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PREFACE

Tolerance, mutual support, living together peacefully, have been well-known virtues of the inhabitants of today's Burgenland for the last sixty years. In order to understand the background of these virtues, it is necessary to look around at the unique geographical, ethnic, religious, and political situations of our province, but also to look back into the history of a border land that has coined its population in the course of centuries in a way that makes today's situation understandable.

The region of Pannonia, later Western Hungary, and now Burgenland was most of the time in the centre of fights and wars, invasions and occupations. Buildings and settlements were exterminated and depopulated, records and documents burned and destroyed. Still, there has always been a new start with new hope and a new development.

People of different origin, of different creed and of different traditions learned how to survive by tolerating and supporting one another, by overcoming their isolation within their own settlement, by opening borders and views to others, by adopting ideas, manners and merits from others, and thus laying the foundation of a peaceful future.

This short paper on the endonymic names of the minority groups in the Burgenland attempts to show up this mutual give and take and at the same time maintaining their independent languages, traditions and mentalities. The variety of cultures in this small province is the main point of success of the survival of its inhabitants.

INTRODUCTION

The Province of Burgenland, Austria

1.0 Situation

1.1 Basic Information

Burgenland has a total area of 1.531 square miles, 29% of which are forest and 5% vineyards, extending 99 miles from north to south, 2.5 to 37 miles from east to west. The federal state border is 247 miles in length.

The highest peak is the Geschriebenstein with a height of 2.900 feet. The largest water area is formed by Lake Neusiedl with its 61 square miles.

The climate is mostly Pannonian with an annual average of 10 degrees Celsius (50 degrees Fahrenheit); the amount of annual precipitation is 26 inches.

Burgenland has 277.600 inhabitants, the population density is 43 inhabitants per square mile. The age structure up to 15 years is 17%, from 15 to 60 years 61%, over 60 years 22%.

The colloquial languages are 90% German, 7% Croatian and 2% Hungarian. The religious affiliation is 82% Roman-Catholics and 14% Protestants.

1.2 Geographical Structure

The North Burgenland Bay comprises the Brucker Pforte, the plain between the Danube and the Leitha rivers, the Parndorfer Platte, the Heideboden, the Seewinkel and the Hanság.

The Central Burgenland comprises the mountainous regions of the Ödenburger Gebirge, the Landseer Gebirge, the Bernsteiner Gebirge, the Günser Gebirge, and the Pullendorfer Becken.

The South Burgenland Riedelland comprises the Lafnitz valley, the Pinka valley, the Schlaininger Hügelland, the Oberwarter Riedelland, the Güssinger Riedelland, and the Jennersdorfer Riedel.

The Neusiedler See, the Zicksee, and the Neufelder See are still water areas. The Neusiedler See is a steppe lake with limited depth that is fed almost entirely by underground sources. The Zicksee, whose water is however salty, is similar. The Neufelder See, a former brown coal open cast mine, is up to 40 meters deep and used as a bathing lake, like the Römersee, the Forchtensteiner Stausee, the Ritzinger Stausee, and the artificial lake in Rauchwart, to mention only the best known of these.

The river Leitha is of greatest importance among the rivers in the districts of Neusiedl and Eisenstadt. The district of Mattersburg is drained by the Wulka river, whose estuary is Lake Neusiedl. The district of Oberpullendorf is dominated by the sphere of influence of the Stooberbach whose estuary is the Rabnitz river. In the district of Oberwart the river Raab is the estuary of the Tauchenbach and the Pinka river. The district of Güssing is characterized by the Zickenbach, the Strembach and the Pinka as a boundary river. Finally the Lafnitz and the Raab drain the district of Jennersdorf.

1.3 History of the Burgenland Region

1.3.1 Prehistorical Finds

The oldest tool finds in the region of present day Burgenland, evidence of human settlement originating from the Stone Age, are approximately 10.000 years old and represent blades, scrapers, drills and lithic spear tips. In the Neolithic Age the "loess farmers", who produced artistic clay vessels, adopted a settled form of existence.

In the Bronze Age, approximately 1.000 B.C., ore was already being mined at the Güns Mountains. Interesting items have been found at warrior graves all over the Burgenland. Clear documentary evidence of wine growing towards the end of the Bronze Age in northern Burgenland is provided by finds of grape seeds in vessels.

In the Burgenland, some elevated fortresses from the Hallstatt Age, around 600 B.C., have been excavated. There craftsmen in the service of princes of the region produced all sorts of utensils.

In the fifth century B.C. Celts settled in our country. They extracted and processed iron especially in present day Central Burgenland. Numerous smelting furnaces have been excavated.

1.3.2 Roman Era

Around the birth of Christ the Romans conquered the Danube region and established provinces. Today's Burgenland was situated in the province of Pannonia. The most fertile lands were expropriated for the veterans. Roman civilization radiated out from these estates into the environment. Soon a dense network of roads, estates and cities covered the province. Roman cults also advanced along with civilisation, as witnessed today by altars to different Gods and tombstones. Christianity was also introduced into Pannonia by Roman legionaries. The patron saint of the Burgenland, St Martin, was born in Savaria (Steinamanger / Szombathely) about 316 A.D. as a Roman officer's son. After his conversion to Christianity he became bishop of Tours in France in 371 A.D.

1.3.3 Germanic Migrations

After the fall of the Roman Empire, at the time of the Germanic migrations, the region of present day Burgenland became the dominion of the East Goths. They protected the boundaries in the service of the East Roman emperor Theodoric. The population lived in relative peace, as is also shown by finds of beautiful jewellery.

Around 550 the Northern and Central Burgenland were under the sovereignty of the Longobards. They settled in former Roman settlements and survived mainly from cattle breeding. Twenty years later they were banished by the Awarians. The Awarians, an Asian mounted tribe, were almost invincible because they were armed with reflex action bows. With the aid of the nations they had subjected, they extended their settlement area up to the river Enns in Upper Austria and Styria. In our region, they granted protection to Slav settlers, who merged with them into a mixed nation. In the Burgenland, 850 Awarian graves, containing many utensils, jewellery and arms, have been excavated up to now.

Under Charlemagne the Awarian Empire was conquered in about 795. The new lords were Bavarian and Franconian colonizers and monasteries leading to the cultivation of new regions.

1.3.4 Glorious Conquest

In 896 the so-called "Glorious Conquest" of the Carpatian Basin by the Magyars took place. They were partially nomadic, living from stock breeding. Only much later did they actually settle. Their tribal chiefs were buried with remarkable splendour. Valuable pieces of jewellery have been found in graves sites in today's Burgenland.

After the victory of the German Emperor Otto I over the Magyars at the Lechfeld in 955 the Leitha-Lafnitz-Boundary was formed, which handed the region of present day Burgenland over to Hungary until 1921. Around the turn of the millennium, Saint Stephen I ruled Hungary as a king. He converted his people to Christianity and through the foundation of the Hungarian state divided the Slavs into separate regions. To protect the land against German attacks, the Hungarians constructed a protected zone, the so-called "Gyepü Belt" in the area round the border. From fortified vantage points lookouts were to announce the approach of hostile forces.

In the 12th and 13th centuries more and more noble gentlemen from the west received donations of property from the Hungarian king. They introduced colonists from Bavaria, Franconia and Swabia into the country in order to clear and settle it.

After the so-called onslaught of the Mongolians in 1241, the wooden vantage points were replaced by strong castles. But thus the power of the lords of the manor that owned these castles was increased.

The Hungarian king Mathias Corvinus did indeed emerge victorious from the quarrel between Austria and Hungary about Western Hungary, today's Burgenland. However, many lands belonging to the Hungarian kingdom remained Hapsburg possessions and were therefore mortgaged to Austrian noblemen. Most of the ancient noble Hungarian dynasties were taken over by German lords of the manor, so that German remained the national language.

1.3.5 Turkish Wars

It was not until the 17th century, in the course of the Turkish wars, that these domains were returned to the Hungarians. After the death of Ludovic II of Hungary in the battle of Mohács against the Turks in 1526, the Turks overran Hungary in 1529 and advanced as far as Vienna. The victory of the western allies at the battle of

Mogersdorf in 1664 only checked them temporarily. In 1683 they again stood at the gates of Vienna. In the meantime Kuruzz, Haiduck and Bethlen rebels looted Western Hungary.

After the death tolls of the Turkish Wars and of several plague epidemics, workers were needed urgently everywhere. Reformation and Counter-Reformation as well as the witch hunts also claimed the lives of many people. The largest group of new settlers were the Croats, followed by religious fugitives such as Protestants and Jews. In the 17th century there also emerged increasing numbers of gypsies or Roma. Poverty among the population led to peasant revolts which were bloodily crushed.

In the Age of Absolutism, churches, huge parks, splendid baroque buildings, garden castles, but also town houses were built. In music, Joseph Haydn (1732 – 1809), the court conductor of Prince Nicolas I Eszterházy, was the internationally recognized zenith of the era.

The French invasions of 1805 in Northern Burgenland again entailed oppression, especially for the peasants, since the cost of food and lodging was borne by the civilian population. It was not until the revolutionary year of 1848 that land servitude was abolished for farmers. Rural communities came into existence.

1.3.6 Industrial Age

The Industrial Age of the 19th century brought an expansion of roads and railroads in order to connect the industrial plants of Western Hungary with Austria. Tentative signs of tourism connected with health cures in our region could be recognized. In agriculture seasonal work began, industrial commuting developed in the fringe areas. In 1874, the Social Democratic Party of Austria was founded in Neudörfl, which at that time of course was part of Hungary. Nevertheless, there were not enough jobs for the majority of the West Hungarian population. A wave of emigration resulted that lasted into the thirties of the 20th century.

1.3.7 Origin of Burgenland

In the negotiations of Saint Germain after the First World War, Western Hungary – with purposeful support of the United States of America – was allocated to Austria after a referendum. Only after the deployment of Austrian troops could the occupation of the Burgenland be completed in 1921. However, the intended capital Ödenburg remained with Hungary on account of the voting results. The final demarcation did not occur until 1923. The new Austrian province was given the name "Burgenland". Its economic development made very slow progress on account of the bad economic situation worldwide.

The political contrasts between the middle class and the workers led to the foundation of combat units within political parties throughout Austria. The "shots of Schattendorf" with two dead Social Democrats and the acquittal of the middle class gunman in January 1927 led to a revolt of the workers in Vienna and to the Law Court being set on fire on June 15, 1927. The situation escalated into the Civil War of 1934. In the State of the Three Orders (1934 – 1938) the National Socialist underground movement gained strength in Burgenland as well.

1.3.8 Nazi Era

On the 12th of March 1938 the German Wehrmacht invaded Austria. In Burgenland, Gauleiter (District Head) Dr Tobias Portschy took power. Burgenland was dissolved as early as October and divided up between the districts Niederdonau (today's Lower Austria) and Styria. In 1939 the Second World War began.

In the Nazi Era oppression, persecution and eviction of Jews, Roma, and other non-conformists went hand in hand with the compulsory handover of economic goods. In the final war years, not only the battles at the front but also bomb raids by the allies and the defensive actions of the "Volkssturm" (squads of children and pensioners) caused the deaths of more and more victims from the Burgenland population.

1.3.9 Post War Development

At the end of March 1945 the first Russian soldier set foot on Burgenland soil at Klostermarienberg. The Russians remained as an occupation power in Burgenland for ten years and exploited the country economically. Politically, Burgenland was restored as a province in its own right, but was separated from the central and western Austrian provinces by the demarcation borderline.

With the signing of the State Treaty in 1955 Burgenland was also a free country. Economically however, it limped a long way behind the other Austrian provinces. Demands for a land reform remained unfulfilled. However, the country tried hard to create new jobs through building activities.

The Hungarian Revolt in 1956 was the practical test for the country. Despite the volatile political situation worldwide the Burgenland population remained in the country and supported the Hungarian refugees wholeheartedly. In 1989, after the fall of the Iron Curtain, history was repeated with a mass flight of East German citizens from Hungary via the Burgenland.

1.3.10 Present Political Situation

Since the first elections after World War II in 1945 the ÖVP (Conservatives) had held the majority in the Burgenland regional parliament. The change of political power to the SPÖ (Social Democrats) took place in 1964. In the "Kery Era" there was a tremendous boom in the Burgenland economy. It was not until various crises and scandals became known that the absolute majority of the Socialists was ended.

In the election of 1987 the SPÖ remained the strongest party, but had to enter a coalition with the ÖVP, after a pact between ÖVP and FPÖ (National Freedom Party) did not come about. After the resignation of Governor Hans Sipötz because of the "Waldheim Affair", Karl Stix took over the function of governor. Co-operation with the ÖVP was established on the basis of a working agreement. Stix together with Deputy Gerhard Jellasitz undertook structural measures to boost the Burgenland.

Both parties recognized a special opportunity for Burgenland if Austria joined the European Union, since Burgenland was classified as an objective-one-region. Actually, the Austrian referendum on joining the EU achieved the best results (75%) in Burgenland. The "Land of the Villages" was to become a "Land for Living" for a

population with its own identity. Industry, trade, tourism, wine production and marketing were to be enlarged as the pivotal forces of Burgenland's economy.

The "Bank Burgenland Scandal" changed the political landscape in the autumn of 2000. Governor Stix as the representative of the bank owners accepted the political responsibility for the fraud. Thus the dissolution of the provincial parliament could be unanimously decided. In the following election surprisingly the almost unknown Social Democratic candidate Hans Niessl won the majority of votes and with the help of the Green Movement became governor. Continuing the political line he became rather popular and also won the next election in 2005, even with an absolute majority of votes and seats.

2.0 Politics and Administration

2.1 Provincial Administration

The Burgenland Landtag (provincial parliament) is elected every 5 years and contains 36 seats. The established political parties in Burgenland are the SPÖ (Social Democrats) with 19 seats, the ÖVP (Conservatives) with 13 seats, the FPÖ (National Freedom Party) and the Green Movement with 2 seats each.

The provincial government is formed by 7 members; according to the provincial constitution it is a coalition government formed by 4 Social Democrat and 3 Conservative ministers.

2.2 District Administration

The seven districts are administered by district administration authorities each with a public servant as a head appointed on a permanent basis; in addition, there are two chartered cities in the province, Eisenstadt, which is also the capital, and Rust.

2.3 Cities and Municipalities

Burgenland has 13 cities; in addition to the district cities of Eisenstadt, Neusiedl am See, Mattersburg, Oberpullendorf, Oberwart, Güssing and Jennersdorf, the other cities are Frauenkirchen, Purbach, Rust, Neufeld, Pinkafeld and Stadtschlaining.

The 171 municipalities, comprising 290 village areas, are administered by village councils elected every five years, presided over by a separately elected mayor.

3.0 Ethnic Groups

The Burgenland is a multilingual country: about 85% of its 277.570 inhabitants only speak German, Approximately 25.000 people speak and understand Croatian, 16.500 speak Hungarian, and about 4.000 speak Romanes. Approximately 15% of the population are bi- or multilingual.

Today we still find the following ethnics groups almost all over the Burgenland:

3.1 Hianzen

The German speaking majority of the Burgenland has preserved its dialect to a great extent. A recognized ethnic group of "Hianzen" does not exist, however.

