

Washington State 4-H Livestock Ad hoc Program Committee Committee Description

Purpose:

The Committee is a program development committee responsible for the Washington State 4-H Livestock Program (beef, sheep, swine, and meat goats) and serves in an advisory role to the statewide 4-H Youth Program.

Responsibilities:

- ❑ Recommend, develop and review livestock 4-H youth curriculum including project materials, activities and events.
- ❑ Evaluate and process livestock program recommendations from the Washington 4-H Council.
- ❑ Manage the state livestock judging schools, and the Pork Quality Assurance Program.

Membership:

- ❑ State Program Leader, Extension 4-H Youth Specialist, are ex officio
- ❑ Open to all faculty, staff, and volunteers who interested in advancing the livestock animal science program in the state.

Communications:

- ❑ Conference calling.
- ❑ Email and other written communications.
- ❑ Face-to-face meetings are limited to as needed basis.

Policies & Procedures:

Cost to Committee Members:

- ❑ Face-to-face meetings will be limited to daylong meetings with lunch provided by the State 4-H office. Travel to the meeting is at the expense of the committee members and the local 4-H program.

Selection Process:

- ❑ State and County Faculty and Staff are ex officio and are always welcome to participate in any component of the animal science program. State and county faculty and staff are to do determine their length of serve in consultation with their supervisor.
- ❑ Each county selects two volunteers to serve on the committee using the standard committee application that is available on the state 4-H web site at <http://4h.wsu.edu/profdev>.

