

Montana 4-H Needs Survey for Adults

Dear 4-H Leader and/or Parent,

The following survey is meant to provide insight into the need for volunteers within the county/reservation 4-H program. Information gained by this survey will be used to target specific volunteers to fill identified roles. As you know, additional volunteers are crucial to expanding the 4-H program to wider audiences without overburdening existing volunteers. Please take just a few minutes to respond to the questions below. Individuals responding will not be identified.

1. County/Reservation In what county or reservation program are you enrolled in 4-H?

2. Roles What role(s) do you serve in 4-H? (select all that apply)

- Parent (Complete questions 3-7)
- Volunteer Leader (Continue to question 7-18)

3. What would improve your child's experience in 4-H?

4. What is keeping you from enrolling as a volunteer leader in 4-H?

5. What would help you to enroll as a volunteer leader in 4-H?

6. Who do you know who might like to be a 4-H Volunteer Leader? Include What project they might lead and their contact information.

7. What projects listed below would you like to see added to your county/reservation 4-H program?

Animal Sciences

- Beef
- Cat
- Dairy Cattle
- Dog
- Dairy Goat
- Meat Goat
- Horse
- Pocket Pets
- Poultry
- Rabbit
- Sheep
- Swine
- Veterinary Science

Engineering and Technology

- Aerospace
- Bicycle
- Electricity
- Robotics
- Small Engines
- Welding
- Woodworking

Environmental & Natural Sciences

- Entomology
- Forestry
- Outdoor Adventures
- Shooting Sports
- Sport Fishing
- Wildlife

Family & Consumer Sciences

- Child Development
- Babysitting
- Family Adventures
- Home Environment
- Sewing & Textiles
- Knitting/Crochet/Embroidery
- Ready-to-Wear
- Quilting

Plant Sciences

- Crop Science
- Gardening
- Range Science Management
- Weed Sciences

Communication & Expressive Arts

- Communications
- Cowboy Poetry
- Leathercraft
- Photography
- Theatre Arts
- Visual Arts
- Scrapbooking

Leadership & Personal Development

- Citizenship
- Leadership
- Service Learning

Health

- Cake Decorating
- Foods & Nutrition

Other Projects

- Cloverbuds (Ages 5-7)
- Exploring 4-H

8. Volunteer Roles What are your volunteer leader roles in 4-H?

- Organizational Volunteer Leader
- Project Volunteer Leader
- Other Volunteer Leader

9. Years as Leader How many years have you been a 4-H leader? _____

10. In what locations (towns, communities, etc) in the county do you see a need for a 4-H club?

11. If you feel you could use some help as a club or project volunteer leader, what sort of duties could a new co-club or co-project leader take on?

12. What volunteer leader training needs do you see as necessary for new 4-H club or project volunteer leaders?

13. Project Training: Please rank the projects you would like additional training in.

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14. Training Needed? What kind of trainings would help you to be a more successful volunteer leader? Please rank those that would be helpful to you.

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| ___ The 4-H Learning Environment | ___ Managing 4-H Finances |
| ___ Chaperoning 4-H Events | ___ Risk Management |
| ___ Managing a 4-H Club | ___ Roles of 4-H Volunteer Leader |

15. What would make volunteer leader training more accessible to you?

- In-person trainings
 - Online Trainings
 - Other _____
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16. What in-person trainings would you be likely to attend?

- Club
- County
- Regional (Multi-County)
- State

17. When are you likely to be available for in-person trainings? (rank your available times)

- _____ Weekday
- _____ Weeknight
- _____ Weekend Day
- _____ Weekend Night

18. How many miles would you be willing to travel for a training? (Circle Response)

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