## WASHTENAW COUNTY PROJECT MEDAL NOMINATION FORM THIS FORM IS DUE IN THE MSU EXTENSION OFFICE BY

August 31<sup>st</sup> (current 4-H year)

Leaders are encouraged to nominate eligible and deserving 4-H members for County 4-H Medals. Members are also encouraged to nominate themselves. All youth need to be recognized for their accomplishments. County 4-H Medals are a form of recognition: helping to build self esteem and encouraging members to continue to strive for higher goals. County 4-H Medals are given to 4-H members who have greatly improved their skills in a particular project(s) or whose project involvement has been significant and successful.

All enrolled 4-H members who are 13-19 years old by January 1 of the current year are eligible to receive County Project Medals. These medals are awarded with the following rules in mind:

- The 4-H member MUST be enrolled in the project area that the award medal represents, with the exception of achievement.
- 2. A maximum of TWO award medals may be received in any one year.
- 3. A 4-H member can only be awarded a particular county project medal once. (Example: you cannot be given the beef medal twice.)
- 4. Up to **Three** medals can be awarded per project area each year.

## Possible award areas include:

Plants & Animals:	Communication Arts Communication Art	Engines,Tractors & Field Equipment	Environmental Stewardship:
Agriculture	Public Speaking	Wood Science	Forestry
Aquaculture	Reporting Media	Industrial Arts	Wildlife & Fisheries
Beef	Performing Arts	Physical Science	Outdoor Education &
Swine	Photography & Video	,	Recreation
Poultry	Visual Arts	Activities:	Shooting Sports
Cats	Science & Technology:	Community Service	Consumer & Family
Cavy			Sciences
Dogs	Biological Science	Demonstration	Child Care
Dairy	Entomology & Bees	Fashion Revue	Clothing & Textiles
Goats	Plant Science	Judging	Consumer Education
Horse	Veterinary Science	Personal Development:	Consumer & Family
Llama		Personal Development	Science
			Home Environment
Rabbits	Technology & Engineering	Hobbies & Collections	Family Life
Sheep	Aerospace	Leadership	Healthy Living
Pets	Computer Technology	Achievement	Food & Nutrition
Gardening &	Electricity	Lamp of Knowledge	Healthy Living
Horticulture			Safety
			Bicycle
			Citizenship:
			Citizenship & Civic
			Education

Coordinating Leaders or members should complete and mail the County Project Medal nomination form to the MSU Extension Office by **August 31<sup>st</sup>** Nominees will then be sent an application which will be due **September 30<sup>st</sup>** at 4:30 pm.

When you nominate a 4-H member, they will be sent a County Awards Application to complete. Teens may also now self-nominate, but will need a leader signature. Remember, you only need to nominate the member and indicate the project area. Please help deserving members this year through your nomination.

Name	Age as of Jan 1(current 4-H year)	Project Area		
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By signing this form, I authorize any of the above members to submit an application. No further signature will be needed, unless the teen requests a note of support (optional) or a non-listed teen self-nominates, then a note and signature will be required.

- The member must have been enrolled during current 4-H year.
- Do not nominate a member in more than three project areas.
- Please list project area next to names.
- Nominees will be sent an application, which is due September 30<sup>st</sup> by 4:30 p.m.

Return to: Washtenaw County MSU Extension

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