

## Community Service Award Criteria

### Description

This award recognizes 4-H volunteers and/or members who have collaborated or cooperated with community or 4-H groups, or included them with their own 4-H club or unit, in conducting significant and/or sustainable community service projects or activities.

### Nomination and Selection Criteria

All nominees are eligible who:

- are a current 4-H volunteers (youth/adults) and/or members at the time application is made
- have successfully undertaken a service activity which benefited and positively impacted an individual, group or community.
- have created a sustainable community service project or activity.

Up to three recipients will be selected statewide and will be presented with their award at the Ohio 4-H Volunteer Recognition Luncheon.

### Information to be included in application

1. In 300 words or less for each response, please address the following:
  - a. Describe the community service activity that was conducted and who benefited from the activity. Was this a new or ongoing activity?
  - b. What was the impact or results of the community service activity?
  - c. How can this service project be sustained?

*Note: No additional pages of information, photos, and/or news clippings should be included.*

### Award and Presentation Details

An "Award Announcement Letter" listing the award recipients, will be sent to County Extension offices in early February. Extension professionals can then personally notify award recipients.

All award recipients will receive personal invitations to the Ohio 4-H Volunteer Recognition Luncheon directly from the State 4-H Office in early February. Each award recipient will receive an award during the luncheon at the Ohio 4-H Conference. Ohio 4-H Conference.

## Community Service Application Cover Sheet

**Due: December 1**

Name of Nominee:

Address:

County:

City/state/zip code:

Email:

Phone:

Has nominee received this award before?

Is nominee currently involved in Ohio 4-H?

If yes, what type of involvement (e.g. club leader, school volunteer, etc.)?

Years of 4-H volunteer work:

Name of Nominator:		
Address:		
City:	Zip:	County:
Email:	Phone:	

*Once the application is submitted, the county 4-H professional will be notified to approve this nomination.*

**Send or e-mail nominations to:**

Nationwide & Ohio Farm Bureau 4-H Center  
Allen Auck, Room 318  
2201 Fred Taylor Drive  
Columbus, Ohio 43210  
auck.1@osu.edu



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