The Hianzic "ui-dialect" was the regional basic German language up to the 16th century. Since then its has developed differently in the individual regions on account of city or border proximity and assimilation. In the Seewinkel, the region southeast of Lake Neusiedl, the expression "Hoadbauern" was customary for the inhabitants around Frauenkirchen and Halbturn, whose dialect had developed into a different direction. In the southern districts of Oberpullendorf, Oberwart and Güssing the "Hianzendeutsch" remained preserved in its most genuine form. Generally the Austrian lingua franca, a rather urban dialect, has asserted itself throughout the past decades.

3.2 Croats

In the 16th century, after the Turkish Wars, the settlement of the Croats in Burgenland was carried out in several waves. By the beginning of the 17th century about 300.000 Croats had immigrated. As they were mostly placed in deserted villages between German and Hungarian environments, linguistically stagnated enclaves with their own peculiar vocabulary developed. In the following centuries, these enclaves became smaller and smaller. The Croats were partly assimilated because the villages opened to the outside world and also through marriages and commuting workers.

Today there are hardly any purely Croatian-speaking villages left. Even in church, German masses are celebrated in addition to Croatian masses. However, the Ethnic Minority Education Act has guaranteed the Croats the right to instruction in their mother-tongue. In Oberwart a bi-lingual federal grammar school has been established that also offers Croatian and Hungarian as languages in which lessons are conducted in addition to German. The College for International Economic Relations in Eisenstadt also offers Croatian as a course of studies.

Bi-lingual street names can be encountered in some Croatian municipalities, bi-lingual place names have been set up on July 1, 2000.

3.3 Hungarians

The Hungarian enclaves can be traced back to the border guard settlements of the 12th century. Because of new settlements of German speakers in their environment they were cut off from their Hungarian mother-country and evolved in linguistic isolation. In the 19th century, at the time when the Burgenland was being magyarized by force, they once again experienced a revival. But after the Burgenland became part of Austria and especially after the introduction of communism into Hungary, there was no contact to the former mother-country left.

There was hardly any mutual contact on account of the different religious affiliations in the individual Hungarian-speaking municipalities. Therefore, local peculiarities developed with regard to language and customs.

The Burgenland Hungarians were not recognized as an ethnic group until 1976. This had an impact on the school system. From the kindergarten onwards Hungarian is also spoken in addition to German at about 20 elementary schools. At secondary schools, Hungarian is offered as an optional subject. At the bi-lingual federal grammar school in Oberwart Hungarian is offered in addition to German and Croatian as a language in which lessons are conducted. The College for International Economic Relations in Eisenstadt also offers Hungarian as a course of studies.

3.4 Roma

The Roma (formerly called gypsies) were an itinerant people with their own culture and language originating in India. They came to Europe in the 9th century and were already mentioned in the 14th century as roaming groups of people in the West Hungarian region. After the Turkish Wars they remained partially nomadic in our country as former musicians, blacksmiths and armourers for the Turkish troops. In the summer, they moved from place to place as horse traders and tinkers, in the winter they led a settled life. In the Nazi Era almost two thirds of the 8.000 Roma living in Burgenland were deported to concentration camps and killed. Their homes were torn down. After 1945 the survivors were placed into ghetto-like settlements on the outskirts of villages.

In 1993 the Roma were accepted as an ethnic group. Thus, the particularities of Roma customs and language can be preserved for the future.

3.5 Burgenlanders Abroad

The migration movement in Burgenland began in the 18th century with the migration of agricultural workers, and was then increased in the 19th century by the migration to America and is continued by commuting nowadays. The uneconomical tiny agricultural farms, the lack of jobs in trade and industry and the excessive population growth at the turn of the century can be regarded as the main reasons. On the other hand the demand for workers in intensive agriculture or industrial areas motivated people to emigrate.

Vienna, where about 40.000 Burgenlanders are living at present, is in the forefront with regard to migration, followed by Styria, Vorarlberg and Upper Austria. Within Europe after an emigration wave of agricultural workers to Germany in the thirties of the twentieth century a selective emigration movement into Switzerland developed in the fifties and sixties, still borne out today by the numerous Austrian and Burgenland communities there.

With regard to migration to America, Burgenland is the most important emigrant region in the whole of Austria. From 1850 to 1914, 33.000 Burgenlanders left their homes; 24.000 in the time between the Wars. In the twenties each eleventh German speaking passenger aboard an emigration liner came from the district of Güssing alone. At the beginning of the thirties, there was a wave of emigration especially from the district of Mattersburg to South Africa. Virtually no re-migration rate can be ascertained in this case. Subtracting the re-migration rate, the permanent migration loss to overseas amounts to at least 52.000 people. 100.000 Burgenlanders and their descendants lived in America at the end of the seventies, of these 80% in the United

States, 12% in Canada, 2% in Brazil, 5% in Argentina, the rest in some other states of the South American continent.

In the States 20.000 former Oberwart citizens still live in Chicago today, South Bend is a self-contained settlement of Croats from the district of Oberpullendorf. Emigrants especially from the district of Güssing live in Lehigh County in Pennsylvania with its centre Allentown. The centre of the emigrants of the Strem- and Pinka- valleys is still formed by Passaic in New Jersey today. In New York, Burgenland emigrants live and work mainly in the Bronx.

In Canada the Burgenlanders of the latest emigrant generation mainly live in the region of Toronto.

The most preferred settlement areas in South America are Buenos Aires, Sao Paolo, Santos and other cities on the east coast. However, there are no self-contained settlements of the Burgenlanders.

In Australia you will find Burgenland emigrants especially in Sydney and Melbourne, a few Burgenlanders also emigrated to New Zealand.

Those Burgenlanders who had to flee to Israel in the Nazi Era for political reasons represent a special case. A settlement near Jerusalem by the name of Kyriat Mattersdorf still exists today.

After the Second World War, migration mostly occurred in single cases because of economic or social reasons; today even the number of weekly commuters is decreasing on account of the good traffic connections.

4.0 Religious Groups

The religious groupings are closely intertwined with the ethnic groups historically. Beside the great majority of German speaking believers practically all Croats and Roma are Roman Catholic, The Lutheran Protestants (A.C.) are all German speaking, the Reformed Protestants (H.C.) are all Hungarian speaking. All municipalities with a Hungarian majority or a strong Hungarian minority are Reformed Protestants with the exception of Siget in der Warth, which was a place of retirement for Lutheran gentry.

4.1 Roman Catholics

Since the end of the Counter-Reformation the majority of the Burgenland population has belonged to the Catholic faith. In the north the Eszterházys as patrons supported church and school buildings. Until 1921 elementary school education was in the hands of the church.

It was not until 1922, with the Apostolic Administrature of the Burgenland, that an independent administrative area was created. In 1960, due to the efforts of the apostolic administrator Stephan László, the Administrature was elevated to the status of a diocese. László became the first diocesan bishop of the Burgenland. The good co-operation with the Protestant churches was continued and extended by his successor, Bishop Paul Iby.

4.2 Protestants (AC and HC)

After the Reformation had taken effect in Western Hungary in the second half of the 16th century, the only decisive factor for the West Hungarian magnates' return to Catholicism was regaining their political power. In Northern Burgenland the Eszterházys officially decreed the change of belief to their subjects. Only the possessions of minor noblemen remained Protestant. In the south the Batthyánys did not proceed so severely against their subjects; therefore, in many of their villages, Lutheranism has survived up to today. In the 19th century the Protestant parish priest Gottlieb August Wimmer strengthened Protestantism in the south by the foundation of a school for the needy in Oberschützen. In 1924 the Superintendence for Burgenland was established, which retained its name even in the Nazi Era. In 1956 the Superintendence in Eisenstadt was opened. In 1994, for the first time in the Protestant Church of Austria, a woman, Gertraud Knoll, was elected superintendent. Her successor, Manfred Koch, is a warrant for the excellent co-operation with the other Christian churches in Burgenland.

In Oberwart, with 1.400 parishioners, a Hungarian-speaking parish of the Reformed Church of the Helvetian Faith has been preserved.

4.3 Jews

A Jewish community had already existed in Eisenstadt in the Middle Ages. In the 16th and 17th centuries the lords of the manor allowed the foundation of Jewish communities in 14 villages. Since the Jewish population centred their activities on marketing and banking, they were not especially popular in economically hard times. Jewish shops and businesses were constantly looted.

In 1938, the officially planned measures for the later "final solution" began in the Burgenland as well. Almost all the synagogues were destroyed, Jewish citizens were excluded from public life. Children were forbidden to attend school; wearing the "Jewish star" became obligatory. The 4.000 Burgenland Jews received their expulsion orders in 1938. Most of them were taken in by the Viennese community of the Jewish faith. In 1942, their transportation to the extermination camps began. Only few of the survivors of the holocaust returned to the Burgenland after the War. The synagogues in Eisenstadt, in Kobersdorf and Stadtschlaining as well as the Jewish Museum in Eisenstadt still remind us of the history and culture of our Jewish fellow citizens.

5.0 Minority Legislation in Austria

Until today no legal definition of the term "minority" has been found, a basic consent about the conditions of the existence of a minority worth being protected does exist, however:

- 1) numeric inferiority
- 2) non-dominant position in society
- 3) objective ethnic/linguistic/religious differences from the majority population and
- 4) same citizenship

The state obligations resulting from the international right standards of minority protection are, however, mainly of negative nature, like protection from encroachment. While the use of minority languages when dealing with authorities and law-courts is only guaranteed with regard to international law and also the right of autonomy can be scarcely derived from international right, the freedom of professing oneself to a minority is not doubted anymore.

The minority rights in Austria begin in 1920 with the embodiment of those minority rights in the constitution that had been taken over from the State Basic Act of 1867, they continued in the Ethnic Groups Act of 1976 up to the recent National Objective Determination of August 2000, that stipulates "the protection of the variety". The restriction of the minority rights to certain groups is in particular determined by four criteria:

- 1) non-German mother tongue and their own tradition
- 2) Austrian citizenship
- 3) home settlement in Austria (pointing at autochthonous minorities that have lived for at least a century in their "traditional settlement area" in Austria) and
- 4) group consciousness.

On the other hand the minority right in Austria does not at all refer to relative population numbers, the only exception are the obligatory bi-lingual place name signs from a linguistic minority portion of 25 % onward.

Although the historic minority term up to about 1918 means only religious minorities, the Austrian Ethnic Groups Act of 1976 does not refer to religious minorities at all. Nevertheless at least the intellectual combination of ethnic minorities and their affiliation to certain religious communities is still implicitly given in Austria. Legally, there exist strong parallels to the religious freedom valid both for the affiliation to religious communities and to ethnic groups. On the other hand religious rights are not only restricted to citizens of Austria and often have stronger collective character than minority rights (common practising of religion).

The "new minorities" in Austria, comprising those people that have immigrated after the Second World War, suffer particularly from the results of the so-called "symbolic" policy that was practised in the hectic legislation concerning foreigners in the first half of the nineties. Extremely dubious relations to already resident immigrants manifested themselves particularly in the Act of Residence of 1993 which kept his restrictive character up to the amendment of 1995. Finally these legal handicaps were entirely removed in the new Act on Foreigners in 1997. Since the coming into effect of the Contract of Amsterdam to the European Union and the step-by-step extension of the community competences to migration policies the room for manoeuvre has become smaller for the national immigration policy.

The rights of the Burgenland ethnic minorities are laid down in the following European and federal Austrian laws:

European Charter of Regional or Minority Languages with Comments 2001 (Europäische Charta der Regional- oder Minderheitensprachen samt Erklärungen) BGBI. III Nr. 216/2001

Austrian State Treaty 1955 (Staatsvertrag Artikel 7 Abs. 3) BGBI. Nr. 152/1955 (zuletzt geändert durch BGBI. III Nr. 179/2002):

According to article 7 figure 3 of the State Treaty the Burgenland Croats have the right to use the Croatian language as an official language in districts with a Croatian or a mixed population. Thus the Croatian language is approved in following municipalities as an official language beside the German language:

In the district of Eisenstadt:
Hornstein/Vorištan
Klingenbach/Klimpuh
Oslip/Uzlop
Siegendorf/Cindrof
Steinbrunn/Štikapron
Zillingtal/Celindof
Trausdorf/Trajštof
Wulkaprodersdorf/Vulkaprodrštof
Zagersdorf/Cogrštof.

In the district of Güssing: Güttenbach/Pinkovac Neuberg im Burgenland/Nova Gora Stinatz/Stinjaki.

In the district of Mattersburg: Antau/Otava Baumgarten/Pajngrt Drassburg/Rasporak.

In the district of Neusiedl am See: Neudorf/Novo Selo Pama/Bijelo Selo Parndorf/Pandrof.

In the district of Oberpullendorf:
Frankenau-Unterpullendorf/Frakanava-Dolnja Pulja
Großwarasdorf/Veliki Borištof
Kaisersdorf/Kalištrof
Kroatisch Minihof/Mjenovo
Nikitsch/Filež.

In the district of Oberwart: Rotenturm at the Pinka/Verešvar Schachendorf/ Čajta Schandorf/ Čemba Weiden bei Rechnitz/Bandol. Act of Ethnic Groups 1976 (Volksgruppengesetz § 2 Abs. 1) BGBI. Nr. 396/1976 Act of Education for Minorities for the Burgenland 1994 (Minderheiten-Schulgesetz für das Burgenland) BGBI. Nr. 641/1994

Amendment of the Decree on Ethnic Groups' Advisory Councils (Änderung der Verordnung über die Volksgruppenbeiräte) BGBI. Nr. 425/1992 und Nr. 895/1993:

The task of the ethnic groups' advisory councils, established in the course of the Ethnic Groups Act and making up the most important forum of the Austrian national ethnic groups policy, is regulated as follows:

§ 3 (1) As an advisory service for the Federal Government and the Federal Ministers in matters of ethnic groups, ethnic groups' advisory councils are to be established at the Federal Chancellor's Office. They have to protect and to represent the cultural, social and economic overall interest of their respective ethnic group and are to be consulted within an adequate period of time in particular before enacting legal regulations and on general plans of promotion affecting interests of the ethnic groups. The ethnic groups' advisory councils can also make propositions for the improvement of the situation of their respective ethnic group and its members.

