**[NAME OF 4-H CLUB OR AFFILIATE]**

**County Name**

#### Purposes and Activities

The purpose of [Name of 4-H Club or Affiliate] is to provide positive youth development opportunities to meet the needs of young people to experience belonging, mastery, independence, and generosity, and to foster educational opportunities tied to NC State’s knowledge base. [Name of 4-H Club or Affiliate] is an organized group of consisting of at least five youth from three different families who meet regularly with adult volunteers or staff for a long-term, progressive series of educational experiences.

The [Name of 4-H Club or Affiliate] completes individual project experiences to develop in-depth knowledge about science, engineering and technology; citizenship; and healthy living. Activities include planned opportunities to learn and apply life skills such as leadership, citizenship, community service and public speaking

#### Affiliated with Central Organization

As a subsidiary of NC State’s 4-H Youth Development Program, [Name of 4-H Club or Affiliate] is affiliated with NC State.

#### Subject to the General Supervision and Control of Central Organization

[Name of 4-H Club or Affiliate] is subject to the general supervision and control of NC State, the central organization.

Eligible to Qualify for Exemption under §501(c)(3)

As all 4-H organizations under the general supervision and control of NC State have been determined by the IRS to be a tax-exempt under the provisions of section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code, [Name of 4-H Club or Affiliate] is tax-exempt pursuant to §501(c)(3).

#### Is Not a Private Foundation

The IRS has classified [Name of 4-H Club or Affiliate] as an organization that is not a private foundation within the meaning of §509(a), because it is one described in §509(a)(1) and §170(b)(1)(A)(vi).

Group Ruling Resolution

Please see Appendix for a copy of [Name of 4-H Club or Affiliate] resolution to be included in NC State’s group ruling.