4-H in the City Film Festival is a short film competition that challenges 4-H youth to create an engaging, entertaining and informative film to promote 4-H.

The film must be at least fifteen seconds and no longer than two minutes in length. All films must be submitted on a USB flash drive/DVD (machine-playable DVDRs only), labeled with the name of the film, the name(s) of the 4-H member(s), the 4-H project the film is promoting, the name of the 4-H member(s) 4-H Club.

NOTE: Double-check your USB flash drive/DVD on multiple players to ensure it playability. Any use of copyrighted material must be accompanied by a signed original letter from the holder of the copyright authorizing the use and distribution of the copyrighted material. This includes music, graphics, text, still photography, and footage.

Beware of clichés, stay away from stunts or gimmicks that could hurt or harm the actor or bystanders, and try to avoid stereotypes. All films must have appropriate, family-friendly content approximating a G or PG rating. Failure to comply with any of the rules will result in disqualification from the competition.

Some suggested 4-H Projects to promote:
- Anti-Bullying (Take-A-Stand),
- Healthy Lifestyles (Learn Eat! Grow! Go! or Fuel Up to Play 60),
- Performing Arts,
- Public Speaking,
- Science & Technology,
- Service Learning/Community Service, or Career Development.

The deadline for your short film entry is postmark midnight January 30, 2015 mailed to:
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