4-H members may participate in projects offered by a neighboring club, county or state if the headquarter club does not offer the 4-H project a member is interested in. The community 4-H club and project adult volunteers in both clubs and 4-H Youth Development Program (YDP) staff in all counties and states involved must approve the participation.

It is the responsibility of the 4-H member and their parent/guardian to acquire the signatures of the home and host community 4-H club and project adult volunteers.

The completed request/agreement form must be returned to the home county 4-H office for verification and approval. The county 4-H YDP will contact the host county 4-H staff for approval.

This agreement requires that the 4-H member and member’s parent/guardian, 4-H adult volunteers and staff agree to the following:

1. Official 4-H enrollment is in the home county. Entry into competitive events is limited to those available to members in the home club and county. (Example: showing at a fair in the host county is not permissible unless the fair is open to members from another county.)

2. Acknowledgement of the reasons for the cross club, county or state 4-H club project participation.

3. The 4-H member agrees to follow the constitution and bylaws of the host county and 4-H club as it pertains to project completion and participation.

4. The 4-H member agrees to meet the requirements for participation and completion of the host club project.

5. The 4-H member must be enrolled in at least one project in the home 4-H county and 4-H club.

6. Project records will be checked and signed by the host 4-H club project leader and turned into the home 4-H club leader.

7. Transportation to the project meetings and activities is the responsibility of the member and their parent/guardian.

8. The 4-H member agrees to follow the policies and procedures of the host state 4-H YDP.

9. If the host club is in another state, additional enrollment fees and forms may be required.
4-H Member Name: ________________________________________________

Phone Number: ________________________________________________

Address: ________________________________________________

Name of Home 4-H Club:  Name of Host 4-H Club:

Club:____________________________             Club:____________________________

County:__________________________             County:__________________________

State:___________________________    State:____________________________

Reason for cross-county participation request:
______________________________________________________________________
______________________________________________________________________
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______________________________________________________________________

We agree to the above stated terms (please sign and date):

Parent/Guardian __________________________________________       Date ________

4-H Member ________________________________________________       Date ________

We approve the participation in the alternate club project:

Home Community Club Leader ______________________________       Date ________

Host Community Club Leader ______________________________      Date ________

Host County Project 4-H Adult Volunteer ________________________  Date ________

Home County 4-H YDP staff approval and verification that project is not available in the home club.

Home County 4-H YDP Staff_________________________________ Date ________

Host County 4-H YDP Staff_________________________________ Date ________

If club is in another state:

Home State 4-H Director ______________________________ Date ________

Host State 4-H Director _______________________________ Date ________