## **Committee Meeting Report- 7/22/24**

- Participation for 2024:
  - o New record- 205 entries
    - 73 Golds
    - 65 Silvers
    - 48 Bronze
- Recommendations to Board:
  - Moving interviews off of Monday to Tuesday
  - Starting rankings at State Degree Check (Gold, Silver, Bronze) with papers and only sending Golds to State Convention for interview/finals.
  - Send three teachers from each area to State Degree Check to rank.
- Big changes in the 2025 National FFA Rubric:
  - SAEs are being scored similar to Stars (finances, time, ect.)
  - Added extra skills and competencies
    - 9 now instead of 5
    - Potential to lose 27 points if doesn't match
  - Division changes:
    - 7th-9th and 10th-12th
  - Read the new rubric and become familiar with all of the changes yourself because there are quite a bit of changes.