



WILLIAM BURKE FOSTER

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*Hamilton County*

*Candidate for State Council Secretary*

# ABOUT THE CANDIDATE

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Burke Foster, a senior at Corinth Christian Academy in Jennings, Florida, is from Wellborn, a cozy community in Suwannee County. Growing up in a working-class family his mom runs a flower shop and his dad worked in forestry Burke discovered his passion for public speaking during the county-level Tropicana Speech Competition in 2016. His enthusiasm for 4-H took root during a memorable summer camp at Cherry Lake in Madison back in 2018. By 2023, Burke had earned his stripes at the state level, participating in the 4-H Legislature.

Now aiming for State Council Secretary as a senior, Burke brings a wealth of hands-on experience and a solid work ethic. Alongside his political ambitions, Burke leads as president of the student council and serves as Vice President of the Hamilton County 4-H Explorers Club, all while pitching in as a poll worker. Beyond politics, Burke has a knack for cooking, which highlights his diverse talents and interests. With his varied background and unwavering dedication, Burke stands out as an excellent candidate for this role.



# INITIATIVES

As secretary of the Florida 4-H State Council, Burke will  
Propose initiatives with a focus on civic engagement.

## Florida 4-H "GO VOTE!"

This initiative will focus on 4-Her's aged 16 and over being pre-registered or registered to vote in elections.

## Florida 4-H Youth Voice Forums

County 4-H offices will hold forums for county and city campaigns. These forums will be held not as a debate, but as a time for the youth to engage with candidates.

## Florida 4-H "Remembers"

This program will see the Florida 4-H program create social media posts on the history, reason, and meaning of important days in American history

# CAMPAIGN MOTTO

“CRAFTING OUR LEGACY, ONE  
RECORD AT A TIME”

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## “Crafting Our Legacy”

- A legacy is something lasting and impactful we leave behind.
- Crafting means that the legacy was not accidental, but intentional through thoughtful efforts.

## “One Record at a Time”

- This part of the motto is a statement of the duties of the secretary, as a step-by-step progress in attention to detail through responsibility and integrity.





# DUTIES

As Secretary of the Florida 4-H Burke will uphold to the best of his abilities the values, duties, and traditions of the office of Secretary.

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## Obligations to the State Council

- Keep meeting minutes
- Keep records of the current year's minutes and previous years'
- Call the roll for meetings of the council
- Record activities of the council
- Attend to the correspondence of the council

## Obligations to the Executive Board

- Chair one committee on the board
- Sit on one of the committees on the board