Amendment of the Act of Education for Minorities for the Burgenland 1998 (Änderung des Minderheiten-Schulgesetzes für das Burgenland) BGBI. I Nr. 136/1998

Amendment of the Federal Constitution Act 2000 (Bundesverfassungsgesetz Änderung)
BGBI. I Nr. 68/2000

Decree on Hungarian as an Official Language 2000 (Verordnung Amtssprache Ungarisch) BGBI. II Nr. 429/2000:

In paragraph 2 it states:

Additionally to the German language the Hungarian language is admitted as an official language with local institutions in the following municipalities:

In the district of Oberpullendorf: The municipality of Oberpullendorf / Felsőpulya

In the district of Oberwart:
The municipalities of Oberwart / Felsőőr
Rotenturm an der Pinka / Veresvar
Unterwart / Alsóőr

Topography Decree Burgenland 2000(Topographieverordnung Burgenland) BGBI. II Nr. 170/200

It says:

§ 1. In the following parts of regions names and inscriptions of topographical nature attached by regional authorities or by other corporations and institutions of public right have to be attached in both German and Croatian languages as follows:

1. In the administration district of Eisenstadt-Umgebung in the municipalities of:

Hornstein Vorištan
Klingenbach Klimpuh
Oslip Uzlop
Siegendorf Cindrof
Steinbrunn Štikapron
Trausdorf an der Wulka Trajštof

Wulkaprodersdorf Vulkaprodrštof Zagersdorf Cogrštof Zillingtal Celindof

In the administration district of Güssing in the municipalities of:
 Güttenbach Pinkovac
 Neuberg im Burgenland Nova Gora
 Stinatz Stinjaki

3. In the administration district of Mattersburg in the municipalities of:

Antau Otava
Baumgarten Pajngrt
Drassburg Rasporak

4. In the administration district of Neusiedl am See in the municipalities of:

Neudorf Novo Selo Pama Bijelo Selo Parndorf Pandrof

5. In the administration district of Bezirk Oberpullendorf in the municipality of

Frankenau-Unterpullendorf in the village areas of

Frankenau Frakanava Großmutschen Mučindrof Kleinmutschen Pervane Unterpullendorf Dolnja Pulja in the municipality of Großwarasdorf in the village areas of Veliki Borištof Großwarasdorf Kleinwarasdorf Mali Borištof Langental Longitoli Nebersdorf Šuševo in the municipality of Kaisersdorf Kalištrof

in the municipality of Nikitsch in the village areas of

Kroatisch Geresdorf Gerištof
Kroatisch Minihof Mjenovo
Nikitsch Filež
in the municipality of Weingraben Bajngrob

6. In the administration district of Oberwart:

in the municipality of Markt Neuhodis in the village area of
Althodis Stari Hodas
in the municipality of Rotenturm an der Pinka in the village area of
Spitzzicken Hrvatski Cikljin

in the municipality of Schachendorf in the village areas of Dürnbach im Bgld Vincjet Schachendorf Čajta in the municipality of Schandorf Čemba in the municipality of Weiden bei Bechnitz in the village are

in the municipality of Weiden bei Rechnitz in the village areas of Allersdorf im Bgld Ključarevci Allersgraben Širokani Mönchmeierhof Marof Oberpodgoria Podgorje

Parapatitschberg Parapatićev Brig

Podler Poljanci
Rauhriegel Rorigljin
Rumpersdorf Rupišće

Unterpodgoria Bošnjakov Brig

Weiden bei Rechnitz

Zuberbach

Bandol
Sabara

§ 2. In the following parts of regions names and inscriptions of topographical nature attached by regional authorities or by other corporations and institutions of public right have to be attached in both German and Hungarian languages as follows:

1. In the administration district of Oberpullendorf:

in the municipality of Oberpullendorf Felsőpulya

2. In the administration district of Oberwart:

in the municipality of Oberwart in the village area of

Oberwart Felsőőr

in the municipality of Rotenturm an der Pinka in the village area of

Siget in der Wart Őrisziget

in the municipality of Unterwart in the village area of Unterwart Alsóőr

Finding V 64/05-11of the Federal Constitutional Court of December 12, 2005

The finding states that a municipality with an ethnic minority percentage of more than 10 % must be qualified as an administration unit in the sense of Article 7 figure 3 of the State Contract. Consistently the Ethnic Groups' Advisory Council of the Croats has determined that bi-lingual topographical inscriptions be attached within the year 2006 in the administration district of Güssing

in the municipality of Hackerberg - Stinjački Vrh

in the municipality of Heugraben - Žarnovica

in the municipality of Heiligenbrunn in the village area of Reinersdorf - Žamar in the municipality of Kukmirn in the village area of Eisenhüttl - Jezerjani in the municipality of Tobaj in the village area of Kroatisch Tschantschendorf - Hrvatska Čenča

EXPOSITION

6.0 Topographical Names of the Burgenland Ethnic Groups

When in the year 2000 the Topography Decree for Burgenland regulated the attachment of names and inscriptions of topographical nature attached by regional authorities or by other corporations and institutions of public right, this meant in practice that in all the municipalities and village areas mentioned above bi-lingual place name signs were erected on the 1st of July, 2000.

Besides, many more place names, but also street names, area names, property names, and other topographical names have been in use within the various ethnic groups for centuries.

Unfortunately, Roma place names have not been thoroughly researched into yet – thus our records are restricted to only those Romanes names that have been recorded so far.

6.1 Place Names

Historically seen many municipalities in the Burgenland had at least two names, an official Hungarian place name and in German settlements, a German name as well.

Croatian settlements had an additional Croatian place name from the 17th century on, but the Croatian new settlers also gave neighbouring villages or important settlements situated further off Croatian names as identification points.

The following list of Burgenland official bi-lingual municipality names was therefore generally twofold up to 1921, in Croatian settlements mostly threefold:

<u>Hungarian</u>	German	<u>Croatian</u>
Alsópulya	Unterpullendorf	Dolnja Pulja
Bándol	Weiden bei Rechnitz	Bandol
Barátmajor	Mönchmeierhof	Marof
Borisfalva	Kleinwarasdorf	Mali Borištof
Borosd	Weingraben	Bajngrob
Bosnákhegy	Unterpodgoria	Bošnjakov Brig
Büdöskut	Steinbrunn	Štikapron
Cinfalva	Siegendorf	Cindrof
Csajta	Schachendorf	Čajta
Császárfalu	Kaisersdorf	Kalištrof
Csém	Schandorf	Čemba
Darázsfalu	Trausdorf an der Wulka	Trajštof
Darufalva	Drassburg	Rasporak
Frankó	Frankenau	Frakanava
Füles	Nikitsch	Filež
Füsthegy	Rauhriegel	Rorigljin
Gyirót	Kroatisch Geresdorf	Gerištof
Inczéd	Dürnbach im Burgenland	Vincjet

Kelénpatak Klingenbach Klimpuh Baumgarten Kertes Pajngrt Bijelo Selo Körtvélyes Pama Langató Longitoli Langental Šuševo Ligvánd Nebersdorf Lulcsárfalu Allersdorf im Burgenland Ključarevci Malomház Kroatisch Minihof Mjenovo

ÓhodászAlthodisStari HodasOláhcziklinSpitzzickenHrvatski CikljinOszlopOslipUzlopOttovaAntauOtava

Pándorfalu Parndorf Pandrof
Parapatics Parapatitschberg Parapaticev Brig

Kleinmutschen Pervány Pervane Pinkócz Güttenbach Pinkovac Podgoria Oberpodgoria Podgorje Polanicz Podler Poljanci Rumpersdorf Rupišće Rumpót Sirokány Allersgraben Širokani Stinácz Stinatz Stinjaki Veliki Borištof Szabadbáránd Großwarasdorf

Szabar Zuberbach Sabara Szarvkö Hornstein Vorištan Mučindrof Udvard Großmutschen Neudorf bei Parndorf Ujfalu Novo Selo Uiheav Neuberg im Burgenland Nova Gora Völgyfalu Zillingtal Celindof

Vulkapordány Wulkaprodersdorf Vulkaprodrštof
Zarány Zagersdorf Cogrštof

Alsóőr Unterwart
Felsőőr Oberwart
Felsőpulya Oberpullendorf
Őrisziget Siget in der Wart

6.1.1 Origin of Today's Official Croatian and Hungarian Place Names

Etymologically seen, among the Croatian place names we find new Croatian names, translations from either German or Hungarian and lingual distortions from either German or Hungarian as well.

new

Allersgraben Širokani broad fields Šuševo Nebersdorf dry foliage Oberpodgoria Podgorje under the hill Pama Bijelo Selo white village Podler Poljanci field settlement Unterpodgoria Bošnjakov Brig Bosnians' hill

Stinatz Stinjaki from Steničnjak (CR)

adopted from the German original (some heavily distorted)

Althodis Stari Hodas Baumgarten Pajngrt Drassburg Rasporak Frankenau Frakanava Großmutschen Mučindrof Großwarasdorf Veliki Borištof Kleinwarasdorf Mali Borištof Kroatisch Geresdorf Gerištof **Kroatisch Minihof** Mjenovo Langental Longitoli Parndorf Pandrof Rauhriegel Rorigljin Spitzzicken Hrvatski Cikljin Weingraben Bajngrob Wulkaprodersdorf Vulkaprodrštof Zagersdorf Cogrštof Zillingtal Celindof

adopted from the Hungarian original

Dürnbach im Bgl Vincjet Inczéd Güttenbach Pinkovac Pinkócz Kleinmutschen Pervane Pervány Filež Fülös Nikitsch Schachendorf Čajta Csajta Čemba Csém Schandorf Weiden bei Rechnitz Bandol Bándol Zuberbach Sabara Szabar

6.1.2 Additional Croatian and Hungarian Place Names

Hungarian administration needed Hungarian community names for all settlements; the German and Croatian population knew those names, of course, but never used them in every day conversation.

Names of neighbouring settlements or of cities of interest were of course used both in German and also in Croatian (even if there was no Croatian population there). A full list of all those names is presented in the annex. The following list shows up the most common of those names:

German	Croatian	<u>origin</u>
Deutschkreutz	Kerestur	Keresztur (H)
Eisenstadt	Željezno (Mjesto)	translation
Mattersburg	Matrštof	Mattersdorf (G)
Oberpullendorf	(Gornja) Pulja	Oberpullendorf (G)
Oberwart	Borta	Wart (G)
Ödenburg	Šopron	Sopron (H)
Pressburg	Požon	Pozsony (H)
Wien	Beč	Becs (H)
Wiener Neustadt	(Novo) Mjesto	translation

6.1.3 Romanes Place Names

The Roma adopted place names from all the languages in use in Burgenland. The distribution is rather balanced, 15 names have Hungarian roots, 15 have German roots and 12 are derived from Croatian. Most of these can be clearly deducted from their origins; some could have more roots than one. There are almost no distortions, the place names were taken over from the original names in a very similar pronunciation, as the following examples clearly show.

Romanes Bandula Batschiba Boroschtschaja Ciklina Kerestula, Kerestura Ledischa Redema Rochonca Tartscha Ujvara	Hungarian origin Bandol Vasjobbágyi Borostyánkő Oláhcziklin Rábakeresztur Lődös Rödöny Rohonzc Tarcsa Németujvár	German name Weiden/Rechnitz Jabing Bernstein Spitzzicken Heiligenkreuz Litzelsdorf Riedlingsdorf Rechnitz Bad Tatzmannsdorf Güssing
Romanes Bisleka Boslina Bujschocha Goblina Grumschocha Lujpischdoaf Nuschtifa Schtumo Uprutni Schica	German origin Wiesfleck Kleinbachselten Buchschachen Goberling Grafenschachen Loipersdorf Neustift/Lafnitz Stuben Oberschützen	
Romanes Erba Mischka Ojhava Orbica, Lorbica Rupischa Sabara Schampara Velegaja Vereschvar	Croatian origin Jerba Miška Oljhava Lorbica Rupišće Sabara Šampovar Velegaja Verešvar	German name Oberwart Mischendorf Markt Allhau Rohrbach/Teich Rumpersdorf Zuberbach Hannersdorf Welgersdorf Rotenturm/Pinka

The rare recordings of Romanes place names in the northern parts of Burgenland are due to the refusal of Roma fellow citizens living in northern and central Burgenland to confess to their ethnic group. Most of them have become assimilated within the German speaking population and do not want to be recognized as Roma, as their self-esteem is not strong enough to stand the many clichés still existing in some parts of the population.

6.2 Regional and Property Names

In the single communities settled by ethnic groups the prominent scenery of the neighbouring region has of course been named in the minority language: places of interest, mountains, valleys, rivers, lakes are mostly named only in the minority language or bear both the official German name plus the minority language denomination. As up to the 20th century most of the village inhabitants were farmers, they had a special eye on nature and the landscape and named all the points of interest in their own language, even if they bore German names.

While the indigenous Hungarian and German population stuck to their traditional names, the Croatian population adopted the existing Hungarian (later German) names to a great extent, especially the names of rivers, lakes, and mountains. In few cases the names were translated into Croatian or new names were invented.

landscape	traditional name	Croatian name	<u>explanation</u>
region:	Burgenland	Gradišće	(translated)
river:	Donau	Dunaj	(adopted)
	Leitha	Lajta	(adopted)
	Rabnitz	Rebac	(adopted)
hill:	Schusterberg	Suhi brig	(invented)

6.3 Street Names

Although street names have always been widely used in ethnic settlements, only in three bi-lingual municipalities Croatian street names have been publicly attached so far. The three municipalities with altogether 11 village areas are situated in the district of Oberpullendorf in central Burgenland. In most bi-lingual settlements, however, several squares, streets or village parts have spoken Croatian / Hungarian names by tradition. The examples given in the following paragraph again want to prove the inter-lingual mixture of the region.

6.3.1 Croatian Street Names

<u>German</u>	Croatian	<u>meaning</u>
Bachgasse	Uz potok	beside the brook
Friedhofgasse	Kod cimitora	near the cemetary
Kirchenplatz	Kod crikve	near the church
Meierhof	Marofa	country estate
Große Zeile	Veliki kraj	big village part
Schulstraße	Školska cesta	school street
Quellengasse	Močila	wet grounds
Weinberggasse	Vinogradska ulica	vineyard lane

6.3.2 Hungarian Street Names

There are practically no officially attached street names in any Hungarian settlement, but of course there are Hungarian names for single streets or village parts used in daily communication. The following names are examples used among the Hungarian speaking citizens of the Hungarian municipalities:

German	Hungarian	<u>meaning</u>
Augartengasse	Gyepek	grass area
Bachgasse	Patakszer	brook district
Fenyösgasse	Fenyős	fir tree (lane)
Hauptstraße	Fő út	main street
Mühlgasse	Malomszer	mill district
Neue Siedlung	Hegy	hill
Obertrum	Föszeg	upper spot
Untertrum	Alszeg	lower spot

6.4 Field Names

A special field of area names is the range of agriculture: soil in the shape of farmland, fields and meadows has accumulated so many expressions not only in German, but also in Croatian and Hungarian, that these field names have become a treasure of old and traditional names in all the languages found in the Burgenland.

The following exemplary list of frequent field names is divided into Croatian and into Hungarian names. These names in the minority language can again be subdivided into typical indigenous names, adoptions and distortions.

6.4.1 Croatian Field Names

typical

land register spelling	standardised name	meaning
Pieski	Pijeski	sandy soil
Podwornice	Podvornice	house fields
Šinokoše	Sinokoše	meadows

adopted (from older German or Hungarian names)

land register spelling	standardised name	<u>meaning</u>
Gmeiski (G)	Gmajski	municipal (fields)
Haitar (H)	Hatar	border field
Hegy (H)	Hedje	hill
Nádköz	Nadkis	reed
Sás (H)	Šaš	reed

distorted

standardised name	<u>meaning</u>
Kasperak	goat hill
Hujbe	halves
Hutbajd	common pasture
Paprenica	vicar's meadow
Regrisi	old parts
Ripaser	turnip field
	Hujbe Hutbajd Paprenica Regrisi

6.4.2 Hungarian Field Names

typical

land register spelling	standardised name	meaning
Hegyesföldek	Hegyesföldek	hilly fields
Köves	Köves	stony (field)
Nagyretek	Nagyrétek	big meadow
Szöllö	Szőllő	vineyard
Telek	Telek	soil

adopted (usually from old Croatian names)

land register spelling	standardised name	meaning
Berda (C)	Brdo	hill
Kerts (C)	Krč	clearing
Pás (C)	Paša	pasture

distorted (usually from Croatian names)

land register spelling	standardised name	meaning
Dócza (C)	Dócza	lowland
Potpot(C)	Pod put	below the path
Werda(C)	Brdo	hill

7.0 Principles of Standardisation

The Burgenland Toponymic Committee (Burgenländische Nomenklaturkommission) collects, records, and standardises names. The Committee was founded in 1969. Its members are linguists, historians, geographers, cartographers, surveyors, agrarian experts, legal advisers and experts in ethnic studies.

