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New Jersey FFA “Soar to New Heights”

TO: State Executive Board Members, NJ FFA Chapter Advisors, Officers and Members

FROM: Ernest Arians, State FFA President
Erin E. Noble, State FFA Specialist
Nancy J. Trivette, State FFA Advisor

DATE: September 5, 2012

RE: State FFA Executive Board Meeting
Monday, September 10, 2012 – 4:00 p.m.
1st Floor NJDA Auditorium, Trenton, NJ

All State Executive Board members must attend this meeting. If these individuals cannot attend, they should call Mrs. Noble at (609) 984-4380, and give the reason to receive an excused absence. Mrs. Lisa Ann Mosehera-Chernigovets will fill the Teacher Representative on the Executive Board, and will have voting power at each meeting in 2012-2013.

AGENDA FOR THE SEPTEMBER STATE MEETING

- I. Opening Ceremonies**
- II. Minutes from the August State Meeting**
- III. Treasurer's Report**
- IV. Guest Introductions and Attendance**
- V. Committee Assignments**
 - A. Constitution, Bylaws & Program of Activities – Ernie Arians
 - B. Membership & Chapter Relations – Anne Poinsett
 - C. State Leadership Activities – Lauren Fillebrown
 - D. State Applications – Gaspar Hernandez
 - E. Career Development Evaluation and Review – Kyle Clement
 - F. Horticultural Exposition Evaluation and Review – Delaney Gray
 - G. State Convention Evaluation – Joe Goodenough

The FFA Mission

FFA makes a positive difference in the lives of students by developing their potential for premier leadership, personal growth and career success through agricultural education.

- VI. Executive Committee Report – James Ferguson**
- VII. Foundation Report – Kyle Clement**
- VIII. Alumni Report – Anne Poinsett**
- IX. Agricultural Education Advisory Council Report – Ernie Arians**
- X. Unfinished Business**
 - A. National Convention (October 22-28, 2012)
 - a. Flag Bearer – Joe Goodenough
 - b. Delegates – Anne Poinsett
 - c. State Booth – Kyle Clement
 - d. Recognition Program – Gaspar Hernandez
 - e. State Suite – Lauren Fillebrown
 - B. Eastern States Exposition (September 14-16, 2012) – Delaney Gray
 - C. Leadership Experience and Development (October 5-6, 2012)
 - a. Chapter Officer Leadership Training – Joe Goodenough
 - b. Leadership and Opportunities Conference – Sam Rubinstein
 - c. State Greenhand Conference – Jimmie Ferguson
 - d. Timeline – Kyle Clement
 - D. ILSSO (January 3-13, 2013) – Delaney Gray
 - E. Chapter Visits – Anne Poinsett
 - F. Team Goals & Action Plans – Lauren Fillebrown
- XI. New Business**
 - A. Calendar of Events – Anne Poinsett
 - B. Delegate Process Written/Oral Testimony – Delaney Gray
 - C. Fall Ag Ed Conference (September 28, 2012) – Joe Goodenough
 - D. World Food Prize Global Youth Instituted – Lauren Fillebrown
 - E. Fall Career Development Events-(November 15, 2012) – Kyle Clement
 - F. Agricultural/ Education Issues Discussion – Gaspar Hernandez
 - G. Member of the Month – Jimmie Ferguson
 - H. State Officer Mileage
- XII. Closing Ceremonies**

*Next State Meeting – October 1, 2012
New Jersey Department of Agriculture, Auditorium.
4:00 p.m.*

NJ FFA Association
Minutes of the August 6, 2012 State Meeting

I. Opening Ceremonies

Ernie Arians called the meeting to order at 9:07 AM. Voting members in attendance were Anne Poinsett, Joseph Goodenough, Kyle Clement, Gaspar Hernandez IV, Delaney Gray, Lauren Fillebrown, Jimmie Ferguson, Stephanie Tarlowe, Alec McAlarnen, Ernest Arians, Samuel Rubinstein, and Mrs. Moschera-Chernigovets, teacher representative. State Staff in attendance was Mrs. Noble, Mrs. Trivette and Ms. Butch. Guests in attendance were Annie Linke, Amanda Weber, and Cory Blake from Middlesex-East Brunswick.

II. Minutes from the June State Meeting

Motion by Delaney Gray to accept minutes as corrected.

Jimmie Ferguson Seconds. Motion passes.

III. Treasurer's Report

The status of chapter debts was discussed.

Motion by Gaspar Hernandez to accept the treasurer's report pending audit.

