Texas FFA Rodeo Committee Report Submitted by Krysta Canham & Shelly Townsend

Notes from BEFORE our state meeting:

- 1. The rodeo went well and ran very smoothly.
- 2. We had some issues with parents and students not respecting the authority of the committee members during the rodeo.
- 3. There was a confusion on ground rules being set after each performance & questioning the rule book.
- 4. There was talk about adjusting the registration and entry fees for the rodeo.
- 5. We do not know where the rodeo will be held for the 2024 state convention.
- 6. There was confusion about the website being updated.

Notes from AFTER our state meeting:

- 1. We will have credentials next year that will be given to all committee members to provide more authority to students and parents during the rodeo.
- 2. There will be ground rules evaluated and set after each performance next year.
- 3. We still do not know where the rodeo will be held, Stacey has been in contact with multiple arenas around the Houston area so we are confident that this will be a fairly easy process.
- 4. The entry fee and the registration costs associated with state convention will stay the same for the 2024 rodeo.
- 5. The website will be updated after April 1, 2024. Please do not expect anything to be on there before then. This will give us time to get the location set, hopefully a contact, and more information to the students.
- 6. We are looking for possible sponsors for the rodeo next year, it is a very tight budget and if we can get more sponsors we will be able to to do more for the students.