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## 2012 Cumberland County Agriculture Hall of Fame

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**NEWS RELEASE**

Nominations are now being accepted for candidates for induction into the Cumberland County Agriculture Hall of Fame for 2012.

The Cumberland County Agriculture Hall of Fame honors persons who have contributed outstanding service to agriculture, home economics, youth development or rural communities. Membership in the Hall of Fame has been awarded to one or more persons annually since 1989. The Agriculture Hall of Fame is located in the auditorium of the Cumberland County Center of North Carolina Cooperative Extension, located in the Charlie Rose Agri-Expo Center, 301 East Mountain Drive, Fayetteville, NC.

Criteria for nominating an individual into the Agriculture Hall of Fame are the individual's contributions to agriculture, home economics, youth development, or rural communities. Nominations should be submitted on a nomination form, which is available by calling 910-321-6405. Nomination forms are also available on the Cooperative Extension website: <http://cumberland.ces.ncsu.edu>. Completed nomination forms with supporting documentation, not to exceed five pages, must be received by June 1, 2012 at 5:00 p.m. Late submissions will not be considered. Nominations may be mailed to the Cumberland County Center, North Carolina Cooperative Extension, Charlie Rose Agri-Expo Center, 301 East Mountain Drive, Fayetteville, North Carolina, 28306 or faxed to 910.321.6883.

The nominating committee will review all nomination forms and select a nominee or nominees to be submitted to the Cumberland County Board of Commissioners for consideration and election into the Hall of Fame. The recipient(s) will be honored in November during the annual Farm-City Week Celebration event.

