**TO: Potential Sponsors**

**FROM: Lauren Nelson, 4-H Extension Agent**

**SUBJECT: 2020 Tyrrell County 4-H Livestock Show and Sale (Virtual Event)**

**DATE: March 23, 2020**

Due to extenuating circumstances with the Covid-19 pandemic, we have been required to cancel the 2020 Tyrrell County 4-H Livestock Show and Sale. However, we have planned to host a virtual event on our Tyrrell County 4-H Facebook page to help accommodate the needs of our youth and showcase their hard work on this years’ livestock project.

You and your company have served as an integral part of the Tyrrell County 4-H Livestock Show and Sale in the past, and we are hoping that you would be interested in continuing to support our youth during these unforeseen circumstances. We have over 30+ youth that have been working tirelessly with their animals this year and we want to reward their efforts. With your help and generosity, we will without a doubt be able to accomplish this task. We are asking for all of our sponsors to please donate to the Tyrrell County 4-H Livestock Show and Sale. We will create a general fund for this years’ show and evenly distribute all funds amongst every exhibitor. Your support of our show has been extraordinary through the years and it is our hopes that we can continue to support our youth during these difficult times.

Our plan is to have each 4-H livestock participant take photos with their animal and video clips of them working with their animal. We will then compile all of the video clips/photos into one large video to show on our **Tyrrell County 4-H Facebook page** on **Wednesday, April 15, 2020**.

If you would like to donate to the Tyrrell County 4-H Livestock Show and Sale general fund, please feel free to contact our office at (252) 796-1581 or email lauren\_nelson@ncsu.edu. We can accept checks payable to: **Tyrrell County Livestock Show**. Our mailing address is the following: **PO Box 209 Columbia, NC 27925**.

Thank you for your continued support. We really appreciate all of your help. If you have any questions or concerns please feel free to contact us at any time. Take care and be safe. THANK YOU!!!

Sincerely,

Lauren Nelson

4-H Extension Agent