



NEVADA COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS
Board Agenda Memo

MEETING DATE: June 28, 2022
TO: Board of Supervisors
FROM: Sue Hoek, District 4
SUBJECT: Nevada County Youth Leadership Award for Shaun Chilton

RECOMMENDATION: Approve award of Nevada County Youth Leadership Award to Shaun Chilton

FUNDING: N/A

BACKGROUND:

The County's vision, mission and value statements, as adopted by the Board each year, outline the dedication to outstanding public service with the mission to work with the community to develop sound and innovative public policy, provide strong leadership and deliver excellent services in a fiscally responsible manner. To recognize members of the public who exhibit and promote the county's vision of public service through strong leadership, the Nevada County Youth Leadership Award recognizes local youth for their outstanding service to the community. The awardee will receive a Challenge Coin, a certificate, and public recognition by the Board of Supervisors.

Shaun Chilton, a rising sophomore at Nevada Union High School, is a model leader in our community. As a freshman, Shaun placed first at the Sierra Buttes FFA Sectional Speaking contest competing in the FFA Creed. After the Sectional contest, Shaun went on to place first again at the Superior Region speaking finals, qualifying him for state finals. Out of the roughly 500 freshmen participating in the California FFA Creed competition, Shaun took first place in the entire state. That won him the honor of representing California FFA and Nevada Union FFA at the 95th National FFA Creed Speaking Finals in Indianapolis, Indiana in October 2022. In addition to his success in speaking, he recently was elected Sentinel of the Nevada Union FFA, and is running for Nevada Joint Union High School District student board trustee.

Therefore, it is recommended the Board approve the award of the Nevada County Youth Leadership Award to Shaun Chilton.

Sincerely,

Sue Hoek, District IV Supervisor