

**HELPING HAND AWARD  
CRITERIA and APPLICATION**

The purpose of this award is to encourage groups or individuals to **organize, conduct, and evaluate** projects and activities that benefit their community. Youth and leaders are encouraged to complete this form together.

Award requirements - **Groups or individuals** must **organize, conduct and evaluate** a community service project that benefits their community. The HELPING HAND AWARD application form must be completed and received in the 4-H office by May 1. Project must be completed from May 1 - April 30.

Activities that will not count toward this award include: activities that members just participate in, activities like helping with the 4-H benefit horse show, etc. Please call the 4-H office if you are not sure if your activity is appropriate.

Who can apply? Any individual or group completing the requirements.

Type of award - group/individual award, rosette ribbon will be given to recipients during our annual Recognition Night.

**HELPING HAND AWARD APPLICATION  
Due May 1**

Youth and leaders are encouraged to complete this form together.

Club/individual name \_\_\_\_\_

Club leader \_\_\_\_\_ Telephone \_\_\_\_\_

1. Explain how you planned and organized your project. (Did you form committees, how did you decide on the project, etc.)

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2. Once planned and organized, what did you do? Explain your project.

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3. Discuss your project with club members or with others. How did members benefit by doing this project?  
How did the community benefit?

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Number of members participating in project \_\_\_\_\_ Date project started \_\_\_\_\_ ended \_\_\_\_\_

Total number of hours contributed by group/individual \_\_\_\_\_  
(Be sure to include hours spent in planning)

Name of Agency/town/group/benefiting from your project. \_\_\_\_\_

Contact person \_\_\_\_\_ Telephone \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_ Town \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

For recognition purposes, please PRINT and attach a list of the members involved in this project.