## **Georgia FFA Alumni Canned Food Drive Contest**

**Purpose:** To allow FFA Chapters to collect food and have that food remain in the local community where it can benefit local community members.

## Rules:

- A. FFA Chapters **must have a Chartered Local Alumni Affiliate** in order to participate.
- B. **No food will be brought to the State FFA Convention**. Instead, Chapters will collect food and donate it locally to benefit their own communities.
- C. Local Food Drive activities **conducted by the FFA Chapter** between the start of the school year and Thursday, April 27, 2017 will count toward the total number of cans collected.
  - a. To have a local Food Drive activity count, the following **2 forms of verification** must be turned in to the Alumni Food Drive Representative at the State FFA Convention.
    - 1. A **photograph of the cans collected** that includes the FFA Officer Team and the Advisor.
    - 2. A signed receipt or letter from the receiving organization indicating the number of cans or can equivalents donated.
- D. **A Food Drive Contest Entry Form** must be turned in with either option above to the Alumni Food Drive Representative at the FFA State Convention on Thursday, April 27<sup>th</sup> by 5:00 pm. This entry form will be available on the Georgia FFA Alumni Website as well as on site at the FFA State Convention. This entry form must be signed by the Chapter President and Advisor.

## Awards:

- A. Chapters collecting **500+** cans will be recognized by having their Chapter name displayed on the screen during a convention session.
- B. Chapter collecting the largest number of cans will receive a cash award of \$500