according to the following criteria:

- Progress made in their agriculture career
- Environmental and safety practices
- Crop and livestock production history
- Financial and management practices
- Contributions to the well-being of their community, province, nation

Nominees must have an ownership stake in the farm and may be an individual, couple or managing partner/shareholder of a farm group. Nominees may be two partners in a farming operation (i.e. brothers) who meet all the criteria requirements and must be a permanent resident of Canada. Nominee(s) must be responsible for the majority of management decisions in operating the farm. The nominee(s) must derive a minimum of two-thirds of gross personal revenue from farming and not have reached the age of 40 as of January 1st in the year of competition. Over 50% of the farm's income, averaged over the past 3 years, must be derived from the farm's primary production.

Nomination Process: Once the nomination form has been submitted and received, the nominee(s) will be contacted to receive part 2 of the application process, to complete and return either by mail or email. Four top qualifying nominees will be judged at the Regional Awards and the winner will represent Alberta at the National Awards Program.

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I, _____ would like to nominate:

Name(s): _____ of _____ AB,

for Canada's Outstanding Young Farmers Program, Alberta/NWT Region.

Nominator Information

Name: _____

Address: _____

Town: _____

phone/fax: _____

Email Address: _____

Nominee(s) Information

Name(s): _____

Farm Name: _____

Phone/fax: _____

Email Address: _____

Submit this nomination by email, fax, or mail to:

Meaghan Carrier
Alberta Regional Coordinator

Phone: 403.589.3022

Email: OYF2016@gmail.com