



Alamance County Board of Commissioners

INFORMATION ITEM AGENDA ITEM

MEETING DATE: 7/15/2024

DATE SUBMITTED: 7/8/2024

FROM: Tory Frink

DEPT: County Clerk's Office

AGENDA TITLE: 2024 NCACC 4-H Youth Voice Delegate – Meriwether Lewis

TO: Alamance County Board of Commissioners

ISSUE/ACTION REQUESTED:

Meriwether Lewis will represent Alamance County as this year's 4-H Youth Voice Delegate at the 2024 North Carolina Association of County Commissioners (NCACC) Annual Conference. YouthVoice will be reconvening for its 13th iteration at the 117th annual conference. YouthVoice takes place on Friday and Saturday of the conference and offers sessions that help youth gain a better understanding of what county governments do and the role of County Commissioners as the governing body. County officials have the opportunity to meet their county Youth Delegate before the conference. To qualify to attend, Youth Delegates must speak at a Board of County Commissioners meeting prior to YouthVoice and submit a photo of themselves with their Board of County Commissioners.

BACKGROUND/PURPOSE OF REQUEST:

The NCACC has partnered with 4-H Youth Development, a service of N.C. Cooperative Extension, to coordinate and bring Youth Delegates to YouthVoice since its inception. YouthVoice allows County Commissioners to connect with the next generation of leaders. The event brings together Youth Delegates from 4-H Youth Development Clubs and Boys and Girls Clubs of North Carolina. The Association strives to bring a diverse mix of youth representatives ages 14-19 from North Carolina's 100 counties to YouthVoice.

RECOMMENDATION:

Staff recommends Meriwether Lewis attend the meeting, speak briefly to the Board, and take a photo with the Board to meet his qualifications as the YouthVoice delegate for Alamance County.

ATTACHMENTS: