



ARIZONA  
ASSOCIATION FFA

## STATE OFFICER CANDIDATE INFORMATION SHEET

**CANDIDATE NAME:** Jerod Focht

**CHAPTER:** Highland



**SAE:** My SAEs include running a small fabrication business called Focht Fabrication where I design gates and metal landscape features, along with doing gate, fence, and other general repairs. My other SAE is working in The Home Depot tool rental department, repairing and maintaining the rental tools.

**OFFICES HELD:** Greenhand Sentinel  
Junior Vice President  
Chapter Treasurer  
Chapter Vice President

### FFA INVOLVEMENT:

I have competed in many different CDE events such as Ag mechanics, Nursery Landscape, Floriculture, Ag Business, Agriscience fair, Discussion Meet, Milk Quality, Food Science, and Chapter Display. I have also shown lambs at the Maricopa County Fair for three years.

### SCHOOL AND COMMUNITY INVOLVEMENT:

I have helped with landscaping at local churches, built fence panels for practice arenas, and helped build raised garden beds on my school's campus.

### EDUCATIONAL PLANS & GOALS:

I intend to get my Associates in Welding and complete Empire's Think Big program to become a diesel technician.

### WHY I DESIRE TO SERVE:

The Arizona FFA has given me many opportunities to grow and become a leader in my school and community and I want to give the upcoming FFA members a better experience than I had, to be able to help guide the future generation of FFA members in finding their passions wherever they may lay. I have always wanted to help my peers and friends accomplish their goals and strive for their dreams. I hope to be able to do that if I get elected as State Officer.