

KentuckyHistoricalSociety

Kentucky Folklife Program

*Rural Heritage Development Initiative Central Kentucky Cultural Survey
in partnership with the Department of Folk Studies and Anthropology at
Western Kentucky University*

Interview Information Form

County _____

Interviewee information:

Last name: _____ First name: _____

Middle name: _____ Maiden name _____

Address: _____

Phone: _____ Email: _____

Birth date: Month: _____ Day: _____ Year: _____

Relationship to others interviewed in this project:

Interviewer information/Community Scholar:

Last name: _____ First name: _____

Middle name: _____

Address: _____

Phone: _____ Email: _____

Interviewer information/WKU Student:

Last name: _____ First name: _____

Middle name: _____

Address: _____

Phone: _____ Email: _____

Synopsis: Please describe topical content of the interview in 3-5 sentences. (continue on reverse if necessary)

Keywords: Please list 3 to 7 subjects discussed in the interview.

Interview location (for example, “interviewee’s home”; address not necessary):

Format of interview (please circle one):

60-min. cassette 90 min. cassette 120 min. cassette .mp3 .wav

MiniDisc MiniDV DVD Other (please specify: _____)

Length of interview (in minutes):

Number of tapes or CDs (if applicable):

Archival Code for CD/audio file:

Example:

RHDI.Mercer.8.19.07.Turtleman (last name of interviewee)

Accompanying photos? (Circle Y/N)

(If the answer is yes, please provide photo log).

Proper Names:

Below, please spell out any proper names (people, places, organizations, etc) that come up during the course of the interview.

Note: You may want to jot down names as they come up, but wait until the end of the interview to ask the interviewee for spellings, so as not to break up the flow of conversation.

Objects/Artifacts (with signed “Deed of Gift Form”)

Example:

1. *Turtle shell given to Bev Cox from Turtle Man.* (Include any information about artifact that you know).

Suggestions for future interviews, ethnographic observations, etc gained from this interview (this can help future interviewers or could be something that you might follow up on):

A few very generic examples:

1. *Mr. Tab has several relatives and friends who were/are also tobacco farmers in the area. Interviewing these family members about some of the themes discussed here could help provide a larger picture of tobacco farmers in the region. (List any names if you have them)*
2. *In interviewing Mrs. Musician I learned that most of the people who play at the local country music opry are in their 70s or older. But when I asked Mrs. Musician if there are younger members of her family and community that are involved in music she mentioned that they usually play music ____ (provide any information about what kind of music, where they perform, etc)_____.*

Follow up Questions from this particular interview if applicable:

(Questions you had after listening to the interview follow up questions for future interviewers, etc)

Architectural Notes (please include any information about architecture either included in this research or something that might be relevant to future researchers)

Additional Notes: