DATE: November 23, 2011

TO: All CEA’s – 4-H & Coordinators, 1890 Agents

FROM: Montza Williams

SUBJECT: 2012 East District 5 4-H Consumer Decision Making Contest
January 28, 2012
Central Heights ISD

Important Rules to Remember

▪ Each County may enter up to three (3) teams in the appropriate age division in this contest.
▪ Participating individuals will be eligible for individual awards only.
▪ 4-Hers will only be allowed to participate in their respective age divisions.
▪ Participants must have gone through a county level contest in order to advance to the District level.
▪ Participants will enter as individuals but teams must be appropriately designated the day of the contest.

Deadline and Entry Fee Schedule

January 14, 2012: Registration via 4-H Connect
Entry fee payment of $6.00 per person

If paying by 4-H check mail to: Texas 4-H Foundation
P.O. Box 11020
College Station, TX 77842-1020
(Memo Line – D5 Consumer Decision Making)

Contest Date: January 28, 2012
Registration Time: 9:00 a.m.
Participant Orientation: 9:30 a.m.
Judging Begins: 10:00 a.m.
Reasons Judge Orientation: 10:30 a.m.

Eight (8) contest classes will be judged. Several copies of the scenario for the class will be placed on each table for participants. Intermediate contestants will give one (1) set of oral reasons and seniors will give two (2). The reason classes will be declared during the contest orientation.

Agent assignments are listed below. If you are a class coordinator, you are responsible for writing a class scenario (designated by the contest chair), establish official placings and cuts, draft the official
placing reasons, and bring said items to Central Heights for the contest. The contest will be prepared in the appropriate room (to be designated later) beginning at 8:30 a.m., January 28, 2012.

For more information about the Consumer Decision Making contest, visit: http://fcs.tamu.edu/money/your_money/cdm/index.php.

cc Mrs. Shelia Lewis
       Dr. Chris Boleman

ASSIGNMENTS

Contest Orientation
Liz Buckner McKinney

Contest Coordination
Liz Buckner McKinney

Registration
Sarah Jones
Louraiseal McDonald

Class Coordinators
Louraiseal McDonald
Cindy VanDevender
Sarah Jones
Willie Arnwine
Sarah Bolt
Brock Fry

Tabulators
Brock Fry
Willie Arnwine

Oral Reasons (to get judges)
Sarah Bolt
Cindy VanDevender

Awards Program
Liz Buckner McKinney
D5 Council Officers