2015

Youth Scholarship Program Sponsored by the Arkansas Chapter of National Association of Housing and Redevelopment Officials

EMPLOYEE DEPENDENT APPLICATION

This Youth Scholarship Program provides scholarship opportunities to High School Seniors or Graduates who are entering their first year of post-secondary education and whose parent/guardian has been employed twelve (12) months prior to application deadline at an agency or authority that is in good standing with Arkansas Chapter of NAHRO.

The Scholarship has been established by the Arkansas Chapter of NAHRO to provide the opportunity for students whose parent/guardian is employed with an agency or authority to take advantage of post high school educational opportunities. This scholarship should be used for fall and/or spring semesters only. Summer school is not eligible. The scholarship will be paid directly to the winner after confirmation of enrollment in a college, university or vocational school is received. Confirmation of enrollment must be received within eighteen (18) months of award of scholarship.

ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS

- 1) The Applicant must be a son/daughter or under the legal guardianship of an employee of Public Housing, Section 8 or other housing programs who has been employed for twelve (12) months prior to the application's deadline.
- 2) The Applicant must commit himself or herself to enrolling in a college, university or vocational school beyond high school graduation.
- 3) The Applicant must have maintained an overall 2.5 grade point average for the total of his/her high school career.

This scholarship program is competitive and will be awarded based on academic achievements, extra-curricular school activities and community involvement.

APPLICATIONS MUST BE POSTMARKED NO LATER THAN FEBRUARY 14, 2015.

Mail completed application to: Judy Sharp, Chairperson

Arkansas Chapter NAHRO Scholarship Committee

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Applications must include the following additional materials:

- 1. All available and most recent high school transcript (including current grades).
- 2. ACT Test Scores.
- 3. Two or more letters of recommendation from teachers/counselor.
- 4. An essay (300 words or less) on why the applicant wishes to pursue a college degree or vocational training. Essay must be typed or in own handwriting.

INCOMPLETE OR LATE APPLICATION PACKETS WILL BE REFUSED.

HOUSING AGENCY CERTIFICATION

(<u>circle program type</u>) administere guardian has been employed twelv	(applicant's name) is a sont Housing, Section 8, or other housing program d by this agency. I also certify that the parent/ye (12) months prior to application deadline. This tanding with Arkansas Chapter of NAHRO.
Signature of Executive Director:	
Name of Agency/Authority:	
Date:	

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ANNUAL SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION FORM

Name:			Age:	_
Address:				
City:	State:	Zip:	Phone #:	_
Agency Name and City: _			SS#:	
Graduation Date:	Grade Poin	nt Average:	Best ACT Score:	
Academic Major(s) will Pu	ırsue:			_
List College/University/Vo	ocational School	of Interest to Yo	ou:	
Summarize your academic	accomplishment	ts (e.g. scholarsh	nips, awards, Honor Societies):	
Extra-curricular school act	ivities in which y	you have particij	pated (e.g. clubs, band, athletics, etc.):	
List community activities i organizations, etc.):	n which you hav	re taken part (e.g	g. church groups, community service	
List hobbies and special in	terests:			
Indicate any jobs which yo	u have/had (full	or part time):		

If a question doesn't apply to you, please indicate as not applicable.