Its responsibility lies in advising private property owners, NGOs, Burgenland municipalities and the Province of Burgenland on naming and altering names. A special field is checking and reviewing field names in the course of land consolidation, another one reviewing the area names in the official maps depicting the Province of Burgenland. Its future vision is collecting, recording, and standardising all the proper names in the Burgenland.

In expert sessions the names that have been recorded are discussed, scrutinised with regard to meaning and etymology, and if possible standardised with regard to spelling. So far 235 sessions have been held, 166 municipalities have been dealt with. The spelling of municipality names is laid down in legal acts and cannot be altered without an act of the provincial parliament. With area and property names, street and field names, the respective property owners or municipality councils politically decide whether the standardised names will be taken over into the land register. In bi-lingual municipalities they also decide whether the German or the Croatian / Hungarian names will stand first place in the register.

7.1 Standardising Place Names, Street Names, Area and Property names

The general principle of standardisation with these types of name is standardised spelling according to the rules of German, (Burgenland) Croatian and Hungarian orthography. Only in very few cases a traditional dialect expression is left unstandardised because of its unique occurrence or because of the danger of misunderstanding.

7.2 Standardising Field Names

The reason why field names are dealt with in the committee is mainly the fact that the official names in the land register generally do not correspond with the names used by the owners of the soil.

Unfortunately, because of the borderland situation of the Burgenland, only few old sources for field names have survived the many wars in the region. Thus our written sources, the land register and the estate register, are relatively young, namely from the fifties of the nineteenth century.

As the Burgenland has always been a border country and was part of Hungary up to 1921, the various land consolidations that were carried out in the 19th and early 20th centuries are misleading concerning the spelling of the names that were recorded. The country surveyors were often Czechs, Hungarians, or experts from Western Austria, and thus neither understood the Burgenland local German dialects, nor the Croatian dialects of the peasants. Thus they often translated dialect expressions wrongly or invented new names, because they did not understand their meaning. This has led to many distortions of names and makes the work of the committee rather difficult.

In the first group of villages with a great amount of Croatian field names most of these names were either translated or adopted from Hungarian. The German equivalents are usually translations from either the Hungarian roots or the Croatian names. Wherever the original name made no sense, it was not translated but either grossly distorted, left unaltered, or a random German name was given. This explains the many blanks in the lists of field names in the annex to this paper in both columns.

In the second group of villages the greater amount of names were translated or adopted from German, some were newly invented. In retrospect it is almost impossible to find out the original source, as the names correspond very closely.

In the Hungarian villages the field names are originally Hungarian, the German equivalents are usually bad translations from Hungarian.

Besides, in both Hungarian and Croatian villages, the landowners today still use many more names than can be found in the land register. This again leads to blanks in the German column of the lists of field names in the annex of this paper.

As explained above, the major problem in standardising field names lies in the fact that the greatest part of them are dialect-pronounced. Another problem is the mutual influence of the three languages in the course of centuries. Sometimes it is possible to find roots of one of the other languages in a field name and proceed to some standardisation. Often the name remains a so-called "dark expression", where the original meaning cannot be detected despite employing all means of interpretation coming from the fields of linguistics, geography, history, and agriculture.

With field names it is common to leave dialect expressions unstandardised, mainly in cases where the dialect pronunciation differs so widely from standardised pronunciation that the user of the name could not identify a standardised name with the piece of land he owns.

Various dialects are not only found in the German speaking villages, but also in the Croatian settlements. The reason is that the forefathers of the Croatian villagers came from different parts of former Croatia at different points of time. Their local dialects remained practically unchanged until the end of World War I, because they lived isolated in their respective villages and had almost no cross-marriages into other Croatian settlements.

The Hungarian dialects of the villages in the districts of Oberpullendorf and Oberwart do not differ as strongly as the Croatian dialects do. So it is easier to succeed in regulating Hungarian names.

What the committee tries to do is on the one hand collecting the indigenous names used by the land owners and fixing them in the land register, on the other hand standardising the names all over the province at the same time if possible.

Usually in the course of land consolidation the single owners of the various pieces of land are questioned about the names of their properties. Experience has shown that old peasants know many additional field names that have been traded down orally from generation to generation and are not found in any documents or title deeds in the land register.

Therefore it is the aim of the committee to complete the land register with these additional names in order to make the land register and reality correspond.

7.3 Multi-Lingual Spelling Principles

In bi-lingual municipalities the field names in both languages are recorded (by means of a tape-recorder) and spelled according to the respective orthographic rules.

German, Croatian and Hungarian names are generally written in the spelling according to the official orthographic rules of the three languages. The exception to the rule is applied in German speaking municipalities where the respective ethnic language is not known at all.

In a purely German speaking municipality a Croatian field name left over from a time where Croats settled there a long time ago will be spelled in German orthography. So, for example, in a purely German village, the original Croatian field name "kerči" will be spelled "Kertschi" in order to enable the German speaking land owners to pronounce the name correctly (which they do anyway by oral tradition). A similar example is the Hungarian lake name "Sosto", which is spelled "Schoschto" in German orthography. Leaving these names in the Croatian or Hungarian orthography would surely bring about problems for German speaking land owners because of the

different pronunciation of letters in the various languages and because of unknown diacritics.

German field names in Croatian or Hungarian settlements are spelled in German orthography by tradition. Perhaps the reason is the fact that German has been the official administration language since 1921 and that in German spelling there are no diacritics that Croats and Hungarians would not know.

So-called "dark expressions" are usually left unaltered, respectively are only altered with regard to the pronunciation really used. In the internal minutes all possible explanations and etymologies of those names are laid down, however.

7.4 New Challenges

Of the total Burgenland population of 276.640 in 2004 exactly 264.611 were Austrian citizens, 12.029, i.e. about 4,3 % were non-Austrian. Besides, 4.455 foreign citizens have become naturalised between 1982 and 2004.

The Balkan Wars brought about a wave of immigration to Austria. A large group of immigrants from Croatia, Serbia and Bosnia chose the Burgenland as their new home, as they had fewer language problems, especially in Croatian communities. Integration is under progress, even Moslem Bosnians have no problems of acceptance. Up to now 3.862 individuals from former Yugoslavia live in the Burgenland.

Beside 5.335 people from different countries, in the last fifteen years most immigrant workers in Burgenland industrial enterprises have come from Turkey, namely 1.050.

The Turkish immigrants represent great challenges for the Burgenland communities. As not too many communities house industrial enterprises, the Turkish workers concentrate in only those villages. They may constitute up to a quarter of the population and cause the following problems and costs:

As many of them, especially the women, have no command of the official language German, this means that they talk Turkish within their families, and their children need special tutoring in kindergarten and at school. The teens do not mix with Austrian teenagers, but form groups of their own. Turkish families buy all the old houses in the village centres that have stood empty for decades and live their way of life regardless of their neighbours. Islamic religion and tradition are blamed for their different behaviour and customs by the Austrian villagers, as well. Integration of this group will become a great challenge for Burgenland society.

For the committee it will mean the recording and standardising of new names to come. Names with Slavic roots will not be the problem because of the Burgenland-Croatian tradition. Names of Turkish origin will be the real challenge for the committee, a challenge however that will turn up as soon as Burgenlanders with Turkish roots will become fully integrated into society as citizens, land owners and civil servants.

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ANNEX 8.1.1 Inhabitants of the Burgenland Listed according to their Colloquial Languages 2001

district of	total	German	Bgld-Croatian	South-Croatian	Hungarian	Romanes	others
Eisenstadt	51.800	41.801	6.061	1.064	937	15	1.913
Güssing	27.199	23.821	2.144	345	302	34	553
Jennersdorf	17.933	17.492	15	46	132	12	236
Mattersburg	37.446	33.245	1.122	638	530	15	1.896
Neusiedl am See	51.730	47.291	1.250	310	1.150	33	1.696
Oberpullendorf	38.096	31.531	4.165	509	1.039	8	844
Oberwart	53.365	47.277	1.526	583	2.551	186	1.242
Burgenland total	277.569	242.458	16.283	3.495	6.641	303	8.389

ANNEX 8.1.2 Religious Denominations 2001

district of	total	Roman	Unitarian	Orthodox	Protestant	other	Jewish	Islamic	other non-	no	no
		Catholic	Churches	Churches	Churches	Christian			Christian	denomination	declaration
Eisenstadt	11.334	9.500	1	124	681	64	5	180	40	575	164
Rust-Stadt	1.714	949		4	682	4		14		58	3
Eisenstadt	38.752	32.010	8	405	2.637	255	8	714	14	2.427	274
Güssing	27.199	23.948	3	82	1.736	149	6	262	42	825	146
Jennersdorf	17.933	13.538		24	3.565	68	1	76	14	581	66
Mattersburg	37.446	30.138	7	520	2.931	187	6	1.141	33	2.208	275
Neusiedl	51.730	42.546	5	332	5.696	280	3	637	37	1.987	207
Oberpullendorf	38.096	32.748	1	197	3.344	111	3	487	13	1.014	178
Oberwart	53.365	35.135	4	168	15.540	288	1	482	59	1.427	261
Burgenland	277.569	220.512	29	1.856	36.812	1.406	33	3.993	252	11.102	1.574

ANNEX 8.1.3 Numbers of Burgenland Religious Deniminations 2001

Roman Catholic	220.512
Lutheran Protestant A.C.	35.075
no confession	11.102
Islamic	3.993
Orthodox (all branches)	2.548
Reformed Protestant H.C.	1.702
Jehova's Witnesses	553
Pentecostal Church	267
Old Catholic	163
Buddhist	149
Seventh Day Adventist	94
New Apostolic	90
Baptist	61
Israelite	33
Sikh	32
Hindu	30
Baha'i	21
Unitarian	11

ANNEX 8.1.4 Citizenships 2004

district of	total population	Austrian	Non-Austrian	European Union	Non-European-Union	former Yugoslav	Turkish	others
Eisenstadt	11.828	10.967	861	352	509	266	48	450
Rust	1.759	1.704	55	44	11	7	0	33
Eisenstadt	38.959	36.973	1.986	696	1.290	765	266	649
Güssing	26.610	25.628	982	342	640	288	13	487
Jennersdorf	17.746	17.268	478	303	175	80	26	187
Mattersburg	37.606	35.296	2.310	596	1.714	964	370	805
Neusiedl	51.805	49.701	2.104	1.122	982	351	244	1.123
Oberpullendorf	37.474	36.085	1.389	416	973	535	18	676
Oberwart	52.853	50.989	1.864	712	1.152	606	65	925
Burgenland total	276.640	264.611	12.029	4.583	7.446	3.862	1.050	5.335

ANNEX 8.1.5 Naturalisations 1982 – 2003: Total 4.455

	1982	1983	1984	1985	1986	1987	1988	1989	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003
total	88	108	62	83	94	89	98	80	47	69	78	108	198	183	155	183	214	382	481	851	714	839
male	39	51	40	48	47	54	60	36	21	31	39	42	81	75	54	73	86	169	227	420	360	401
female	49	57	22	35	47	35	38	44	26	38	39	66	117	108	101	110	128	213	254	431	354	438
0 - 9			21	26	20	23	12	11	6	8	10	10	27	29	21	36	43	69	90	156	163	175
10 - 19			13	23	21	17	19	31	7	24	16	20	39	34	31	27	31	83	102	184	119	172
20 - 29			4	9	11	13	19	7	11	8	14	27	35	50	37	48	61	56	72	140	124	126
30-39			14	14	26	20	27	20	11	19	18	26	51	31	31	42	52	105	139	231	191	218
40 - 49			5	3	6	14	18	9	10	6	14	20	30	28	24	23	21	48	61	115	89	124
50 - 49			3	2	3	4	2	2	1	4	2	3	13	9	6	6	6	21	16	23	25	8
60 up	3	3	2	6	7	2	1		1		4	2	3	2	5	1			1	2	3	6

ANNEX 8.1.6 Statistical Sheet on Ethnic and Religious Majorities and Minorities

district	G mun	g mun	C mun	c mun	h Mun	j mun	r mun	RC mun	rc mun	P mun	p mun	n mun
	Gva	gva	Cva	cva	hva	jva	Rva	RC v a	rc v a	Pva	pva	n v as
ND	27	1	1	2	2	0	0	25	3	3	3	28
	27	1	1	2	2	0	0	25	3	3	3	28
EU	24	3	3	6	1	1	0	26	1	1	3	24
	24	3	3	6	1	1	0	26	1	1	3	26
MA	19	0	0	3	0	0	0	18	1	1	1	19
	21	0	0	3	0	0	0	20	1	1	1	21
OP	25	3	3	5	2	0	3	25	4	3	1	28
	52	11	11	6	3	0	4	58	5	5	2	35
OW	28	4	3	2	2	0		19	12	14	3	32
	80	15	9	9	2	0		57	31	35	4	59
GS	27	1	1	5	1	0	0	26	2	2	0	28
00	54	1	1	8	1	0	0	51	4	4	0	55
	04	1	1	0	1	0		01	7	Т		00
JE	12	0	0	0	1		1	5	4	7	0	12
	33	0	0	0	1		1	23	6	10	0	21
total												171
												245

abbreviations:	
mun	municipalities
v a	village areas
G	German majority
g C	German minority
	Croatian majority
C	Croatian minority
H	Hungarian Majority
h	Hungarian minority
J	Jewish minority
r	Roma minority
RC	Roman Catholic majority
rc	Roman Catholic minority
P	Protestant majority
p	Protestant minority
r	
n mun	number of municipalities
n v a	number of village areas
figures:	
chartered cities	2
districts	7
municipalities	7 171
municipalities cities	7 171 13
municipalities cities market towns	7 171 13 57
municipalities cities market towns communities in the land register	7 171 13 57 325
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ANNEX 8.1.7 Municipalities and Village Areas without and with Minorities

district of	municipalities per district / province	municipalities without village areas	municipalities with village areas	municipalities without any minorities	municipalities with ethnic minorities	municipalities with religious minorities
Neusiedl	27	27	0	21	4	6
Eisenstadt	24	23	1	13	9	3
Mattersburg	20	18	2	15	3	2
Oberpullendorf	30	15	15	17	7	6
Oberwart	31	9	22	5	8	21
Güssing	29	21	8	18	8	4
Jennersdorf	12	2	10	5	0	7
Burgenland	173	115	58	94	39	49
total percentage		66,5%	33,5%	54,3%	22,5%	28,3%

remarks:

- 1) the number of 173 municipalities comprises the two chartered cities Eisenstadt and Rust
- 2) the expression minorities stands for both majority and minority within the single community

