

**COMMUNITY  
VOLUNTEER  
SERVICE**

List all volunteer service activities in which you have participated without pay during the past two years (e.g. food shelf volunteer, meals-on-wheels driver, literacy tutor). Describe the activity briefly, indicate total hours volunteered per year and provide the name, title and phone number of a supervisor who can verify the volunteer activity. Add up the total number of hours worked below.

Name & Description of Volunteer Activity (what did you do for your community?)	Hours Worked	Supervisor's Name and Title	Supervisor's Telephone Number

**Total number of hours of volunteer work:** \_\_\_\_\_

**CERTIFICATION**


I, the applicant, certify that the information provided in this application is complete and accurate to the best of my knowledge. I certify that I, the applicant, meet all guidelines designated in this brochure. Falsification of any information will cause disqualification from the scholarship program.

Signature of applicant \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Signature of parent or guardian \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

# WH 2012 Scholarship Application

**Wright-Hennepin**  
Cooperative Electric Association

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Twenty-one local students received scholarships from WH Holding Company in 2011, totaling \$28,700 (this company serves as the holding structure for Wright-Hennepin's non-electric subsidiary businesses).

Local Schools Scholarship recipients (in alphabetical order of school names): Justine Bauer, Annandale HS; Samantha Kramer, Buffalo HS; Nicole Dallman, Dassel-Cokato; HS Shelby Streachek, Delano HS; Sabrina Kieser, Howard Lake-Waverly-Winsted HS; Megan Johnston, Maple Grove HS; Ashley Hertwig, Maple Lake HS; Laura Hoberg, Monticello HS; Mackenzie Skatter, Orono HS; Justine Simon, Osseo Sr. HS; Brian Volkenant, Rockford HS; Benjamin Burney, Rogers HS; Elise Weber, St. Michael-Albertville Sr. HS; Alexander Phearman, Watertown-Mayer HS; Hannah Bergeson, Wayzata HS; Becca Sytsma, St. Cloud Technical HS – at-large

Ed Slebiska Memorial Line Worker Scholarship recipients: Joseph Chap, Cokato, Minn., and Garret Ernhart, Buffalo, Minn.

Knickerbocker Memorial Line Worker Scholarship recipient: Joshua Jerde, Buffalo, Minn.

Basin Electric Power Cooperative Scholarship recipients: Andrew Zipp, St. Michael, Minn. and Michelle Hansmann, Hamel, Minn.

## WH Scholarship Program

Wright-Hennepin Cooperative Electric Association (WH) began a scholarship program in 1988 and has since awarded approximately \$520,000 to local youth.

In the past, the money for the scholarship fund came from unclaimed capital credits. This year's scholarships are made possible thanks to a donation from WH Holding Company, which provides the umbrella for WH Security, WH International Response Center, WH Generation, WH Services, WH Holding Investments and HeatMyFloors.com. By funding the program this way, the scholarship awards are not funded through members' electric rates.

## Eligibility

High school seniors living in the local area are eligible to apply if planning to enroll full-time in an undergraduate course of study for the next academic year at any two-year or four-year college, university or vocational technical school in the United States.

Applicants must provide the following written documentation to be considered for selection:

- 1) Proof of local residence.
- 2) The number and type of community service hours you have logged as an active member of your community.
- 3) Your future goals as defined in a 150 to 200 word essay.
- 4) WH's board requested that schools award scholarships based on economic need and with a preference to a recipient who has not been awarded another community scholarship.

## Application Process

Scholarship applications must be filled out completely and returned to your school counselor by the due date along with a high school transcript and essay. At-large scholarship applicants can return their application to Wright-Hennepin by March 31.

To complete and validate your application, the following items must be completed prior to submission:

- ✓ Application Form
- ✓ Essay
- ✓ Current high school transcript
- ✓ Proof of local residence

## How will the money be distributed?

Scholarship funds are divided evenly among local high schools within the service territory. Each school is responsible for distributing the money to recipients.

Scholarship funds must be claimed by June 30 of the following year or the money will be forfeited by the recipient.



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All information must be filled out completely on the application form.

APPLICANT DATA	<b>Name</b>	Last _____ First _____ Middle Initial _____
	<b>Permanent Address</b>	Street Address _____ Apt # _____
		City _____ State _____ Zip _____
	<b>Telephone</b>	Home _____ Work _____
	<b>Date of Birth</b>	Month _____ Day _____ Year _____ SS No. _____
	<b>Parent or Guardian</b>	Last _____ First _____ Middle Initial _____
Home _____ Work _____		

HIGH SCHOOL DATA	School Name _____
	Graduation Date: Month _____ Year _____

ESSAY	In your essay, define your future goals. What are your plans, desires and aspirations?
	<b>Essay should be 150-200 word typed and double-spaced on one sheet of 8-1/2 by 11 white paper.</b>

POST-SECONDARY SCHOOL DATA	Name of accredited post-secondary school you plan to attend: _____
	City _____ State _____
	_____ 4-year College/University _____ 2-year Community/Junior College
	_____ Vocational-Technical School
Anticipated Graduation Date: Month _____ Year _____	

HIGH-SCHOOL TRANSCRIPT INFORMATION	Applicants must include a high school transcript of grades and have the following section completed by the appropriate school official.
	Cumulative grade point average on a 4.0 scale: _____
	or other (please specify scale used): _____/Scale: _____
	School official's signature _____ Title _____
School phone number _____ Date _____	