Iowa State University Extension and the _______ County Agricultural Extension District are expected to recruit and train responsible volunteer leaders dedicated to a safe learning environment for children in the 4-H Youth Development program. Volunteers are an important part of the ISU Extension 4-H Youth Development program for youth in grades K-12. In order to meet legal requirements and societal expectations, please read and sign this statement. Thank you for your understanding and compliance, and for helping the youth of Iowa.

As a 4-H volunteer:

1. I will make a conscious effort to ensure that all youth have access to the 4-H Youth Development program.

2. I will not manufacture, distribute, dispense, possess, use, or be under the influence of illegal drugs and/or alcohol while I have responsibility for youth involved in the 4-H Youth Development program.

3. I will not abuse any youth or adult program participant (abuse as defined in the Code of Iowa). A copy of the appropriate Iowa code, section 232.68 (1995), is available in the County Extension Office.

4. I will comply with State of Iowa motor vehicle-related regulations and laws when transporting 4-H youth.

5. I will participate in training and accept guidance and support from ISU Extension staff and other volunteers.

6. I will not use the volunteer position for private, personal, or commercial financial gain.

I have read the Iowa State University Extension Youth Safety and Well-being Agreement and understand that compliance is a condition for continuing involvement as a 4-H volunteer.

_________________________________________  ____________________________  _____________
Signature of Volunteer                         Print your name                       Date

White copy: Return to your County Extension Office.
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