

# Gladwin County 4-H I Dare You Award

## **Purpose of Award:**

The I Dare You Leadership Award was first offered in 1941 by William H. Danforth. Mr. Danforth was successful businessman who dared young people to achieve their highest potential and to influence others through lives of leadership and service. As a civic leader, he helped found the American Youth Foundation in 1925. The belief then as it is today is that each individual can make a difference. The I Dare You Leadership Award recognizes those who, with a little encouragement, are ready to see themselves as leaders – young adults who are ready to take the dare.

## **Eligibility:**

- Must be a Junior or Senior in High School at the time of the award.
- Must have completed five years of 4-H club work and completed at least three project areas.
- Must have participated in two different district or state 4-H events. (Example: Kettunen Center, Leadership training, Exploration Days, 4-H Camp, State Horse Show, Green & White Swine Show, etc.)
- Must have served as a teen leader within their club and attended at least one 4-H Association or Council meeting, including those held at the fair.
- Members may only win this award once.

**Name of Nominee:** \_\_\_\_\_

Describe the project areas nominee has completed in 4-H and how long the involvement in each project was.

List the district and State 4-H events that the nominee has attended and when they took place.

Explain the nominee's involvement in 4-H clubs and Gladwin County 4-H.