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Local FFA Chapter Recognized for Membership Growth

**Raleigh, NC** – The \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ FFA Chapter increased their FFA chapter membership during the 2010-2011 school year by \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ members. Recognition was given during the 83rd North Carolina FFA State Convention that was held at the Raleigh Convention Center in downtown Raleigh on June 21-23, 2011. The award was accepted by \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_. The chapter advisor is \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

Today, there are 500,823 National FFA members, aged 12-21 in 7,358 chapters in all 50 states, Puerto Rico and the Virgin Islands. The North Carolina FFA Association boasts a membership of over 17,400 student members preparing for leadership and careers in the science, business and technology of agriculture with nearly 250 local chapters across the state. FFA makes a positive difference in the lives of students by developing their potential for **premier leadership, personal growth and career success** through agricultural education. Visit www.ncffa.org for more information.

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