



## **North Carolina 4-H Youth Development Declaration of Intent to Compete in a County of Non-Enrollment Policy**

This policy addresses the need for youth, families, and staff to clearly understand youth competing in 4-H programs outside of their primary enrollment county.

**This policy is to ensure that youth have equitable programmatic opportunities. It is not to be used for competitive advantage and must be renewed annually.**

Reasons a youth may need/wish to compete in a program outside of their primary enrollment county could include:

- Youth live close to county lines.
- Due to unique programmatic opportunities, youth may choose to participate in another county 4-H program.
- Opportunities in multi-county programs due to CES Staffing.



**North Carolina 4-H Youth Development  
Declaration of Intent to Compete  
In a County of Non-Enrollment**



I \_\_\_\_\_, declare that for the project year indicated, I will represent the identified county (or multi-county region) in which I am not enrolled in the \_\_\_\_\_ area/project. I understand that this declaration will not be used for competitive advantages and that I may not use this privilege to qualify for awards, trips, prizes, or scholarships in one county, region, or district after failing to qualify for the same recognition in another county, region, or district.

All of the following signatures must approve of this arrangement.

**Complete one form for each program area annually.**

Subject Matter	County/Region	Beginning Date	Ending Date

Primary County of Enrollment	County of Participation

**Agreement Approvals:**

\_\_\_\_\_  
*Participant's Signature:* \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
*Date*

\_\_\_\_\_  
*Parent's / Guardian's Signature*

\_\_\_\_\_  
*Date*

\_\_\_\_\_  
*Primary Enrollment County Extension 4-H Agent's Signature*

\_\_\_\_\_  
*Date*

\_\_\_\_\_  
*Receiving County Extension 4-H Agent's Signature*

\_\_\_\_\_  
*Date*