ANNEX 8.2 List of Croatian, Hungarian and Romanes Place Names

ANNEX 8.2.1 List of Hungarian Place Names of Croatian Villages before 1921

	Hungarian Place Names of Croa	
<u>Hungarian</u>	German	<u>Croatian</u>
Alsópulya	Unterpullendorf	Dolnja Pulja
Bándol	Weiden bei Rechnitz	Bandol
Barátmajor	Mönchmeierhof	Marof
Borisfalva	Kleinwarasdorf	Mali Borištof
Borosd	Weingraben	Bajngrob
Bosnákhegy	Unterpodgoria	Bošnjakov Brig
Büdöskut	Steinbrunn	Štikapron
Cinfalva	Siegendorf	Cindrof
Csajta	Schachendorf	Čajta
Császárfalu	Kaisersdorf	Kalištrof
Csém	Schandorf	Čemba
Darázsfalu	Trausdorf an der Wulka	Trajštof
Darufalva	Drassburg	Rasporak
Frankó	Frankenau	Frakanava
Füles	Nikitsch	Filež
Füsthegy	Rauhriegel	Rorigljin
Gyirót	Kroatisch Geresdorf	Gerištof
Inczéd	Dürnbach im Burgenland	Vincjet
Kelénpatak	Klingenbach	Klimpuh
Kertes	Baumgarten	Pajngrt
Körtvélyes	Pama	Bijelo Selo
Langató	Langental	Longitolj
Ligvánd	Nebersdorf	Šuševo
Lulcsárfalu	Allersdorf im Burgenland	Ključarevci
Malomház	Kroatisch Minihof	Mjenovo
Óhodász	Althodis	Stari Hodas
Oláhcziklin	Spitzzicken	Hrvatski Cikljin
Oszlop	Oslip	Uzlop
Ottova	Antau	Otava
Pándorfalu	Parndorf	Pandrof
	Parapatitschberg	Parapatićev Brig
Parapatics Pervány	Kleinmutschen	Pervane
Pinkócz	Güttenbach	Pinkovac
Podgoria Polanicz	Oberpodgoria Podler	Podgorje Poljanci
		Poljanci Rupišće
Rumpót	Rumpersdorf	Širokani
Sirokány	Allersgraben	
Stinácz	Stinatz Großwarasdorf	Stinjaki
Szabadbáránd		Veliki Borištof
Szabar	Zuberbach	Sabara
Szarvkö	Hornstein	Vorištan
Udvard	Großmutschen	Mučindrof
Ujfalu	Neudorf bei Parndorf	Novo Selo
Ujhegy	Neuberg im Burgenland	Nova Gora
Völgyfalu	Zillingtal	Celindof
Vulkapordány	Wulkaprodersdorf	Vulkaprodrštof
Zarány	Zagersdorf	Cogrštof

ANNEX 8.2.2 List of Popular Settlements' Croatian Place Names

Altschlaining Stari Solunak

Au am Leithagebirge, LA Cundrava former Croatian place

Bad Tatzmannsdorf Tarča Baden, LA **Teplice** Badersdorf Pesem Balf, HU (Wolfs) Boisa Bratislava, SL (Pressburg) Požon Breitenbrunn Patipron Budapest, HU Pešta Bük, HU (Wichs) Bike Burg Porka

Deutsch Ehrensdorf Nimški Hašaš
Deutsch Jahrndorf Nimški Jandrof

Deutschkreutz Kerestur
Deutsch Schützen Nimške Šice
Deutsch Tschantschendorf Nimška Čenča
Donnerskirchen Bijela Crikva

Dörfl Drfelj
Drassmarkt Racindrof
Ebenfurth, LA Limfort
Eberau Eberava
Edelstal Nikišdolj
Edlitz im Burgenland Hobdelci
Eisenberg an der Pinka Čjeka

Eisenhüttl Jezerjani former Croatian place

Eisenstadt Željezno Eisenzicken Nimški Cikljin Fertörákos, HU (Kroisbach) Krojspuh Forchtenau Fortnava Frauenkirchen Svetica Gamischdorf Gamištrof Gattendorf Raušer Girm Girma Gols Gojza

Großhöflein Velika Holovajna

Großmürbisch Veliki Medveš former Croatian place

Großpetersdorf Veliki Petarštof Güssing Novi Grad Győr, HU Jura Hannersdorf Šampovar

Harmisch Vardeš former Croatian place

Haschendorf Hošindrof
Hasendorf im Burgenland Zajčje Selo
Heugraben Žarnovica
Hirm Hirman

Hof am Leithaberge, LA Cimof former Croatian place

Höll Paklišće Horitschon Haračun

Jarovce, SL Hrvatski Jandrof

Jois Jojz

Kalkgruben Koljingrob Karl Kalin Kittsee Gijeca Kleinfrauenhaid Svetica

Kleinhöflein Mala Holovajna

Kleinmürbisch Mali Medveš former Croatian place

Kleinpetersdorf Mali Petarštof
Kleinzicken Mali Cikljin
Klostermarienberg Kloštar
Kobersdorf Kobrštof
Kohfidisch Fideš
Komárom, HU Komarnov

Kópháza, HU (Kolnhof) Koljnof still Croatian majority

Kőszeg, HU Kiseg Krensdorf Kreništof

Kroatisch Ehrensdorf Hrvatski Hašaš

Kroatisch Tschantschendorf Hrvatska Čenča former Croatian place

Krobothek Hrvatski Kut Krottendorf bei Güssing Žablje Selo

Kulm im Burgenland Kulma

Lackenbach Lakimpuh former Croatian place Lackendorf Lakindrof former Croatian place

Landsee Lanžer
Landegg, LA Londek

Leithaprodersdorf (Lajta)prodrštof

Lindgraben Lingrob Litzelsdorf Licištrof Lockenhaus Livka Loretto Lovreta Lutzmannsburg Lučman Mannersdorf Malištrof Mariazell, ST Celje Markt Allhau Olihava Markt St. Martin Sveti Martin

Marz Marca
Mattersburg Matrštrof
Miedlingsdorf Milištrof
Mischendorf Miška

Mitterpullendorf Sridnja Pulja

Mönchmeierhof Marof Mörbisch am See Merbiš Moson, HU (Wieselburg) Mošon Müllendorf Melindof Nagycenk, HU (Großzinkendorf) Cienka Lekindrof Neckenmarkt Neuberg im Burgenland Nova Gora Neudorf bei Landsee Tjespuh Neudörfl Najderfli Neufeld Novo Selo

Neuhaus in der Wart Dubrava

Neumarkt im Tauchental Keteli Neusiedl am See Niuzalj Neutal Najtoli Nickelsdorf Mikištrof Oberloisdorf Nadrloštrof Oberpullendorf Gornja Pulja Oberrabnitz Gornji Ramac Gornja Šica Oberschützen

Borta Oberwart Cokula Oggau Olbendorf Lovrenac Pécs. HU Peticrikve Peresznye, HU (Prössing) Prisika Pereszteg, HU (Perestagen) Peresteg Petronell, LA Petrlin Pilgersdorf Pilištrof Pinkafeld Pinkafeli Piringsdorf Piringštof Podersdorf am See Potrštof Pottendorf, LA Pundrof Pöttsching Pečva Potzneusiedl Laitica Penkir Prellenkirchen, LA **Punice** Punitz Purbach Porpuh

Raiding Rainof Rattersdorf Ratištof Rechnitz Rohunac Rehgraben Prašćevo Žamar Reinersdorf Ricinja Ritzing Rohrbach bei Mattersburg Orbuh Rohrbach an der Teich Lorbica Rotenturm an der Pinka Verešvar Rust Rušta Sveto Jurje St. Georgen

St. Kathrein im Burgenland Katalena St. Margarethen Margareta St. Martin in der Wart Sveti Martin St. Michael im Burgenland Sveti Mihali St. Nikolaus im Burgenland Sveti Mikula Kisela Voda Sauerbrunn Schallendorf im Burgenland Šaledrovo Schattendorf Šundrof Schützen am Gebirge Česno

Schützen am Gebirge Česno Sieggraben Sigrob Sigless Cikleš Sopron, HU (Ödenburg) Šopron

Spitzzicken Hrvatski Cikljin

Stadtschlaining Solunak Stegersbach Santalek

Štamperak Steinberg Lipovac Steinfurt Bojane Steingraben Štuma Stoob Štucinga Stotzing Stöttera Štedr Strebersdorf Selce Šeškut Sulz im Burgenland Süttör, HU (Schültern) Šutora Szentpéterfa, HU (Prostrum) Petrovo Selo Szombathely, HU (Steinamanger) Sambotel Tobai Tobai Truma, LA Trumava **Tschurndorf** Čulindrof Tudersdorf Tudorica Und, HU (Undten) Unda Unterfrauenhaid Svetica Unterloisdorf Nadrloštrof Unterpetersdorf Dolnii Petarštof Unterpullendorf Dolnja Pulja Dolnji Ramac Unterrabnitz Dolnie Šice Unterschützen Dolnja Borta Unterwart Vujbrštof Walbersdorf Wallern im Burgenland Volja

Walbersdorf
Wallern im Burgenland
Weiden am See
Bajdin
Weiden bei Rechnitz
Bandol
Welgersdorf
Weppersdorf
Weppersdorf
Wien
Beč

Wiener Neustadt (Novo) Mjesto

Wiesen Bizmet Wiesmath, LA **Bizmet** Wimpassing Vimpas Winden am See Binta Wolfsthal Vučjak Zemendorf Cemindrof Zillingdorf, LA Celindrof Žira Zsira, HU (Tening) Zuberbach Sabara Zurndorf Cundrof

abbreviations:

HU Hungary
LA Lower Austria
SL Slovakia
ST Styria

Note: The official bilingual place names of Burgenland are not included in this list!

ANNEX 8.2.3 Romanes Place Names

German Name	Romanes Name	Croatian*/Hungarian Name	root
Bandula	Weiden/Rechnitz	Bandol	Н
Batschiba	Jabing	Vasjobbágyi	Н
Bisleka	Wiesfleck	Rétfalu	G
Boroschtschaja	Bernstein	Borostyánkő	Н
Boslina	Kleinbachselten	Kiskarasztos	G
Bujschocha	Buchschachen	Őribükkösd	G
Ciklina	Spitzzicken	Oláhcziklin	Н
Erba	Oberwart	Jerba*	С
Fidescha	Kohfidisch	Gyepüfüzes	G
Goblina	Goberling	Ģóborfalva	G
Grumschocha	Grafenschachen	Árokszállás	G
Gruna, Gruja	Grodnau	Grodnó	G
Hamvasd	Aschau	Oschava	G
Kerestula, Kerestura	Heiligenkreuz	Rábakeresztur	Н
Kukmera	Kukmirn	Kukmér	Н
Ledischa	Litzelsdorf	Lődös	Н
Lujpischdoaf	Loipersdorf	Lipótfalva	G
Mischka	Mischendorf	Miška *	С
Nuschtifa	Neustift/Lafnitz	Lapincsujtelek	G
Ojhava	Markt Allhau	Oljhava *	G C C
Orbica, Lorbica	Rohrbach/Teich	Lorbica	
Pinkafa	Pinkafeld	Pinkafő	G
Redema	Riedlingsdorf	Rödöny	Н
Rochonca	Rechnitz	Rohonzc	Н
Rupischa	Rumpersdorf	Rupišće *	С
Sabara	Zuberbach	Sabara *	C C G
Schampara	Hannersdorf	Šampovar *	
Schtumo	Stuben	Edeháza	G
Sigeta	Siget/Wart	Őrisziget	G H
Simeha	Großpetersdorf	Nagyszentmihály	
Srasta	Eisenstadt	Kismarton	Н
Tartscha	Bad Tatzmannsdor		Н
Telutni Pulja	Unterpullendorf	Alsópulya	Н
Telutni Schica Telutni Erba	Unterschützen Unterwart	Alsólövő	G C
Tenuerba	Unterwart	Dolnja Jerba *	C
Tikno Martona	Eisenstadt	Dolnja Jerba * Klsmarton	Н
Tschajta	Schachendorf	Čajta *	C
Tschemba	Schandorf	Čemba *	C
Ujvara	Güssing	Németujvár	Н
Uprutni Pulja	Oberpullendorf	Felsőpulya	H
Uprutni Schica	Oberschützen	Felsőlövő	G
Vereschvar	Rotenturm/Pinka	Verešvar *	C
Velegaja	Welgersdorf	Velegaja *	C
v ologaja	vvoigoradori	vologaja	O

ANNEX 8.3 List of Croatian and Hungarian Street Names

ANNEX 8.3.1 Croatian Street Names

8.3.1.1 Frankenau / Frakanava (village area of Frankenau-Unterpullendorf)

Feldgasse Poliska ulica

Gartengasse no Croatian equivalent

Gemeindeheide Gmajna Hinter den Gärten Za vrti

M.M.Miloradić-Siedlung Naselje M.M.Miloradića

Neugasse Nova ulica Parkgasse Za parkom

8.3.1.2.1 Großwarasdorf / Veliki Borištof (village area of Großwarasdorf)

Bachgasse Uz potok Gärten Vrti

Johannesgasse Ivanova ulica Kirchenäcker Crikveni lapti Kirchenberg Crikveni brig

Lorenz-Bogovich-Gasse Ulica-Lovre-Bogovića Lorenz-Karall-Gasse Ulica-Lovre-Karalla Marijina ulica

Martin-Mersich-Straße Cesta-Martina-Meršića Micheal-Nakovich-Gasse Ulica-Mihovila-Nakovića

Obere Hauptstraße Gorinski kraj Parkgasse Park ulica Römerstraße Rimljanska cesta Schulstraße Školska cesta Unterort Dolinski kraj Industriegasse Industrija Oberpullendorfer Straße Puljanska cesta Baumgasse Ulica stabali Hanfäcker Konoplišće

8.3.1.2.2 Kleinwarasdorf / Mali Borištof (village area of Großwarasdorf)

Gartengasse Vrtna ulica
Geresdorfer Gasse Gerištofska ulica
Gethsemangasse Getsemanska ulica

Große Zeile Veliki kraj Hofäcker Podvornice

Ignaz-Horvath-Gasse Ulica-Ignaca-Horvata

Kirchenplatz Crikveni gaj

Kleinwarasdorfer Hauptstraße Maloborištofska glavna cesta

Nebersdorfer Gasse Šuševska ulica Pfarrgasse Farska ulica Rosenweg Rožni put

Rudolf-Klaudus-Gasse Ulica-Rudolfa-Klaudusa

Weinberggasse Ulica u goru Simon-Biricz-Gasse Ulica-Simona-Birica

Berggasse Brig

8.3.1.2.3 Langental / Longitolj (village area of Großwarasdorf)

Ödenburger StraßeŠopronska cestaWaldgasseKod lozeNebersdorfer StraßeŠuševska cesta

8.3.1.2.4 Kroatisch Geresdorf / Gerištof (village area of Großwarasdorf)

Am Anger Na tratini Am Steig Na stazi Annagasse Ulica svete.Ane Bachgasse Uz potok Bankgasse Klanac Feldgasse Polina ulica Hauptstraße Glavna ulica Kirchengasse Crikvena ulica Kleine Zeile Mala stran Neugasse Nova ulica Obere Gasse Gornja ulica Pfarrplatz Farsko mesto Schulgasse Školska ulica **Untere Gasse** Dolnja ulica Waldgasse Gonik Bachäcker Potokom

