Farm Bureau – Position Description COUNTY YOUNG AG PROFESSIONALS COMMITTEE

PURPOSE:

The purpose of the Young Ag Professionals (YAP) Committee is to surface and develop young members who may become future leaders of Farm Bureau and enable them to become more active in the County Farm Bureau.

RESPONSIBILITES:

- Enthusiastically promote the Young Ag Professionals program.
- Encourage young farmers to participate in all aspects of the Farm Bureau.
- Conduct regular meetings.
- Set annual goals, calendar, and budget.
- Implement projects that will fulfill the purpose of the Committee.
- Ensure that the county is represented at the Young Ag Professionals Leadership Conference.
- Report to the Board regularly in person or through written reports.
- Report to the membership at county spring and annual meetings and through county newsletter.

BASIC REQUIREMENTS:

- Regular member of the Farm Bureau
- Couple or individual between the ages of 18-35 (this age limit is only mandatory for those who
 wish to compete in State and/or National competitions) or serve on a State Committee
- Ability to motivate, organize, and lead a group
- Dedicated to improving agriculture for their generation
- Understands Farm Bureau structure and how the organization functions

TRAINING:

Training will be offered to committee chairpersons as needed.

RESOURCES:

- Young Ag Professionals Committee Director
- Regional Organization Director
- State YAP Committee Member

The Young Ag Professionals Committee is responsible to the County Member Relations Director.

The term of appointment is two years.