Motion passes pending audit.

IV. Guest Introductions and Attendance

Annie Linke, Amanda Weber, and Cory Blake introduced themselves and shared one interesting fact with the group.

Motion by Alec McAlarnen to give Gill and unexcused absence from the August state meeting.

Sam Rubenstein seconds. Motion passes.

Motion by Alec McAlarnen to give Alec McAlarnen, Stephanie Tarlowe, and Gillian Armstrong have excused absences from September through December.

Sam Rubenstein seconds. Motion passes

Motion by Sam Rubenstein to be excused after presenting to drive to his job at Camp Lohikan.

Jimmie Ferguson seconds. Motion Passes.

Anne Poinsett assumes the duties of the chair.

V. Committee Assignments.

A. Constitution, Bylaws, and Program of Activities

Joe Goodenough, Ernie Arians, Stephanie Tarlowe, and Alec McAlarnen were present. Mrs. Mclean was not present. The committee discussed possible edits to the POA and updating the constitution and bylaws to reflect the new affiliation wording.

Motion by Ernie Arians to accept committee report as read.

There is an implied second. Motion passes.

B. Membership and Chapter Relations

Delaney Gray, Lauren Fillebrown, Anne Poinsett, and Sam Rubenstein were present. Ernie Arians, and Mr. Cruzan were absent. The committee discussed the possibility of creating a state

FFA YouTube account. On this account there would be videos from conferences like COLT/LEAD, BLAST OFF, and SOLT, and videos made by the state officers to answer any questions the members have for them.

Motion by Lauren Fillebrown to have committee report accepted as read.

There is an implied second. Motion Passes.

C. State Leadership Activities

Lauren Fillebrown, Kyle Clement, and Jimmie Ferguson were present. Anne Poinsett and Mr. Ducey were absent. The committee discussed the report from state convention which recommended using the 360 curriculum for COLT, but to make the workshops more engaging. They also recommend awarding the Outstanding Leadership award to both a male and female. The committee thinks that an award should also be given to a chapter officer in COLT and a FFA member attending LOC. There is a new recommendation for state officers to facilitate the 212 Conference. The final committee recommendation was to alter the location, time, and capacity for the career fair at ALLD. The next meeting will be held during the week of July 8th via Skype or phone conference.

Motion by Lauren Fillebrown to accept the committee report as read.

There is an implied second. Motion Passes.

D. State Applications.

Gaspar Hernandez and Stephanie Tarlowe were present. Delaney Gray, Lauren Fillebrown, and Mr. Rudderow were absent. The committee discussed the report from state convention which recommends keeping advisor of the year and courtesy corps applications, adding a short essay to the Star State Greenhand application, have weighted points to determine the superior chapter, and asking WLC candidates who were elected to state office to forfeit their WLC slot so another member could attend Washington Leadership Conference.

Motion by Gaspar Hernandez to accept the committee report as read.

There is an implied second. Motion passes.

E. Career Development Evaluation and Review

Kyle Clement, Gaspar Hernandez, and Jimmie Ferguson were present. Sam Rubenstein, Mrs. Morey and Joe Goodenough were absent. The committee discussed the report from state convention which recommends having separate sheets for each category on the ID in Turf Management and Nursery and Landscape, allowing more time for identification in Floriculture, asking the judges to specify swishing and spitting out rather than drink the milk in Milk Quality and Products, and providing clearer instructions at the judging tables in Fruit and Vegetable Identification. The committee also recommended having unopposed online CDE teams pass with at least a 75% score to compete at National Convention. Finally, the committee would like to send out a CDE interest inventory form to all of the chapters.

There is an implied second. Motion passes.

F. Horticultural Exposition Evaluation and Review

Delaney Gray, Ernie Arians, and Alec McAlarnen were present. Mrs. Hamilton was absent. The committee discussed the report from state convention which encourages the association to continue holding Horticultural Exposition at Mercer County College. They also recommend that "Dried Delights" needs to be re-designed, judges should be given measuring tapes, that there should be two standard size limits for the majority of the classes, and put emphasis on the classes with specific size limitations. The next committee meeting will be held on November 11th or 12th via skype or phone call.

There is an implied second. Motion passes.

G. State Convention Evaluation

Anne Poinsett, Sam Rubenstein, and Joe Goodenough were present. Gillian Armstrong, Kyle Clement, Gaspar Hernandez, and Mrs. Moschera-Chernigovets were absent. The State Convention Evaluation Committee discussed the report from state convention which proposed ideas that can make State FFA Convention a more enjoyable experience. The committee recommends putting more emphasis on the signature pages in the back of the program.

