

**2008 - 2009 Southwest Iowa Area 4-H Council**

**Application Form**

Name \_\_\_\_\_ County \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_ Town \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

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

Cell Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Parent(s)/Guardian(s) \_\_\_\_\_

Grade in School \_\_\_\_\_ School \_\_\_\_\_

Briefly describe your leadership experiences in 4-H.

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Briefly describe your leadership experiences outside of 4-H.

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Why do you want to be part of the SW Iowa 4-H Area Council?

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List one specific leadership skill you'd personally like to strengthen during the next year and explain why.

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What topics or issues would you like to see the Area Council address?

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Are you willing to commit 40-60 hours between November and August, to help strengthen the 4-H and Youth program in our area?       Yes       No

Will you be able to attend the first retreat scheduled for November 10-11, 2007?       Yes       No

Are you willing to share ideas and listen to the ideas of others?       Yes       No

Are you committed to gathering input from others?       Yes       No

Are you open to using communication techniques such as email, instant messaging and ICN?       Yes       No

Are you willing to find your own transportation to group activities?       Yes       No

Are you committed to arranging your schedule to participate in the meeting and activities of the Area Council?       Yes       No

Please indicate which, if any, of these you are a part of:

County Council       2008-2009 State 4-H Council  
 2007 - 2008 Area 4-H Council       2008-2009 Iowa Youth Technology Team

If you were a part of last year's council, tell us how you promoted 4-H area council activities in your county this past year:

If selected, how will you share your experience to promote 4-H in Union County?

**Return this completed form and a letter of recommendation from a non-relative adult to your County Extension Office by**

**Wednesday, October 8, 2008**