



# Washington State 4-H Friend of 4-H Nomination

**Nominations must be received by August 15**

The Washington State 4-H Youth Development Program recognizes outstanding persons or businesses/ organizations that have contributed to making Washington State 4-H what is today. The recipient of the Friend of Washington State 4-H Award will be honored at the State 4-H Annual 4-H Recognition Event held on October 25, 2025.

**Eligibility:** This award is open to any person or organization/business who has made a significant contribution at the state or national level to the development of 4-H in Washington. Nominations will be accepted by any person or group in the 4-H organization.

Nominee: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

County or State where nominee was active: \_\_\_\_\_

Please provide a brief nomination statement using the following points as a guideline. You may use up to two additional sheets of paper. Incomplete nominations will not be considered.

Nomination should include:

- What is the significant contribution to 4-H? Be specific!
- What is the breadth or depth of the contribution?
- Length of commitment
- Impact on 4-H
- Impact on their life or business
- Impact on the community
- Future interests of the nominee
- In what ways has the nominee been recognized?
- If selected, a digital photograph (600 dpi or greater) will be requested no later than September 15.

Nominator Contact Information (You may be contacted for further information.)

Nominator: \_\_\_\_\_ Relationship to Nominee: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

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