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To: Local Area Businesses, Civic Clubs, 4-H Groups & Individuals

The Eastern Regional 4-H Shooting Sports Program would like to extend an invitation to you or your organization to provide financial support and/or a donation of shooting sports products (i.e. targets, ammunition, etc.) supporting 4-H youth in the Eastern Regional 4-H Shooting Sports Tournament.

The Eastern Regional 4-H Shooting Sports Tournament is scheduled for Saturday, August 24, 2019 at the Eastern 4-H Educational Center in Columbia, NC. To ensure success of this very important event, we are seeking contributions to support of over 200 youth involved in this youth development program from 17 Counties in Eastern NC. The 4-H Shooting Sports Program is taught under the guidance of caring and knowledgeable adult leaders who instruct 4-H members in firearm safety and marksmanship providing young people with opportunities to develop life skills, teamwork, self-confidence, personal discipline, responsibility and decision making.

Contributions will support the **“4-H Aim for Excellence Program”**. This sponsorship will provide companies, clubs or individuals the opportunity for visibility and acknowledgement to participants in the Eastern Regional 4-H Shooting Sports Tournament. We would love to honor you in our 4-H Aim for Excellence Program, if you would like to be recognized during our event in one of the categories below.

**Tournament Sponsor: \$1,000**

- Company will provide a display banner (your choice of size) to be hung at the most visible point at the event for advertising purposes. In addition, if you would like your company name and/or logo on the youth participant t-shirt, your company must denote sponsorship **by payment in full by Thursday, August 1.**

**Recognition and Awards Sponsor: \$500**

- Company will provide a display banner (your choice of size)  
- Banner will be displayed during the recognition and awards ceremony and announced at the ceremony.

**Range Banner Sponsor: \$250**

- Company will provide a display banner (no larger than 5'x10')  
- Banner will be displayed at the range location for the entire event: archery, rifle/pistol and shotgun.

**Green Clover Supporter: \$50**

- Companies/supporters will be listed all on one sign as a supporter of the program. Companies must denote sponsorship **by payment in full by Monday, August 12<sup>th</sup>.**  
- Sign will be displayed at the Eastern 4-H Educational Center.



Generous donors like you are crucial in building successful events such as this and make it possible for the Eastern Regional 4-H Shooting Sports Tournament to provide this opportunity for our youth. We write to ask for your support of this valuable youth development activity in a special way this year. We hope that we can count on your support to help our mission of safe and responsible use of firearms and archery equipment through comprehensive education, life-long recreation, and healthy competition.

If you or your company would like to sponsor at one of the levels below for the Eastern Regional 4-H Shooting Sports Tournament, you may send a check made payable to *NC Agricultural Foundation, Inc.*, write in the memo line Eastern Regional 4-H Shooting Sports Tournament. Your generosity will serve as a spotlight of the tournament and will be recognized throughout the event.

If you have any questions or would like to discuss other options for sponsorship, please feel free to contact me at 252-641-7821.

Sincerely,  
Art Bradley, County Extension Director, Edgecombe County

*The Eastern Regional 4-H Shooting Sports Tournament fund raising efforts operate under the auspices of the North Carolina Agricultural Foundation, Inc., a 501 (c)3 organization, tax id 56-60493045. Donations are tax-deductible and you will receive an official receipt for your donation. Proceeds will benefit the Shooting Sports fund for the Eastern 4-H Center.*

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**Eastern Regional 4-H Shooting Sports Tournament**

**Sponsorship Form:**

Name you want to appear in recognition: \_\_\_\_\_

Contact Person: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Mailing Address: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

**Sponsor Level: (please choose the desired sponsorship level, payments due August 12)**

- \_\_\_\_\_ **Tournament Sponsor (\$1,000) (Exception: Payment in Full by August 1)\***
- \_\_\_\_\_ **Recognition & Awards Sponsor (\$500)\***
- \_\_\_\_\_ **Range Sponsor (\$250)\***
- \_\_\_\_\_ **Green Clover Supporter (\$50)**

**\*A committee member will contact you to make arrangements to pick your banner.**

Return form & payment to: Edgecombe County Extension, c/o Art Bradley  
PO Box 129 Tarboro, NC 27886 or Fax: 252-641-7831  
Please make checks payable to: **NC Agricultural Foundation, Inc.**  
**(Memo Line: Eastern Regional 4-H Shooting Sports Tournament)**  
Or pay online at <http://go.ncsu.edu/easternshootingssports>