

# **VOLUNTEER POSITION DESCRIPTION**

Kentucky 4-H Program The University of Kentucky Cooperative Extension Service The University of Kentucky

## **POSITION TITLE:**

4-H Council Committee Chair

#### TIME REQUIRED:

Appointed to serve a two year term, one year as co chair and then moving up to serve as chair. Meetings held monthly

## LOCATION:

Meetings held at the Cooperative Extension Office or other meeting place

## **GENERAL PURPOSE:**

- During the first year, as co chair, assist the chair in carrying out the function of the specific committee
- Serve as a liaison from the specific committee to the entire 4-H council
- Promote 4-H in a positive manner
- Ensure a solid committee system remains in place for 4-H by leading the specific committee chairing in a positive direction for 4-H

# SPECIFIC RESPONSIBILITIES:

As Chair:

- Attend committee meetings
- lead committee meetings
- Set priorities for the committee to achieve throughout the year
- Ensure committee carries out specific responsibilities
- Submit report to full council

## **QUALIFICATIONS:**

- Must complete Volunteer Application and have on file with the Cooperative Extension Office
- Must be an approved volunteer through the risk management committee in the county
- A hard worker with a genuine interest in the 4-H program
- The ability to work as a team player with a particular committee
- A member of the 4-H Council

## **BENEFITS**:

- An opportunity to work with a youth development program to ensure quality work with young people
- Develop lifelong friendships with parents, other volunteers, youth, and professionals
- Develop marketable time management and organization skills
- Develop leadership skills
- Gain an understanding for 4-H as a whole
- Gain an understanding of local community, and its leaders

#### SALARY:

Unsalaried; volunteer. This position does not imply employment with the University of Kentucky

#### **MENTOR/SUPERVISING PROFESSIONAL:**

Name
Address:
City, State, ZIP:
Phone:
Fax:
E-Mail:

"I have read, understand and agree to fulfill the purpose and responsibilities of this volunteer position and further agree to accept guidance and direction from the supervisor. I am committing to involve individuals regardless of race, color, age, sex, religion, disability or national origin in educational experiences in cooperation with other Extension volunteers and Extension personnel. I also understand that failure to fulfill the purpose and responsibilities of the volunteer position and to accept guidance and direction from the supervisor could result in suspension of my position. I also understand that this volunteer position is renewable annually; I will notify the supervising professional if I am no longer interested in serving."

Signature of Volunteer	Date	
Signature of Extension Professional	Date	

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