

CONSTITUTION OF DOUGLAS COUNTY 4-H LEADERS' COUNCIL

ARTICLE I - NAME

The name of this organization shall be DOUGLAS COUNTY 4-H LEADERS' COUNCIL.

ARTICLE II - OBJECT OR PURPOSE

1. To promote and maintain a spirit of friendship and helpful cooperation among county leaders.
2. To promote leader training.
3. To give greater vision to leaders so they may stimulate youth to its highest endeavor.
4. To determine and interpret policy in relation to needs of club work, including trophies and awards.
5. To develop ideas for expanding 4-H work in the county.
6. Council activities should be directed exclusively toward advancing the 4-H program.

ARTICLE III - MEMBERSHIP

1. The County Leaders' Council shall be composed of active leaders, Ambassadors, and 4-H members enrolled in the Teen Leadership project.
2. All organizations and individuals actively sponsoring 4-H work and interested in betterment of youth may be eligible for honorary membership and be represented by an individual member of their group.
3. Members of the Washington State University Cooperative Extension faculty are automatically ex-officio members.
4. Membership in the County Leaders' Council is open to all aforementioned without regard to race, color, national origin or economic position.

ARTICLE IV - VOTING

1. Honorary and ex-officio members have no vote in business of this Council.
2. The President will vote only in the case of a tie.

ARTICLE V - OFFICERS

1. The officers of this association are: President, Vice-President, Secretary, and Treasurer.

ARTICLE VI - ELECTION

1. The officers shall be elected by the Council at the annual October meeting by secret ballot.

ARTICLE VII - PROCEDURE

1. Roberts' Rules of Order and consensus shall govern the actions of this Council.

ARTICLE VIII - COMMITTEES AND DUTIES

1. The Executive Board shall make all committee appointments according to the needs of the 4-H program each year. Each committee shall plan and regulate its program and activities as needed.

ARTICLE IX - MEETINGS

1. Meetings shall be held four times a year. Special meetings may be called by the President.