“Back to Basics”
Livestock Program Expectations (Ag/4-H)

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Year 1</th>
<th>Year 2</th>
<th>Year 3</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>Swine</td>
<td>Sheep/Goats</td>
<td>Small Animals</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Small Animals</td>
<td>Swine</td>
<td>Sheep/Goats</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Sheep/Goats</td>
<td>Small Animals</td>
<td>Swine</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

- Involvement in district “Back to Basics” species committee as assigned or requested
- Attend district agent training in “Back to Basics” livestock species (district year 2)
- Attend mentor training in appropriate “Back to Basics” livestock species (district year 2)
- Recruit appropriate leaders to attend district mentor training or utilize steps to recruit, train, and develop volunteers into leader roles and eventually mentors (Back to the Basics species year 1 and 2)
- Recruit and involve volunteers at county level (Year 1 and 2 species)
- Increase volunteer role to leader role for year 1 species (Swine D-1, Small Animals D-2, Sheep/Goats D-3)
- Potential leaders attend leader training for year 1 species (above)
- Provide species education to youth and parents (3-5 meetings) in basic project areas (selection, health, nutrition, facilities, showmanship, care at the show) (Year 1 and 2 species)
- Utilization of species task force to plan and develop learning activities (Year 1 and 2)
- Develop a formal plan on responsibilities of volunteers, leaders, and mentors
- Develop a formal plan on how to recognize volunteers, leaders, and mentors
- The expectation after 3 years of species education we will have volunteers and leaders involved in decision making and educational delivery and each county have identified mentors to be trained

This program could easily be developed into a youth outcome and model plans for adopting this will be developed for 2014

General 4-H Ag Projects • At minimum a 4-H Back to Basics plan on species year 1 and species year 2