

## **FAIRFIELD COUNTY FARM BUREAU, INCORPORATED**

### Lyman Wells Young Agriculturist Award Application

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Education: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Agricultural Employment: \_\_\_\_\_

Please answer the following questions.

#### **I. AGRICULTURAL EMPLOYMENT**

- a. Describe in detail your employment duties. How many hours per week do you work?
- b. What are your agricultural accomplishments? Enclose photographs, of possible, showing agricultural endeavors (photographs will be returned).
- c. What goals have you set for yourself in your current position?
- d. What goals have you realized to date?
- e. What are your career plans?

#### **II. OTHER ORGANIZATIONAL INVOLVMENT**

- a. Describe your involvement in other organizations and leadership positions held (school, agricultural organizations, etc.) and any awards won.
- b. What are your leadership and organizational involvement goals in the next five years?

- c. How would you use the award money to further your career in agriculture?
- d. School Currently Attending

III. REFERENCES: (Including your present employer).

Applications will be judged according to the following criteria:

1. Has the application been submitted by the stated deadline?
2. Is the applicant of the appropriate age?
3. Is the application typed?
4. Is the application done in an organized manner, and has the applicant answered all the questions?
5. Has the applicant documented his/her application with photos if appropriate? How many?
6. What are the type, length, and responsibilities of this applicant with respect to agricultural employment?
7. Has the applicant demonstrated a capacity for leadership? If so, how?
8. Did the applicant set and achieve any particular goals? If so, what goals?
9. What major agriculturally related accomplishments can be credited to this applicant?
10. Has the applicant made a significant contribution to agriculture or an agriculturally related field?
11. Does the applicant have career plans in agriculture or an agriculturally related field?
12. Does the applicant intend to use the award money in a worthwhile manner?

Applicant: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Return to Fairfield County Farm Bureau, Incorporated, Att: Bruce Benedict  
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