There is an implied second. Motion passes.

Ernie reassumes the duties of the chair.

VI. Executive Committee Report

VII. Stephanie Tarlowe spoke about how the state officers are taking the members on a journey to a whole new world and how it is up to them to show the members of the New Jersey FFA Association all that the FFA has to offer.

VIII. Foundation Report.

Kyle Clement read the treasurer's report from the NJ FFA Foundation meeting. Mrs. Trivette offered her advice as to how to report State Officer concerns to the FFA Foundation.

Motion by Kyle Clement to approve the New Jersey FFA Foundation budget.

Alec McAlarnen seconds. Motion passes.

IX. Alumni Report

Anne Poinsett attended the New Jersey State FFA Alumni meeting where the golf tournament and amendments to the constitution were discussed. The next Alumni meeting is Wed. August 8.

X. Agricultural Education Advisory Council Report

No report present.

XI. Unfinished Business

A. State President's Conference

Anne Poinsett, Ernie Ariens, and Mrs. Noble attended State President's Conference in Washington DC on July 23 – 28. The state officers were given a challenge by the National Officers which consist of five parts; Government outreach, YouTube video challenge about our FFA stories, media interviews, student workshops, and social media in order to promote advocacy. There were also 32 proposals for national delegate issues. The national officers created six committees which include the creation of a discussion meet, proficiency award areas that involve urban agriculture and food science, an ag summit, an agricultural education CDE, and an aquaculture CDE.

B. Summer CDEs

a. Dairy Handlers

The Dairy Handler's CDE was held July 24th at the Delaware State Fair in Harrington, Delaware. Leah Makrevich placed first and will have the opportunity to attend Big E and National Convention to represent New Jersey. Congratulations to all the participants!

b. Horse Evaluation

Horse Evaluation took place July 25th at the Delaware State Fair in Harrington, Delaware. Cumberland Regional FFA Chapter placed first. Team members include Megan Davis, Michaela Hitchner, Melanie Mayhew, and Tania Mokienko. Heather Smylie of the Northern Burlington FFA Chapter placed first individually. The Cumberland Regional FFA chapter has the opportunity to represent New Jersey at the Big E in September and National Convention in October. Congratulations to all of the participants!

C. 360° Training

360° Training was held at the Eco-Complex in Bordentown on August 2- 4. Zach Wakeman, a former state officer from Virginia, facilitated the training. The state officers will be using the 360° curriculum for the COLT conference at Leadership Experience and Development. LEAD will be held the first weekend of October at the Crowne Plaza Monroe/South Brunswick Hotel.

D. National Leadership Conference for State Officers

National Leadership Conference for State Officers was held at the Crowne Plaza Monroe/South Brunswick Hotel on July 29-August 2. State FFA Officers from Maryland, Virginia, West Virginia, Delaware, Puerto Rico, and of course New Jersey attended. The State Officers learned about how they could effectively serve as a team from attending workshops about creating a vision, building a team, commitment, planning, and workshop development. All the State officers also enjoyed a picnic at Rutgers Gardens and a dinner cruise in the New York Harbor. After NLCSO ended, the New Jersey State Officers went to a gleaning at Von Thune Farms to support New Jersey Farmer's Against Hunger. The state officers harvested over 2,000 pounds of food which will go to food banks across the state.

E. National Convention

a. Flag Bearer

Joe Goodenough will be holding the flag during all official events at National Convention.

b. Delegates

1. Creation of a Discussion Meet

- Explore a discussion based career development event focused on topics related to agriculture.

2. Creation of an Agricultural Summit

- Explore the development of an experience that engages students in agricultural advocacy and industry.

3. Evaluation of Proficiency Award Areas

- Explore expanding current, or creating new, proficiency award areas inclusive of students engaged in urban agriculture or food service.

4. Agricultural Equipment Operation and Safety

- Explore the creation of a career development event which addresses agricultural equipment operation and safety.

5. Agricultural Education Career Development Event

- Explore the creation of a national agricultural education career development event based on the skills, competencies, and knowledge required for a career as an agricultural educator.

6. Aquaculture Career Development Event

- Explore the creation of an event that prepares students for a career in the aquaculture industry.

