

Strathcona 4-H District Council Fort Saskachewan 4-H Beef Club Strathcona 4-H Rein Riders Ardrossan 4-H Creative Hands

February 14, 2017

Office of the Elected Officials Strathcona County 2001 Sherwood Drive Sherwood Park, AB T8A 3W7

Dear Counselor - Paul Smith,

4-H Canada is a not-for-profit organization that is focused on positive youth development experiences; but the fact is...we are so much more than that. 4-H is an organization committed to developing outstanding leaders with marketable skills to succeed in today's society.

Within the 4-H program one of the skill developments is a mandatory public speaking component. The public speaking component starts out at a club level, progresses to a district level and then onto a regional level. Lastly the regional winners will go on to compete at a Provincial level within 4-H. This year the Alberta Northwest Regional Council has chosen our Alberta 4-H Strathcona District to host its regional speaking competition and we are hoping you can help support our event with a monetary sponsorship donation. We have approximately 60 speakers coming, along with their cheering section, 18 judges and several volunteers. Attached is a list of our expenses.

Along with our fundraising efforts we rely on the generosity of sponsorship. This is a big event for the members and we would greatly appreciate if you could help us with a \$1,500.00 contribution. In return, Strathcona County will be acknowledged in our program and in our Facebook feed with a heartfelt thank you.

We sincerely appreciate every effort you can put forward and look forward to hearing from you.

Sincerely,

Strathcona 4-H District Council

LIST OF EXPENSES

Alberta Northwest Regional Pubic Speaking Event

VENUE Strathcona County Council Chambers, 2 Meeting rooms and the Agora.	\$700 - \$800.
CATERED MEAL We are expecting to feed approximately 200-250 members, judges, volunteers and parents & friends.	\$4,000 \$4,500.
JUDGES 18 judge's - thank you gifts & parking	\$500 \$700.
INCIDENTALS Printing programs & judge's sheets, water bottles and mints for the judge's tables,	\$300.

\$5,500. - \$6,300.