8.3.1.2.5 Nebersdorf / Šuševo

Feldgasse Poljna ulica Lange Gasse Dužička ulica

Nebersdorfer Hauptstraße Šuševska glavna cesta

Neugasse Nova ulica
Schloßgasse Kaštelska ulica
Talstraße Nanizdo
Gutshof Marof

Florianigasse Florianova ulica Mittelweg Sridnji put

8.3.1.3.1 Nikitsch / Filež (village area of Nikitsch)

Kod potoka Bachgasse Bachweg Uz potok Feldgasse Zaselje Fischerried Ribić Friedhofgasse Kod cimitora Hauptstraße Glavna cesta Holdegasse Oljbe Kirchenplatz Kod crikve Mittelgasse Sridnji put Neugasse Nove hiže Quellenstraße Curak Tannengasse Jelvova ulica Waldweg Lozni put

8.3.1.3.2 Kroatisch Minihof /Mijenova (village area of Nikitsch)

Hauptstraße Glavna ulica
Augasse K livadi
Gartenweg Med vrti
Quellengasse Močila
Sotbend Sotbend
Kirchenplatz Kod crikve
Sackgasse Kut

Herrengasse Gospodarova ulica

Promenadegasse Šetališće
Mariengasse Marijina ulica
Hanfäcker Konoplišće

8.3.1.4 Parndorf / Pandrof

No German equivalent Gmajna

8.3.1.5 Trausdorf / Trasjtof

Although there are no official Croatian street names in Trausdorf / Trašjtof, some central streets and lanes do have Croatian names – as in several other bi-lingual municipalities. Thus the name list stands as an example for similar name usage in other bi-lingual settlements:

Auergasse Bachgasse Blumenweg Brückenplatz Burggasse

DDr. Stefan Laszlo-Platz Dr. Walter Norden-Platz Dreifaltigkeits-Platz Eisenstädterstraße Fasangasse

Fasangasse
Feldgasse
Feuerweg
Flugplatz
Flugplatzstraße
Gartengasse
Gutshof

Heideweg Šopronšćak

Johann Nepomuk-Platz Johann Rosarowitz-Gasse

Kreuzgasse Langegasse Leithaberggasse Lerchengasse

Linke Wulkazeile Livi prikrajnski kraj

Magdalenagasse

Mühlau Mühlweg Neubaugasse

Obere Hauptstraße Gorinski kraj

Rechte Wulkazeile Desni prikrajnski kraj

Rosengasse

Scheunenweg Grnopok

Schlachtbrücke

Schlossgasse Gradišće

Seestraße Sonnenweg Sportplatzgasse

Untere Hauptstraße Dolinski kraj Waldgasse Gorica

Weinberggasse Weingartenmühle Weingartenweg

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ANNEX 8.3.2 Hungarian Street Names

There are practically no officially attached Hungarian street names in Hungarian speaking municipalities or village areas, but the Hungarian speaking population does use a few names in colloquial communication in order to name some old squares or streets.

Hungarian	German	original
spoken name	official name	meaning

8.3.2.1 Municipality of Oberpullendorf / Felső Pulya:

Fenyős Fenyős-Gasse fir tree

8.3.2.2 Village area of Mitterpullendorf / Mezö Pulya:

Fő út Ungargasse main street

8.3.3.3 Municipality of Oberwart / Felsőőr:

Főszea Obertrum upper piece Alszeg Untertrum lower piece Főtér Hauptplatz main square Malomszer Mühlgasse mill district Patakszer Bachgasse brook district Dornburggasse thorn castle Tüskevár Vörösdomb Grazerstraße red hill Augartengasse grass area Gyepek Bokagrund Boka garden Bokakert

8.3.3.4 Village Area of Unterwart / Alsóőr:

Főszeg Obertrum upper piece Alszeg Untertrum lower piece

8.3.3.5 Municipality of Siget in der Wart / Őrisziget:

There are no street names at all, neither German nor Hungarian. Some village parts do have inofficial German and Hungarian names, however:

FöszegObertrumupper pieceAlszegUntertrumlower pieceHegyNeue Siedlunghill

ANNEX 8.4 List of Croatian and Hungarian Field Names

ANNEX 8.4.1 Croatian Field Names

8.4.1.1 Althodis / Stari Hodas

Unter den Häusern Pod hiže Dorfleiten Curak Gartenäcker Vrtlići Berggreut Krčine Obere Felder Gornji lapti Breite Fleder Široki lapti Lacke Lokve Überm Berg Brigi Grenzleiten/Bergacker Hrte Grabenwiesen Gora Kleingreuten Krajčice Lange Äcker Strane Male vršće Kleinriegel Hoher Riegel Velike vršće Haberfeld Zobišće Unterer Gemeindewald Wald-Strane Untere Triftwiesen Kute Obere Triftwiesen Plandrišće Unterm Felsen Pod kičerom

Bergwald Vrh
Unter der Mühle Pod malinom
Kapellenäcker Za kapelom
Untere Greutäcker Dolnje krče
Obere Greutäcker Gornje krče
Hutwald Stari gai

Stari gaj Novi gaj

Steinriegel Kičerić

Dorfhalt Selska sinokoša
Unteres Andreasgreut Dolnje Jandrine krče
Oberes Andreasgreut Gornje Jandrine krče

Sumpfäcker Mocvare
Herrschaftswald Jagarova hiža
Kod fligara

Golo

Gnojina

Zwölferschlag

Brotriegel

Grenzparzellen

Dreieckwald Kulička
Mittlerer Weg Sridnji put
Krummer Weg Heravi put
Agnesfeld Šlog
Obere Hutweide Glavičice
Oberer Gemeindewald Draga
Waldwiesen Velika
Mala

Dürnbach / Vincjet 8.4.1.2

Nutarnje Hedje Innerer Berg

Osibe

Kamenjaki Steinfeld

Nadkis

Regrisi Bachwiesen Lebušar Gänsewiesen Ripaser Rübenäcker Rokotljan Lehenfelder

Ortovanji

Faluseri Dorfäcker Dni Bodenwiesen Nutarnji frtalji Innere Felder Sridnji frtalji Mittlere Felder Vanji frtalji Äußere Felder Vanji teleki Äußere Ried Sridnji teleki Mittlere Ried Vodeni krči Greutäcker Vanji Rambarski

Sridnji Rambarski

Nutarnji Rambarski

Paše Rambe Trnjače Gajc

Sinokoše

Dubrava Gušća Gušćara Crikveno Äußere Rambarski

Weideäcker Rabenwald Dornäcker

Wiesenäcker

Frankenau / Frakanava

Zavrti Hinter den Gärten Podgmajne Untere Gemeindeheide

Farsko Pfarrgrund Veliko polje špici Spitzfelder Veliko polje štuki . Stückfelder Štuki kod cimitora Friedhofsäcker Dužički štuki Lange Äcker Željarija Söllneräcker Auf dem Teil Na dijelci Velike Burkave Groß-Burgau Klein-Burgau Male Burkave Malo polje štuki Kleinfeld

Novo Neue Waldäcker Sridnje Mittlere Waldäcker Staro Alte Waldäcker Zasadi Hintere Äcker Bergäcker Brigi Untere Äcker Pod zasadi Gornje Obere Wiesen Pod brigi Untere Wiesen Prik potošca Überm Bach Turoška Türkenwiesen Gmajna Gemeindeheide Med potoki Zwischen den Bächen

Ripišće Rübenäcker Jerbine Bachäcker Laptić Kleines Bachfeld

U ogradi Haag Sinokoše Hausgründe Krči Rodeland Veliki lug Großer Luk

Großwarasdorf / Veliki Borištof

Meksika Banat

Untere Waldäcker Jantolovica Untere Sandäcker Dolnja pijeska Obere Sandäcker Gornja pijeska Gušća Hainfelder

Kazar

Kamenjak Steinäcker Gorinska podvornica Obere Hofäcker Dolinska podvornica Untere Hofäcker Priknja podvornica Drübere Hofäcker

Unterm Bach

Za cimitorom Oljbica

Duga kod kapele

Pod cerjem

Va krumpi cerja

Grm Im Busch Pod grmom **Unterm Busch** Krč Wiesenfelder Frtalj

Ripišće Rübenäcker Gajić Greut

Sedlenica Paprenica

Pustika Brachfelder

Kod hruške Zasade Kod Antona

Taläcker Draga Drivnjak Wiesenfelder

Kod Šuševa Ubr zelja Kod mostaca

Duga Wiesenfelder Konoplišće Hanfäcker

Med puti Zwischenwegäcker

Pod vučakom

Vučak Felder unter dem Wald

Güttenbach / Pinkovac

Na krči Kutići

Dolanjske dubrave

Šikine drage Na frtalju

Ciline

Nimške dubrave

Borje Kod trinka Mujrova draga Dalnja draga Krčina

Kod stare ciste Kod fileškoga Kod majera

Krči

Miškarski

Harmisch / Vardeš

Waldäcker

Kurze Äcker
Am Riegel
Gartenäcker
Am Graben
Kračke
Na brigu
Zavrtnice
U dragi
Kotschak
Kočaki

Hutweide
Gartenwiesen

Auf dem Berg

Ebene

Teilfelder

Vrtli

Na vrhu

Ravnice

Teilfelder

Dilnice

Talfelder Hausäcker

The village area of Harmisch is a newly founded Croatian settlement of 1680. In 1934 still 2/3 of the population were Croats. Since 1945 almost no Croatian is spoken.

Hornstein /Vorištan

Weißenlaim Brnokopi Redine

Poljanka Mekota

Galgen-Hartl Kod remiza

Kod luga Kod višalov Kod nove ceste

Triftäcker Za zgonom

Prik putaca Kod lokvov Va žliba Kod zdenca Kod zelja

Kod topola Na draga Prik drag Kod pilja

Kreuzviertel Kod pilja Vušivi frtalji

Delići Cilina Novi marof

Bründläcker

Steinviertel Kameniti frtalji

Zgon Goniki Zeleni vrti

Krautäcker Podvornice

Habat-Halbe

Sandäcker Pijeski Bubanj Bubanj

> Pod bubnjem Bakovica Za grmom Habat Hujbe

Za grbom

Glujže

Grbica Huibica

Leithaäcker Na brodi

Kod pošcanoga briga

Purgarija Kod toma Prik jarka Kod Lajte Na meji Velike

Na me Lange Wiesen Velike

> Z'on kraj grabe Z'ov kraj grabe Med grabami Marofski zgoni

Meierhofbreite Marc Lorettowegäcker Krči

Lodischäcker Na stijenskom

Neusatzäcker Saci

Goldberg

Siebenbründl Cimprinar Sigeter Weide Ravnica

Kaisersdorf / Kalištrof

Kod Alojziuša Jerbinje Svinjska paša Prantl

Jegarsko
K Tjespuhu
Jarke
Veliki lapti
Sinokošice
Nutarnji delić
Vanjski delić
Podvornice
Vrdirski brig

Klenac Draževke Kod Antona K Nëutolju Grahe Na kraki Štogalj Kod kapele Pod lapti Kod križa

Konoplišće Pod selske Ripišće Na kozi K Racindrofu Djulinove

Racindrofski jarak

Va sigeti Podvornice Kod Marije Kod hrušak Cvika

Huferova jama Mezarički jarak Va brodci Drage

Gospodska loza Na Paukovci Beim Aloysius Erbäcker Sauweide Brandl Jägerseite Gegen Neudorf Gräben Große Äcker Kleine Wiesen Innere Teiläcker

Äußere Teiläcker

Äußere Hofäcker Hüterberg Hohlweg Senke

Beim Antonius Gegen Neutal Erbsenäcker

Stadel

Bei der Kapelle Unter den Äckern Beim Kreuz Hanfäcker Unter dem Dorf Rübenäcker Auf der Geiß Gegen Draßmarkt Juliusfelder

Draßmarkter Graben

Auf der Insel Hofäcker Bei der Maria Bei den Birnen Keiläcker Hofergraben Mesaritschgraben In der Furt

Herrschaftswald Am Paukowatz

Senke

Kleinwarasdorf / Mali Borištof

Kusić Gaj

Vodenjaki Wasserfelder

Drage Kod Mihovilja Za hižicami Ravnice Črvak Jabučni Ubr sinokošic

Mali kamenjaki Kleine Steinäcker Kuti Winkeläcker

Topolje Velike paljane Male paljane Pod cerjen

Pod cerjen sinokoše

Grabari Grabenfelder Široke Breitwiesen

Oljbe Močilce

Gornje podvornice Obere Hofäcker Jerbinje Erbfelder

Dolnje podvornice Untere Hofäcker Ugljenka Kohlenäcker

Mertovica

Podvornice Hofäcker

Za grabom Hinter dem Graben

Cerje Za cerjen

Za leskari Haselnussfeld
Unsperak Hundsberg
Zelišće Krautäcker

Petir Replj Kamenica Na kralji

Šlajfrke Schleiferäcker

Kod Antona

Vraćke Wendäcker
Na brigu Bergäcker
Željarski Söllneräcker
Dragi Taläcker

Maliborištofski krči Kleinwarasdorfer Greut

Gerištofski krči

Krči

Šćika Zwickeläcker

Borje Draška

Gerištofski red

Sridnji red Mitterberg

Pustike Na Cagi Siča

Štamperski red Steinberger Weingärten

Caga Cesarice Krajčina

Kroatisch Geresdorf / Gerištof

Konoplišće Potokom Košće

Zdola cimitora Zgora sela Jerbine Šuševski krči Željarski krči Rajdinga Sridnji red Prvi red

Va topoli Gaj Sridnje grbe Pod laptići

Grbe Za vrti Pustike Kod mostaca Veliki cer

Urbarijalska loza

Lešće
Veliki lapti
Dugava
Pod vinogradi
Borje delki
Delki
Gora
Pod grajom
Borištofski krči

Zgornje majersko Majersko prik ceste

Zdolnje majersko

Hanffelder Bachäcker Beinfelder Unterm Friedhof Oberm Dorf Erbäcker

Nebersdorfer Rodung

Söllnerrodung Raidingäcker Mitterstoß Vorderstoß Bei den Pappeln Söllnerhain Mittlere Bühel Unter den Äckern

Bühel

Hinter den Gärten Einödfelder Beim Brückl Großer Eichenwald

Urbarialwald Laubäcker Große Äcker

Unter den Weingärten Rotkreuzäcker

Weinberg Unter den Auen

Kleinwarasdorfer Rodung Untere Meierhofgründe Obere Meierhofgründe

Meierhofgründe über der Straße

Kroatisch Minihof / Mjenovo

Pod borjem Gerištofske paže Sridnja paža Gornje Tratjne Tratine

Žiranska paža Mala paža Kašnji brig Zdenčac U brišku Pod ravnicami Željarije K sinokošam Zavrtnice Konoplišće Gornja loza

Želud Pustika Paraga

Željarska loza

Unter den Föhren
Geresdorfer Wasen
Mittlerer Wasen
Obere Rasenäcker
Rasenäcker
Teninger Wasen
Kleiner Wasen
Westberg
Bründläcker
Beim Hügel
Unter den Ebenen
Söllnergründe
Zu den Wiesen