Motion by Jimmie Ferguson to send Delaney Gray to the Evaluation of Proficiency Award Area and Gaspar Hernandez to the Agricultural Summit Committee

Anne Poinsett seconds. Motion passes.

c. State Booth

The main goal of the state booth was to share with others the agriculture in New Jersey. The Salem County FFA Chapter will be responsible for the Hall of States this year. Their booth highlights the individual counties of New Jersey and their agricultural commodities. Since Kyle is on the winning team, he will be the state officers responsible for the oversight. Joe will also work several shifts during the week.

d. Recognition Program

There will be a recognition breakfast for the chapters attending National Convention on Wednesday, October 24, 2012 at the Hyatt. All New Jersey attendees are invited to attend the come-and-go event. State Officers will provide short stand-and-deliver messages throughout the morning. Gaspar will assign the topics to the officers.

e. State Suite

The State Suite will be available for New Jersey chapter members and guests throughout the week. Chapters with tickets will have the opportunity to use the suite, followed by a first come, first served basis.

F. State Theme T-Shirt and Thank You Gift

The State Theme T-Shirt will be sky blue and will have the words "New Jersey FFA" and the year along the sides of the theme logo. The thank you gift will be a coffee mug with the State Theme logo on it.

G. Eastern States Exposition

The Big E will be held September 14 -16 in West Springfield, Massachusetts. Lauren will be attending to compete in Prepared Public Speaking, Joe will be competing in the Star Program, Kyle might be attending for FBM, and Delaney has plans to attend with her chapter. Ernie is hoping to be selected as a Big E Intern. Any state officer attending has the opportunity to participate in additional state officer opportunities.

H. Team Goal Action Plan

The team goals will be finalized on Google docs. The next step is to create action plans.

XII. New Business

A. Leadership Experience and Development

LEAD will be October 5-6, 2012.

a. Cost Analysis

Motion by Alec McAlarnen to set the LEAD registration fee at no more than \$132 per person.

Stephanie Tarlowe seconds. Motion Passes.

A final registration fee will be determined when the contract for the hotel is finalized.

b. 360° Curriculum

For the first time this year, there will be two tracks for the 360° curriculum – COLT and LOC.

1. Chapter Officer Leadership Training (COLT)

State Officers will be meeting every Monday except for August 20 and September 3, to discuss 360 Planning.

2. Leadership and Opportunities Conference (LOC)

Stephanie Tarlowe, Keely Weinberger, and Eric Nelson will present LOC to the members who are neither first year members nor chapter officers.

c. State Greenhand Conference

Jimmie, Alec, Gill and Sam will facilitate the State Greenhand Conference for first year members and help them develop SAEs, discover CDEs and learn about FFA.

d. Timeline

The COLT / LEAD timeline will be similar to the previous with some changes.

B. International Leadership Seminar for State Officers

Anne Poinsett, Delaney Gray, and Kyle Clement are interested in attending ILSSO in Argentina in 2013. As a reminder, the donor list and letter are due August 6. Applications and all related paperwork is due to Mrs. Noble at the September state meeting.

C. Chapter Visits

Later this afternoon, state officers will learn about the chapter visit process. The State Officers will begin to contact chapter advisors to set times and dates. All chapter visits should be completed by February 1. One chapter visit must be completed prior to the National FFA Convention.

D. Agriculture/Education Issues Discussion

Lauren Fillebrown explained what agricultural issues were discussed during NLCSO including inheritance tax, clean water, rural school farming, the Farm Bill, and agricultural labor in the United States.

E. State Officer Mileage

July's state officer mileage was due August 6, 2012 and August's mileage will be due by 2:00 pm September 10, 2012.

XIII. Closing

XIV. Adjournment

Meeting adjourned at 11:32 am.

