

Officer Application



Officer position for which you are applying *

- President
- Deputy Treasurer
- Secretary

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County in which you are a registered 4-H volunteer *

- Grand Traverse
- Leelanau
- Benzie
- Kalkaska
- Antrim

Describe your experience with 4-H in general and with the 4-H Livestock Council in particular. What other experience do you have that would qualify you for this position?

I have been involved with 4-H for 7 years now in several different areas. I have been a lead parent in our 4-H group, I have volunteered on the livestock auction committee and I have been on the NWMI Livestock board for 1 year - as the deputy treasurer.

Describe how you will actively develop and promote the 4-H Livestock Council, both during the fair and the rest of the year.

At this point all of my correspondence has been mainly social media platforms. I plan to continue to promote via social media as I feel that does have the furthest reach.

What specifically do you plan to do to keep up-to-date with your officer position?

Communication and building relationships with our peers.

What do you see as the two most important issues currently facing the 4-H Livestock Council?

Getting our kids and parents involved again. Our numbers were cut drastically when we lost our face to face interactions monthly and especially when fair 2020 was cancelled. Whether we end up going back to what we knew as normal or it stays virtual, we need to make our parents and kids feel comfortable and confident that their board and council are doing everything within our powers to make their experiences the best we can with the cards we are dealt.

What specific ideas do you have for our 4-H Livestock Council program that you would like to implement during your term in office?

I would like to see us continue with a full day of education, hosted at a local business. Our education expo received wonderful feedback and I would like us to make that happen again! Also, I would like to keep our re-sale auction virtual.

What additional information would you like to provide?

I enjoyed my 1 year term on the board as the deputy, it was definitely an eye opening experience for many reasons. I would appreciate the opportunity to see what a "normal" year would be like.

In addition to this application, please be prepared to give a 2-3 minute speech at the November meeting of the 4-H Livestock Council. This should include comments regarding your willingness and ability to serve as a 4-H Livestock Council Executive Officer and what you feel you can contribute to the 4-H Livestock Council and its programs.

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