Hinter den Gärten Hanfäcker

Langental / Longitolj

Kod sipi Beim Damm

Pod grmljice

Željarsko Söllneräcker

Butinka

Prikgrmi Hinter den Sträuchern

Grmi uz cestu Strauchäcker I
Grmi uz lozu Strauchäcker II
Paliana Tränke

Paljana Tränke Kosovica Amselfeld

Nimški krči Deutsche Rodungen

Pod puhi Za pustikami

Kod piše staze

Grabarje

Novi krči

K ravnoj dubravi

Kod Šužovskoga puta

Beim Fußpfad

Grabenfelder

Neue Rodungen

Zum ebenen Auwald

Kod Šužovskoga puta

Kod Šuševskoga puta

Sridnji krči

Beim Nebersdorfer Weg
Mittlere Rodungen

Sridnji Mitteläcker
Med puti Zwischen den Wegen

Ripišće Rübenäcker Kod Caganskoga puta Beim Zagaer Weg

Gornja dubrava

Caga Zaga

Nebersdorf / Šuševo

Vraćke Wendäcker
Krčac Rodeland
Sinokošice Kleine Wiesen
Mali kusi Kleine Stückäcker
Šafraniki Safranfelder
Holjbice Kurze Halbäcker
Novi kusi Neue Stückäcker

Zaholjbe Hinter den Halbäckern Ripišće Rübenäcker Striki Streckäcker Brigi Bergäcker Arovi Aräcker

ČičeviceHalbäckerHoljbeHalbäckerTravnikiRasenäckerGospodskoHerrschaftsfeldZelišćaKrautäckerKonoplišćaHanfäckerPodovorniceHofäckerČistinaLichtung

Nikitsch / Filež

Podvornice Hinter den Höfen Kod ceste An der Straße Željarije Söllneräcker Gaju Hainäcker Pijeski Sandäcker Devni

DolacNiederungGornje dugeObere LangäckerDolnje dugeUntere LangäckerGerbeBuckeläcker

Široke kod ceste Breitäcker an der Straße Ribić Fischerried

Ribić Fischerried
Jaglenci Hirseäcker
Holjbe Holbe

Kratko ripišće Kurze Rübenfelder
Dužičko ripišće Lange Rübenfelder
Široke kod Marije Breitäcker bei der Maria

Moče Sumpfäcker Piljui Rabenäcker

Male Presteške
Velike Presteške
Brestovac
Loparice

Kleine Perestagenäcker
Große Perestagenäcker
Perestagenäcker
Brachäcker

Loparice Brachäcker
Lozišće Wäldchenäcker
Brešće Ulmenäcker
Duge kod delić Lange Teiläcker
Va nuglji kod delić Winkeläcker

Va nuglji kod delić Winkeläcker
Holjbice Kleine Holbe
Slivlje Zwetschkenäcker
Kmetske Untertanenried
Cernik Bei den Steineichen

Pod stupišći Pflockäcker Klade Kirchenäcker

Gospodinovo Štuk

Mali va lozi Kleine Waldäcker Kamenjice

Veliki va lozi Große Waldäcker
Pod klenovlji Am Ahornwald
Zelišće Krautäcker
Gora Weingebirge
Pod gajem Unter dem Hain

Parndorf / Pandrof

Hat Hutweide
Hana Bauernhana
Mali najrizi Kleine Neuriss
Male hane Kleinhäuslerhana
Veliki najrizi Große Neuriss
Hathof Heidhof

Mekotice

Djedačevo Kälberweide Draga na brig Bergdraga

Draga
Placni vrti
Hausgärten

Zeleni vrti Hausgarten
Jamljaki Hausgarten

Vodenjaki Rijetka sič Fohlengarten

Loza Pirscherwald Jägerbreiten

Kasperak Geißberg Šafljarsko Überländ Draške

Zadnji vrti Hausgärten

Štoncovo
Gorice
Najhof Parndorfer Feld
Va rajni Auwinkel

Va rajni Auwinkel Pokfortsko Rohräcker Grhavsko

Šanac Schanzbreiten Frajinge Freiäcker Štriki Strickäcker

Reinersdorf / Žamar

U guslarovom jarku Štremska draga

U luka
Jarače
Kutić
Donje luke
Najzad
Vrbova luka
Glavica
Koperga
Lozari

Sankt Kathrein / Katalena

The originally German village area of Sankt Kathrein was resettled by Croats before 1600. Today the inhabitants still speak Croatian, but do not want to be called Croats.

The field names recorded are purely Croatian, the local council, however, has decided that only German field names (usually bad translations from Croatian) be placed in the land register. Only 1 Croatian name has found its way into the land register, namely Kotschak, Germanised from Croatian Kučak, meaning little corner field.

Waldäcker Kurze Äcker Am Riegel Im Graben Im Winkel Über den Wiesen Auf dem Berge

Ebene
Talfelder
Herrschaftswald
Gartenäcker
Bei den Wiesen
Kotschak

Kotschak Hutweide Gärten Hausäcker Teilfelder

Schachendorf / Čajta

Revidba
Bordulat
Zapadni telek
Keveš
Kiketiš
Delimarkova
Mervedj
Kišhatoba
Ribofalj
Brizina
Pongarba
Lasoba
Valoš
Čunkaš
Berek

Pustabuč

Hrastina

Curak Brižak Ležišće

Ritkizba

Fischteich Kehrfeld Westfeld Steinfeld I Steinfeld II Felgen Straßenäcker Lange Äcker Am Hügel Birkenried Bachäcker Krautäcker Anger Brand I Brand II Rodung Eichenwald

Wiesenfeld

Schandorf / Čemba

Šarje Unterm Dorf Nutarnje dolansko Untere Wiesen

Vanje dolansko

Med sinokošami Neben den Wiesen Čardaško Csardasäcker

Zališćiće

Donje popovo Waldäcker

Gaheć

Gornje popovo Bauernwald Vanja gušća Neben dem Wald

Nutarnja gušća Vanja ravnica

Nutarnja ravnica Flache Äcker

Varnip Berek

Močvara Berg

Pod štrekom Bahnäcker unter den Gärten

Nutarnji kiveš Unterm Steinfeld Kiveš Steinfeld

Bardo Am Schachendorfer Weg

Za vrti Unter den Gärten Poli potoka Neben dem Bach Zeleni vrti Krautäcker

Krautacker
Kračina Kurze Äcker
Dužina Lange Äcker
Gornji lapoš Laposch

Donji lapoš Pažut

Velika rakta Große Äcker

Vanja mala rakta Äußere kleine Äcker

Nutarnja mala rakta Grenzwiesen

Gorond prik potoka

Podlapoš Unterlaposch Gorond

Nimško Am Hannersdorfer Weg

Vanji Porkiduc Am Burger Weg

Nutarnji Porkiduc

Stegersbach / Santalek

Kutići Winkel

Gmajnica

Puste luke Öde Wiesen Krčina Greut Diboka draga Tiefer Graben

Ograda Gehag

Dubravica Eichenwäldchen Naprik Überm Graben

Lucina Cirovac

Cilina Wasen
Ravnica Eben(äcker)
Sridak Mitterfeld
Pod lapti Unterfeld
Gušćara Dickicht
Močilo Nassgrund

Med jarki Zwischen den Gräben

Curak Rinnsal
Luka Wiese
Luknja Loch
Okolar Scheiben
Garina Brand

Za puti Hinter den Wegen

Gnjiha

Trsje Weingarten Rebro Bergrücken Draga Graben

The German municipality of Stegersbach was matched by a Croatian settlement "Croatian Stegersbach" in 1581. Today the Cratian language has got totally lost; Croatian has only remained in form of the field names.

Steinbrunn / Štikapron

Podvornica Westliche Untere Gartenäcker

ČetrtinaVierteläckerLoziceKleine WaldäckerGospodskiHerrschaftsäcker

Zdenčić Bründl
K lokvi Teichäcker
Dugi Langäcker
Mekota Nassäcker
Lučice Gänseäcker

Podvornica Östliche untere Gartenäcker Za trslji Hintere Weingartenäcker

Šinokoše Wiesenäcker Cvišinokoše Nebenwiesenäcker

Krč Hügeläcker
Pod lozu Untere Waldäcker

Drage Taläcker

Hartl-Hutweide

Mlaka Sumpfäcker

Hutweide

Na polji Feldäcker

Strittfeld Obere Breiten Untere Breiten

Rogozi Rohräcker

Gonik

Trausdorf / Trajštof

Zeleni vrti Krautäcker Gorinski veliki Obere Großäcker

Prikranjski veliki

Marofsko Herrschaftsbreiten Prik sinokoša Über den Wiesen

Dijeli

Sridnji treti klas. Sridnji drugi klas

Sridnji Brijestu Široki Četvrtina Brijestu prvi klas Brijestu treti klas

Polje Große Heide Prepovid Verbot

Luke Staje Konopni vrt

K Uzlopu sinokoše Wulkawiesen

Daunji Gornje Dolnje

Sac Satz
Trsljeni Satz
Weingärten

Slogi Paulovci

Loza Fasangarten

Pod laptići Hižičarski Gmajski Grebljice Poprični Jagarovi Kratki Grmi

Nadomješćeni

Lesični Dužički Prvi talj Drugi talj

Drugi klasi Lange Großäcker
Dolinski veliki Untere Großäcker
Pruštofu Prodersdorfer

Štajrovci Med potoki Krčići

Urbarijal Gemeinsame Hutweide

Za lozi

Unterpullendorf / Dolnja Pulja

Gornje sinokoše Vanjski kableši Nutarnji kableši Zavrtnice Krčići

Nutarnji hudbajti Kratki hudbajti Hudbajti

Hudbajti Podželjarsko Poprični dijeli Kratki dijeli Hižni dijeli

Brigi Prosišće Poprično Željari Dolnji lapti Veliki lapti

Konoplišće

Slivnjaki Hižne sinokoše

Pijeski Šaš Laptići Cerje

Pod vinogradi

Zelišće Ferštovo Obere Wiesen Äußere Metzenfelder Innere Metzenfelder

Gartenäcker Greutfelder Innere Hutweide Kurze Hutweide Hutweide

Querteilfelder Kurze Teilfelder Hausteilfelder Bergäcker Söllnerfelder Querfelder Söllnerfelder Untere Felder Großäcker Hanffelder Zwetschkenried Hauswiesen Sandland Saure Wiesen Kleinäcker Zerwald

Unterm Weingarten

Krautäcker

Herrschaftsbesitz

Weingraben / Bajngrob

Öde Gärten Schulgrund Karler Hotter Hinter den Häusern Zigeunergraben Brunnstauden I

Brunnstauden I
Brunnstauden II
Kleine Brunnstauden
Gegen den Graben
Kreuzwegäcker
Gemeindeäcker

Teiläcker Kallafeld Kurze Kallaäcker Gartenäcker Mitteläcker Untere Erben Obere Erben

Langäcker Obere Langäcker Auf der Höhe

Cirje

Mekotica

Gjieze Angeräcker Hutweide-Gmeina

Gmeina Borje Urbarialwald Blumauäcker

Herrschaftswald

Pusti vrt Školnikovo Hatar Podvornice

Gušćadje Dugo gušćadje Mali brig Prijarke Križe putje Gmajski laptići

Dijelići Kale Kratke kale Vrtići Sridnji lapti Dolnje jerbinice Gornje jerbinice Mekotice Dugi lapti

Zgornji dugi lapti

Vrhi

Sridnje kraćice

Cirje Med staza Kraćice Djijeze Tratine

Tratine
Dolnja gmajna
Gornja gmajna
Dolnje borje
Gmajska loza
Planava
Na dijeli

Juhaske Gospodsko

Wulkaprodersdorf / Vulkaprodrštof

Grede Pflanzsteig
Mauzlji Mauselwiesen
Pijeski Sandäcker

Gospodske Zdolnje spašišće Untere Weide

Gojnik
Dolinske Wulkawiesen

Zeleni vrti

Zdola sela veliki Wulkaäcker Zdolinji veliki

Zavrti veliki Hirtergartenäcker

Brückläcker

Laptići

Hundrćevi
Bližnji
Sridnji
Glavice
Skradnji
Grilje
Pod široki

Zgornje spašišće Obere Weide Zdolnji feljki Fölligäcker

Zgornji feljki

Feljki kod zdenca
Lesičine Fuchsenäcker

Diboki put
Suljci

Šlutne
Dijeli Teilwiesen)

Godspodski Cekre

Sridnje sinokoše Bližnje sinokoše Goljiakari

Zagersdorf /Cogrštof

Veliki kod brezdićov

Zgora sela veliki

Ledenice
Konoplišće
Zemlja
Za crikvu
Zavrtni
Zdola sela
Breiten

Zdonje šinokoše Untere Wiesen

Ripišće Veliki Žbornji Krči Krampi

Najris Neuriss Podhižni Waldäcker

Stari hutvajd

Lozni Mitterried

Zillingtal / Celindof

Hutweide

Podvornica Hofäcker

Meja

Moča Untere Nassländer Ukrajčić Obere Nassländer

Pod vrti Mali Kleinwiesenfeld

Veliki Großwiesenfeld

Rudolfshof
Dužički Langäcker
Sridnji kus Langäcker

Od ceste Zeleni vrt Untere Krautgärten

Remise Pumparovo Neustift

Gorica Obere Weideäcker Šič Obere Weideäcker Spitz

Ropava Rappachsche Äcker Staro trslje Weingartäcker Pod saci Satzäcker

Podloza Untere Waldäcker

Säulenäcker Mitterberg Meierhofbreiten

ČetrtineVierteläckerPijeskiOberer GoldbergŽajnaTrockenäckerPrakarovoUnterer GoldbergSridnji brigKleinmitterberg

Sridnji brig
Travnik
Zdahova
Kleinmitterberg

ANNEX 8.4.2 Hungarian Field Names

8.4.2.1 Oberpullendorf / Felsőpulya

Felső rét Fenyős Belső csarna Külső csarna Nyáras Angyalhegy Szőlő Tulsó szőlő Dócza Középdülő

Wiesengrund Tannäcker Innere Äcker Äußere Äcker Sommerfeld Engelberg Weinberg

Hegy Berek alja Kis erdő Kővecses

Érmogyoró Ér Nagyföld

Zsibarét Vizköz

Mitteläcker Bergäcker

8.4.2.2 Mitterpullendorf / Közepulya

Gát Angyalhegy Hegyesfőldek Tyukhegy Diós Györvölgy Kettös Kisföld

Hosszú (földek) Uraság rét Nagyrétek Helyrétek

Irtás retek Péterföld Szőlő Burdicz Ér

Külső legelő Alsó legelő Belső legelő Langental Szőlők alatt Pörös

Víszkösz Nagyföld Tyukhegyi erdő Gerbonok

Wehr Engelberg Bergfelder Hühnerberg Nussäcker Raabtal Doppelfelder Kleine Felder Lange Felder Herrschaftswiese Große Wiesen Ortswiesen

Rodungswiesen Peterfeld Weingarten

Erifeld Äußere Weide Untere Weide Innere Weide

Unter den Weingärten Bannwald Zwischenwasser Großes Feld Hühnerbergwald (Gaberling)

8.4.2.3 Siget in der Wart / Őrisziget

Felső rét Obere Wissen
Öreg fák Hochholz
Réti dülö Wiesenried
Hegyi dülö Riegelacker
Lapos Ebene Ried

Rajsz Eger szántó Erläcker

Telek
Fenék Tiefboden
Hosszú rét Lange Wiesen
Irtás Greuten
Házhelyek Hausäcker

Nyugati nád West-Zickenwiesen

Káposzta föld Krautäcker Nyugati álogos West-Alogos Keleti álogos Ost-Alogos Fongár álogos Fongar

Fongár álogos Fonga Kercsina Kercs

Tály

Köves

Berda Telek

----- Zickenbachäcker
Keleti nád Ost-Zickenried
Utonkül Draußerm Weg
Hosszú föld Lange Äcker
Harasztköz