New Jersey FFA Treasure's Report
July 2012

BEGINNING BALANCE: July 1, 2012

\$41,389.70

Deposits:					
<i>Date</i>	<i>Project#</i>	<i>Project Description</i>	<i>Annual Budget</i>	<i>Monthly Income</i>	<i>YTD Balance</i>
	1	Dues	\$ 30,900.00	\$ 1,382.00	\$ 48,399.00
	2	Contests	\$ 4,050.00	\$ 1,021.00	\$ 3,590.90
	3	General Supplies			\$ 806.00
	4	State Officers	\$ 925.00		\$ 90.00
	5	LEAD	\$ 12,200.00		\$ 12,828.00
	6	State Convention - Regis.	\$ 48,600.00	\$ 7,919.00	\$ 68,760.66
	7	National Convention	\$ 2,735.00		\$ 1,942.00
	8	Hort Expo	\$ 4,675.00	\$ 770.00	\$ 3,099.00
	9	National Leadership Conf.		\$ 3,105.00	\$ 3,105.00
	10	State Leadership Event	\$ 3,750.00		\$ 1,100.00
		Total Deposits	\$ 107,835.00	\$ 14,197.00	\$ 143,720.56
Expenses:					
<i>Date</i>	<i>Project #</i>	<i>Expense Description</i>	<i>Annual Budget</i>	<i>Monthly Expense</i>	<i>YTD Balance</i>
	1	Dues 1,828 x \$5	\$ 15,320.00		\$ 14,845.00
	2	Contests	\$ 1,378.00		\$ 2,090.00
	3	General Supplies	\$ 3,388.00	\$ 62.54	\$ 5,622.11
	4	State Officers	\$ 11,143.00		\$ 14,195.42
	5	LEAD	\$ 12,904.00		\$ 14,624.29
	6	State Convention - Regis.	\$ 46,956.00	\$ 51,000.00	\$ 69,213.82
	7	National Convention	\$ 7,711.00	\$ 4,097.48	\$ 13,442.01
	8	Hort Expo	\$ 4,041.00		\$ 5,042.47
	9	National Leadership Conf.	\$ 1,854.00		\$ 2,928.52
	10	State Leadership Event	\$ 3,140.00		\$ 5,502.00
		Total Expenses	\$ 107,835.00	\$ 55,160.02	\$ 147,505.64

Ending Balance: July 1, 2012

\$426.68

New Jersey FFA Expenditures for FY 2013				
Date	Description	Note*	Amount	Total
	Dues/Memberships			
				\$ -
	Contests			
	General Supplies			\$ -
07/06/12	Posey Peddler - Flowers sent to		\$ 62.54	
	State Officers			\$ 62.54
	Leadership Experience and Development			\$ -
	State Convention			\$ -
07/03/12	Rutgers University		\$ 51,000.00	\$ 51,000.00
	National Convention			
07/03/12	FFA Alumni- SO airfare 10/11		\$ 2,097.48	
07/03/12	National FFA - NJ Lodging Room deposit		\$ 2,000.00	
	Hort Expo			\$ 4,097.48
	Leadership Event			
	National Leadership Conference			
				\$ -
	Grand Total		\$ 55,160.02	\$ 55,160.02

Committee Report
(SUBMIT TO STATE SECRETARY)

Date: July 2, 2012

Committee: Constitution , Bylaws and POA

Committee Members Present: Joe Goodenough- Vice Chair, Ernie Arians- Chair, Stephanie Tarlowe, Alec MacAlarnen.

Absent: Robin McLean- Advisor

Purpose of Meeting: To review recommendations from State Convention meeting and set goals for the year.

Recommended Action(s): Update documents to reflect new Affiliation Structure- Section D, 10% goal should be deleted in the POA, because membership grows with the number of students enrolled in AG Ed. Section E, utilizes the wording " Membership Dues" for the sake accuracy Section E should state " Affiliation fees", because fees based on membership bracket.

Comments: Changes are to be made for the sake of accuracy.

Ernest Arians
Chairperson

Stephanie Tarlowe
Secretary

Committee Report
(SUBMIT TO STATE SECRETARY)

Date: July 2, 2012

Committee: Membership and Chapter Relations

Committee Members Present:

Delaney Gray, Sam Rubinstein, Anne Poinsett, Lauren Fillebrown

Absent:

Ernest Arians, Dale Cruzan

Purpose of Meeting:

To evaluate the 2012 State Convention reviews and determine if any changes could be made and if so what changes would they be.

Recommended Action(s):

Start a New Jersey FFA YouTube video account. Then have members ask on our facebook page any questions they may have for the state officers and then have the state officers make videos answering those questions and post the videos on the YouTube account.

Comments:

For the YouTube account we can also upload the state convention videos and any other videos we have already made. For example: The power points Mrs. Noble already made from SOLT and BLAST-OFF and any other power points that are made. Therefore the members can see where their money for dues is going to, they can see the hard work we do at SOLT and BLAST-OFF and other conferences.

Anne Poinsett
Chairperson

Lauren Fillebrown
Secretary

Committee Report
(SUBMIT TO STATE SECRETARY)

Date: July 2nd, 2012

Committee: Horticultural Exposition

Committee Members Present:

Delaney Gray, Ernest Arians, and Alec McAlarnen.

