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## **Holly Miner to Serve as Wildcat District Extension Agent**

MANHATTAN, Kan. – Holly Miner will join the staff of K-State Research and Extension – Wildcat District as the Health, Food Safety, and Nutrition Extension Agent, effective April 5, 2021. Wildcat District has offices located in Girard, Altamont, Fredonia, Independence, and Pittsburg, Kansas. Holly's primary office will be in Independence.

She earned both her bachelor's degree in Home Economics Education and her master's degree in Interdepartmental Human Resources and Family Sciences from the University of Nebraska-Lincoln.

Miner has most recently been employed as a Family Consumer Science and 4-H Agent for Montana State University Extension, located in Big Horn County.

Health and Nutrition agents develop and deliver educational programs related to nutrition, food safety and health, including mental health. Programming may include but is not limited to: nutrition through the life cycle, nutrition of low-income audiences, food security, consumer and food handler food safety, physical activity promotion, and chronic disease prevention.

Local extension faculty are jointly employed in a partnership between K-State Research and Extension, headquartered on the Kansas State University campus in Manhattan, and the local Extension board.

The role of K-State Research and Extension is to encourage the adoption of research-based information to improve the quality of life for Kansans. K-State Research and Extension is the short name for the Kansas State University Agricultural Experiment Station and Cooperative Extension Service.

More information about K-State Research and Extension Wildcat District is available by calling (620) 784-5337, or online at [wildcatdistrict.k-state.edu](http://wildcatdistrict.k-state.edu).

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