State 4-H Council

Position Description Highlights

Responsibilities

1) **Represent Missouri 4-H’ers**: Stay involved in your local 4-H program. Get to know the other 4-H’ers in your area. Keep in regular contact with the County Youth Liaison in the counties you are assigned. Attend EVERY Council Mtg.

2) **Support the Missouri Youth 4-H Network Process**: Be a mentor to your County Youth Liaisons and help them stay connected to the happenings of the State 4-H Council. Reach out, be available, take the initiative and be a good listener.

3) **Assist with Planning and Implementing Major 4-H Events**: State Congress and Teen Conference are the signature events, but you’ll have the opportunity to help with others as well.

4) **Represent the Council at Special Events**: You will be asked to be on hand for a variety of 4-H events to represent the State 4-H Council, when possible.

5) **Provide Youth Input as Requested**: You will be asked to provide a youth perspective and weigh in on a variety of issues that arise throughout the year. As the voice of Missouri 4-H youth, you may be asked to advise on policy issues or be part of a briefing with state decision-makers. There are many possibilities!

To Meet Your Council Responsibilities

- Keep in regular communication with the rest of the State 4-H Council team, your Adult Advisors, and your local 4-H program
- Manage time appropriately to meet State 4-H Council duties
- Establish and maintain communication with the County Youth Liaison in the counties you are assigned.
- Serve as a role model to all other Missouri 4-H members by adhering to the State 4-H Council Code of Conduct
  - Behave and communicate in respectful and appropriate ways
  - Arrive on time or early for all scheduled meetings and events
  - Share your ideas, ask questions, and listen carefully to others
  - Have humility and serve those you are leading
  - Assume the best in others, and in yourself 😊