Absent:

NA

Purpose of Meeting:

To review the the current rules and classes, as well as make implementations from the state convention committee reports. The committee is also responsible for searching for and contacting judges.

Recommended Action(s):

The committee encourages the association to continue hold Horticultural Exposition at Mercer County College. We also recomend that "Dried Delights" needs to be refurbished, judges should be given measuring tapes, that there should be two standard size limits for the majority of the classes, and put emphisis on the classes with specific size limitations.

Comments:

The next commtee meeting will be held November 12th, 2012 tentatively.

Delaney Gray
Chairperson

Delaney Gray
Secretary

Committee Report
(SUBMIT TO STATE SECRETARY)

Date: July 2, 2012

Committee: State Convention Review and Evaluation

Committee Members Present: Anne Poinsett, Sam Rubenstein, Joe Goodenough

Absent: Gill Armstrong, Kyle Klement, Gaspar Hernandez, Lisa Ann MC

Purpose of Meeting: Discuss proposed ideas to make State Convention a better experience for members and more enjoyable

Recommended Action(s): put more emphasis on the signature page in the back of the convention program

Comments:

Joe Goodenough
Chairperson

Anne Poinsett
Secretary

Committee Report
(SUBMIT TO STATE SECRETARY)

Date: July 2, 2012

Committee: State Leadership Activities Committee

Committee Members Present: Lauren Fillebrown, Kyle Clement, Jimmie Ferguson

Absent: Anne Poinsett, Brian Ducey

Purpose of Meeting: To review state activities and make suggestions and recommendations to improve these activities. At State Convention, delegates, advisors, and state officer Jimmie Ferguson made recommendations to certain activities. The committee meeting today was to look deeper into those changes, and how they can be made more manageable.

Recommended Action(s):
 1. 360 Curriculum- Agreed to use the 360 Curriculum, but make workshops more engaging. 2. Outstanding Leadership Award- Ammend that one award go to a female and one to a male.. NEW RECOMMENDATION- One award go to a Chapter Officer in COLT, and one award go to a FFA member in FFA 101. 3. 360 Conference- Open to all FFA members, not just chapter officers. 4. 212 Conference- State FFA Officers facilitate 212 Conference. 5. Career Fair at ALLD- Ammend the recommendation that more time be given... NEW RECOMMENDATION- altering location, spacing, time, and capacity for career fair. 6. Review Questions (360 Training)- Have more interactive review questions to motivate members.

Comments: The next meeting date will be held during the week of July 8th, excluding the 8th, 9th, or 10th. The meeting will be via Skype or phone, once Mr. Ducey and Anne Poinsett confirm agreement.

Lauren Fillebrown
Chairperson

Kyle Clement
Secretary

Committee Report
(SUBMIT TO STATE SECRETARY)

Date: July 2, 2012

Committee: State Applications Committee

Committee Members Present: Gaspar Hernandez, Stephanie Tarlowe

Absent: Delaney Gray, Lauern Fillebrown, Joel Rudderow

Purpose of Meeting: Review States and Set Goals

Recommended Action(s):
 Advisor of the Year: Keep Courtesy Corps: Keep Star
 State Greenhand and Chapter: Short essay "Active"
 status is a chapter Meeting* WLC: don't exclude
 outright language would be "forfeit if elected" Superior Chapter:
 weight points American Degree VS. Conference

Comments: Bring Up with advisors Review
 WLC with more people

Gaspar Hernandez IV
Chairperson

Stephanie Tarlowe
Secretary

Committee Report
(SUBMIT TO STATE SECRETARY)

Date: July 2, 2012

Committee: Career Development Event Review and Evaluation

Committee Members Present: Kyle Clement; Gaspar Hernandez IV; Jimmie Furgeson

Absent: Sam Rubenstein; Joe Goodenough

Purpose of Meeting: To review and make proposals for improvement to existing career development events, as well as researching the concepts of new state events. To evaluate member participation in career development events. To present member evaluations after each career development event to the State FFA Executive Board.

Recommended Action(s):
 Turf Management and Nursery Landscape- Have separate sheets for each category on the ID
 Floriculture- Give more time for ID Online
 CDEs- If only one team participates, that team must pass with a 75% score to compete at National Convention Milk Quality and
 Products- Judges must specify to swish and spit out rather than drink the milk Fruits and
 Vegetables- Provide clearer instructions at class judging table Send a CDE
 Interest Inventory to all chapters

Comments:

Kyle Clement
Chairperson

Kyle Clement
Secretary