Dárdó
Közép dülö
Nagy csorda hajtó
Völgyón alul
Tótok földje
Große Trift
Unterm Graben
(Kohriegel)

Völgy Graben
Sáfor János

Pás
Malom
Mühlried

Hosszú Lange Ried Avas

Kis csorda hajtó Kleine Trift Nyires Birkenried Vágás Schlag

Steinige Ried

8.4.2.4 Unterwart /Alsóőr

Alsó rét Rét kertek Felső gyöp Gyöpi földek Alsó gyöp Kis hosszú Nagy hosszú Fülöpök földek Kereszt Széki nyíres Csarita Hosszú földek Fenék Komocsi Falu rét Falu föld

Túlsó rétek

Gát

Puszta malom Felső rét Nagy rét Mező sorompó Kárász Által úti Óvás alatti Felső telek Telek az úton alul Hagon hegy Oldali földek Képi szőllők

Fehér kép – Császa Markók árka Alsó kútfej Zarka kút

Felső kútfej

Körtefa – Körtvélyfa

Tövispart
Gyákiak óvása
Geczi völgy
Benkők szőllei
Hegymegett
Palánk rét
Füle völgy
Tótok szőllei
Török Mihaly hegy
Bodonos kút
Josek szőllei
Benkők ovása
Nádashegy
Felső völgy

Irtás Simon erdő

Felső nádas Hagon haraszt

Felső borda Közép borda Tótok völgy Tilalmas Domb Untere Wiesen Gartenwiesen Oberer Anger Rasenäcker Unterer Anger Kleingrund Langwiesen Fülöp-Äcker Kreuzäcker Birkenwald Wartäcker Langäcker Grund Kummetgrund

Kummetgrund
Dorfwiesen
Dorfäcker
Pinkawiesen
Wehr
Mühlwiesen
Obere Wiese
Großwiese
Flur
Fischtal
Wegleiten
Unter der Warte

Oberer Grund Straßengrund Farnberg Seitenäcker Am Bildstock Weißes Kreuz Marko-Graben Untere Quelle Zarka-Brunnen Obere Quelle Birnengrund Dornengrund Gyaki-Warte Geczi-Tal

Benkö-Weingarten Hinterm Berg Palank-Wiesen Ohrental Toth-Weinberg Türkenberg Beerenbrunnen Josef-Weinberg Benkö-Warte Rohrberg Oberes Tal Schlag Simon-Wald

Obere Sumpfwiesen

Farnwald Oberer Rücken Mittelrücken Toth-Tal Bannwald Hügel Cserespart Határ Szarka rét Szálláson alul

Szállás Barnya láp

Barnya oldal – Tagok

Barnya oldal Markók nyíres Alsó völgy Gyökeres Új szőllők Sűrű vágás

Szegények osztálya Nádas mellék Mogyorós Bükk Alsó nádas

Fenyős Szent kút Hideg oldal Bakos Pörös földek

Puszta szőllők Alsó szőllők Bálint óvása Sűrű alja Sűrű szőllők Partos földek Közép telek Fongár Alsó hegy Alsó telek

Berda

Gerberwald Grenzwald Elsterwiesen Herbergsseite

Herberge Barnya-Wiesen Barnya-Wald Barnya-Leiten Marko-Wald Unteres Tal Wurzeltal

Neue Weinberge Dichter Schlag Armengrund Rohrleiten Haselwald Buche

Untere Sumpfwiesen

Fichtenäcker Heiligenbrunn Kalte Leiten Bockacker Streitäcker

Puszta-Weinberge Untere Weingärten Balint-Warte

Dickicht

Dichte Weinberge

Steiläcker Mittlerer Grund Flutfang Unterer Berg Unterer Grund

ANNEX 8.5 Ethnic Groups Non-Government Organisations

8.5.1 Croatian NGO-Associations

Hrvatsko kulturno društvo u Gradišću – HKD

Croatian culture association in Burgenland, Eisenstadt. Numerically greatest and oldest organization of the Burgenland Croats, cultural support of the Croatian speaking population, representation in ethnic matters.

Hrvatsko Gradišćansko kulturno društvo u Beču – HGKD Burgenland-Croatian culture association in Vienna

Hrvatsko štamparsko društvo – HŠtD Croatian press association, Eisenstadt. Editing the Croatian weekly and other publications in Croatian language.

Hrvatski akademski klub – HAK Croatian university graduates association, Vienna-Eisenstadt.

Hrvatski kulturni i dokumentarni centar – HKDC Croatian culture and documentation centre, Eisenstadt.

Narodna visoka škola Gradišćanskih Hrvatov - HNVŠ Adult evening school of the Burgenland Croats, Eisenstadt.

Društvo za obrazovanje Gradišćanskih Hrvatov – DOGH Educational association of the Burgenland Croats, Trausdorf.

ZORA - Društvo Gradišćanskih pedagogov Association of Burgenland Croatian pedagogues, Eisenstadt.

Znanstveni institut Gradišćanskih Hrvatov – ZIGH Scientific Institute of the Burgenland Croats, Eisenstadt.

Prezidij SPÖ-mandatarov iz hrvatskih i mianojezičnih opčin u Gradišću Executive committee of the SPÖ local councillors from Croatian and mixed-language municipalities in Burgenland, Eisenstadt.

Djelatna zajednica hrvatskih političarov u Gradišću – DZ Work group of Croatian local politicians in Burgenland, Kroatisch Geresdorf. ÖVP counterpart to the SPÖ executive committee.

Panonski institut – PAIN Pannonian institute, Güttenbach.

Kulturna zadruga – KUGA Culture association KUGA, Großwarasdorf.

Gradišćansko-hrvatski centar – CGH Burgenland Croatian centre, Vienna.

8.5.1.1 Additional institutions within the Burgenland-Croatian Centre:

Folklore ensemble KOLO-SLAVUJ Sports club SC GRADIŠĆE Mixed choir OTVORENA SRCA Tamburica band HAKOVSKI TAMBURAŠI Tamburica band TAMBEĆARI Music group HATSKI TRIO

Children's folklore group PIPLICI Kindergarten children's group VIVERICA Senior citizens' club KLUB SENIOROV

8.5.1.2 Local music groups:

Croatian folklore and Tamburica music are very popular, not only with the Croats but also in the majority population of Austria. This has led to the establishment of dance groups and music bands in almost each Croatian or mixed-language village. These groups do not depend on subsidies but can survive through live performances.

KOLO-SLAVUJ Folklore ensemble of the Burgenland Croats

TOP PINKOVAC Tamburica and folklore ensemble Güttenbach/Pinkovac

STINAČKO KOLO Folklore ensemble Stinatz/Stinjaki

Tamburica ensemble Weiden bei Rechnitz/Bandol **VLAHIJA**

TOČ ČEMBA Tamburica ensemble Schandorf/ Čemba

SKUPČINA VINCJET Tamburica and folklore ensemble Dürnbach/Vincjet **ŠTOKAVCI** Folklore ensemble of the south Burgenland Croats Tamburica and folklore ensemble Schachendorf/Čaijta **STALNOST** Folklore ensemble Unterpullendorf/Doljna Pulja

HAJDENJAKI

Tamburica and folklore ensemble Frankenau/Frakanava FRAKANAVCI

GRANIČARI Folklore ensemble Nikitsch/Filež

HARMONIJA Tamburica ensemble Grosswarasdorf/Veliki Borištof

POLJANCI Tamburica and folklore ensemble Wulkaprodersdorf/Vulkaprodrštof

TAMBURICA TRAJŠTOF Tamburica ensemble Trajštof Tamburica ensemble Oslip/Uzlop TAMBURICA UZLOP

Tamburica ensemble Zagersdorf/Cogrštof TAMBURICA COGRŠTOF Tamburica ensemble Siegendorf/Cindrof TAMBURICA CINDROF Tamburica ensemble Baumgarten/Pajngrt TAMBURICA PAJNGRT Tamburica ensemble Klingenbach/Klimpuh TAMBURICA KLIMPUH

TAMBURICA OTAVA Tamburica ensemble Antau/Otava

TAMBURAŠKI ORKESTAR Tamburica orchestra Steinbrunn/Štikapron

HATSKO KOLO NOVO SELO Tamburica ensemble Neudorf bei Parndorf/Novo Selo IVAN VUKOVIĆ Tamburica association "Ivan Vuković" Parndorf/Pandrof

TAMBURICA VORIŠTAN Tamburica ensemble Hornstein/Vorištan TAMBURICA CELINDORF Tamburica ensemble Zillingtal/Celindof

8.5.1.3 Brass bands:

Limena glazba Uzlop Brass band Oslip/Uzlop

Mlada limena glazba Vorištan Youth brass band Hornstein/Vorištan

8.5.1.4 Youth cultural initiatives:

MI - Mlada inicijativa Mjenovo Kroatisch Minihof/Mjenovo "Barani" Grosswarasdorf/Veliki Borištof

8.5.1.5 Amateur theatre groups:

Amateur theatre groups (Kazališne grupe) have been established in Neuberg/Nova Gora, in Güttenberg/Pinkovac, in Dürnbach/Vincjet, in Kroatisch Minihof/Mjenovo, in Nikitsch/Filež, in Großwarasdorf/Veliki Borištof, in Kroatisch Gerersdorf/Gerištof, in Klingenbach/Klimpuh, and in Zagersdorf/Cogrštof.

8.5.2 Croatian media

Hrvatske Novine

Croatian weekly edited by the Croatian press association. The newspaper is published each Friday, mainly in Burgenland-Croatian language, but also in Croatian standard language. The reports focus on the situation and the problems of the Burgenland Croats, but also deal with other ethnic groups in Austria and in other countries.

Crikveni Glasnik

Croatian church weekly, edited by the Eisenstadt diocese, pastoral office, Croatian section, appears weekly, sometimes also in double numbers in color print.

Glasilo

Official quarterly of the Croatian culture association in color print. The paper reports events in Croatian and mixed-language villages, requests and problems of the ethnic groups in Austria and Europe as well as the different activities of the culture association and other ethnic group organizations.

Novi Glas (The new voice)

Official quarterly of the Croatian university graduates association. Subject areas are ethnic policies refering to Croats in general and in particular, to Burgenland Croatian literature, student and/or youth topics, socio-political and cultural contents. Languages are Burgenland Croatian, Croatian, German, English. Novi Glas defines itself as a discussion forum of the Burgenland Croats.

Put (The way)

Club journal of the HGKD, the Croatian Culture Association in Vienna. Appears twomonthly: Subject areas are minority policies, culture, reports from the Burgenland Croatian scene in Vienna, fiction.

Gradišće Kalendar (Burgenland Calendar)

Edited by the Croatian Press Association, appears annually at the turn of the year. Calendar, literature and fiction, history, biographies, language and social-scientific articles.

Panonska ljetna knjiga (Pannonian almanac)

Edited by the Pannonian Institute, appears annually. Contents are contributions on important historical events and anniversaries, texts about exhibitions, articles about the nations and ethnic groups in the Pannonian region.

8.5.3 Hungarian NGO-Associations

Burgenland-Hungarian Culture Association, Oberwart

Its aims are cross-border cultural events considering the matters of the Burgenland Hungarian ethnic group, the official representation of the Burgenland Hungarians, and the cultivation and preservation of the Hungarian culture and traditions in Burgenland

Hungarian Institute in the "Wart" (border region), Unterwart It collects books, periodicals and newspaper articles on the Burgenland Hungarians. An annual scientific conference centers in co-operation with international Hungarian organisations. It also supports the women's choir, local folk music and further traditional events.

Hungarian media and information center (UMIZ), Unterwart UMIZ feels responsible for the preservation of the nationwide identity of the Hungarian ethnic group. It maintains a Hungarian library, records and researches the culture and the language of the Burgenland Hungarians. It keeps and initializes contacts with interested individuals and groups.

Adult Education Academy of the Burgenland Hungarians, Oberwart Burgenlandi Magyarok Népfoiskolája It offers evenig courses for adults in connection with matters of Burgenland Hungarians.

8.5.4 Roma NGO-Associations

Roma Association, Vienna and Oberwart

Its aims are the improvement of the social, economic and legal situation of the Roma, the promotion of their social integration and their chances in the fields of training and jobs, the promotion of their cultural and language identity and of cultural exchange between Roma and non-Roma.

The cultivation of contacts with other Roma associations in Austria and all over the world and concerted public relations are also regarded important

Culture Association of Austrian Roma, Vienna

It aims at a better mutual understanding of Roma and non-Roma and centers in the information and documentation of the history of the Roma, in advising individual Roma and Roma organisations, and in counselling official and government institutions on Roma problems. It edits the quarterly periodical Romano Kipo (Roma Picture).

Adult Education Academy of the Burgenland Roma, Oberwart Romengeri flogoskeri utschi ischkola It offers evenig courses for adults in connection with Roma matters.

8.5.5 Austrian Broadcasting Corporation – Studio Burgenland

According to its statutory regulations the ORF (Austrian Broadcasting Corporation) produces and broadcasts regular programs for the Austrian ethnic minorities. In the Burgenland Provincial Broadcasting Studio the three ethnic minorities Croats, Hungarians and Romans have their own programs produced by the Ethnic Groups Editorial Office:

8.5.5.1 On the radio:

Croatian News Monday to Saturday (except on holidays), about 12:40 hours

Croatian Journal Monday to Sunday, 18:15 – 18:25 hours

Hungarian Journal Monday to Sunday, 18:55 – 19:00 hours

Kulturni tajedan (Culture Week) Croatian Culture Program, Monday, 18:25 – 18:55 hours

Rub i sredina (Rim and Centre) multi-lingual ethnic magazine (Croatian, Hungarian, Romanes)

Monday, 20:4 – 21:00 hours

Plava raca (Blue Duck) Croatian children's program, Tuesday, 18:25 – 18:55 hours

Širom-barom – (Wide or Narrow) Croatian magazine, Wednesday, 18:25 – 18:55 hours

Poslušajte priliku (Listen to the Story) Croatian talk program, Thursday, 18:25 – 18:55 hours

Živo srebro (Quicksilver) Croatian youth program, Friday, 18:25 – 18:55 hours

Časak radosti (Joyful Request) Croatian request program,

Saturday and Sunday, 18:25 – 18:55 hours

Magyarul Burgenlandban Hungarian magazine, Sunday, 19:30 – 20:00 hours

Színes Kultúránk Hungarian culture program, Monday, 20:30 – 20:45 hours

Roma Sam Roma magazine, Monday, 20:45 – 21:00 hours

8.5.5.2 On television:

Dobar dan Hrvati (Good Day Croats) Croatian magazine, Sunday, 13:30 – 14:00 hours

Adj' Isten magyarok Hungarian magazine

six times per year, 13:05 – 13:30 hours

Servus Szia Zdravo Del tuha multi-lingual magazine (German, Croatian, Hungarian,

Romanes), four times a year, 14:15 – 15:00 Uhr

8.5.5.3 On the web:

The url "volksgruppen.orf.at" presents the most topical news from the filed of the ethnic groups multi-lingually every day. Additionally, the program comprises those smaller events from the every day life of the various ethnic groups that cannot be broadcast in the regular programs of the ORF out of reasons of space and time

This ORF internet platform is a joint project of the federal ethnic groups editorial office, the Slovenian editorial office Carinthia, and the Croatian/Hungarian editorial office Burgenland.