



**4-H ADVISORY BOARD VOLUNTEER SERVICE FORM**

**Objective:** To act in an advisory capacity to Massachusetts 4-H Extension Educators to support and strengthen the 4-H Program and to implement guidelines, policies, and priorities of the Massachusetts 4-H Program.

**Term of Appointment:** In accordance with by-laws.

**Specific Responsibilities:**

- Assume responsibility to help carry out the planned 4-H Program as determined by Massachusetts 4-H and directed by the local 4-H Educator.
- Fundraise and maintain fiscal responsibility to help underwrite the planned program under the auspices of the Massachusetts 4-H Program.
- Assist Massachusetts 4-H Extension Educators in recruitment of volunteers and members and promotion of the Massachusetts 4-H Program.
- Abide by the 4-H Board Volunteer Code of Conduct.
- Market the philosophy and objectives of 4-H and serve in an advocacy role when necessary.
- Work cooperatively with Massachusetts 4-H Extension Educators to help plan and implement programs such as recognition and other local events.

**Qualifications Needed:**

- Ability to work as a team member.
- Successful completion of the volunteer application process.
- Commitment to positive youth development.
- Time to attend Board meetings and 4-H programs and to conduct the work of the Board.

**Benefits:**

- Pride and satisfaction of providing youth development opportunities to youth.
- Opportunity for training and resume building.
- Leadership, mentoring, and marketing skill development.

This volunteer service description has been reviewed and agreed upon.

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**Signature of 4-H Volunteer**

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**Date**

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**Signature of Massachusetts 4-H Extension Educator**

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**Date**