

## 5. Goal: Service

*The National Collegiate 4-H Organization needs to create stronger ties to other programs and organizations within the 4-H Youth Development program.*

Service:

- National Service Project of Emphasis
- National Service Project of Emphasis Day
- Community Service Database
- Community Service Funding

### National Service Project of Emphasis

Completion Date: 2012 National Collegiate 4-H Conference and continuing

1. Post National Service Project of Emphasis (NSPE) guidelines and contact information online and send out via regional email lists by March 15<sup>th</sup> of each year.
2. Redistribute materials by September 1<sup>st</sup> of each year.
3. Encourage participation in the NSPE by all clubs at the local level.

Final Outcome: The National Collegiate 4-H Organization will maintain a National Service Project of Emphasis and will encourage participation by all clubs at the local level.

### National Service Project of Emphasis Day

Completion Date: 2012 National Collegiate 4-H Conference and ongoing

1. Designate the Saturday of National Collegiate 4-H Week as NSPE Day.
2. Encourage all Collegiate 4-H Clubs to participate in the NSPE and partner with youth 4-H clubs when appropriate.
3. Request that each Collegiate 4-H Club document the number of members participating and report with the Club Establishment Guidelines each year.

Final Outcome: Allow for large participation in the National Service Project of Emphasis on a common day across the nation. By 2010 National Collegiate 4-H Conference, 700 Collegiate 4-H members will be participating in the National Service Project of Emphasis Day.

### Community Service Database

Completion Date: 2008 National Collegiate 4-H Conference and continuing

1. Create and distribute a community service including description of the service project, number of participants, and contact information to be made available online.
2. Request clubs to submit community service forms each year at the National Collegiate 4-H Conference.
3. Maintain an online database of submitted community service projects.

Final Outcome: Collegiate 4-H Clubs across the nation will have access to a database of community service projects providing new ideas and increased opportunities for community service events.

Community Service Funding

Completion Date: 2008 National Collegiate 4-H Conference and ongoing

1. Budget \$200 to be available for Collegiate 4-H Clubs to request to aid in their community service projects with a maximum of \$100 per club.
2. Explore grants and corporate sponsorships to aid clubs in their community service efforts.

Final Outcome: Local Collegiate 4-H Clubs would be able to receive funding to assist in their efforts to participate in community service activities.