The One AWWA Operator Scholarship

The **One AWWA Operator Scholarship** is funded through the support of AWWA's The Water Equation Campaign and the Pennsylvania AWWA Section.

PURPOSE of AWARD

AWWA's The Water Equation Campaign and the Pennsylvania AWWA Section, will award the **One AWWA Operator Scholarship** in the amount of **$1,000** for Water Operator training and education.

Scholarship award can be used for certification/licensure, two-year water related associate degree, technical school program, professional training program, books and manuals, and operator related conferences.

Each scholarship recipient will receive a one-year AWWA Operator membership.

ELIGIBILITY/GUIDELINES

- Applicant must be a current water operator or seeking to enter the water operator profession.
- Applicant must be pursuing an Operator's License or Certification, two or four-year degree related to the water operator profession, or professional development.
- Disbursement of the funds will be made directly by the Section to the financial office of recipient's college, university, or technical school.
- Items related to books, manuals, conferences, professional development courses, and other eligible expenses will be reimbursed to recipient upon presentation of eligible receipts.
- Applicant must reside or work within the geographical boundaries covered by the sponsoring Section.
- Acceptance of scholarship constitutes permission to use recipient's name and scholarship story for purpose of promotion.

APPLICATION PROCESS: DEADLINE/SELECTION/PRESENTATION

Pease submit the application to Don Hershey, PA-AWWA at donhershey@paawwa.org or fax to: 717-774-8870. The deadline is April 22, 2016. The scholarship(s) will be awarded at PA-AWWA's 68th annual conference in Bethlehem, PA on May 11, 2016.

Special note: The award may be split two ways depending on the amount of nominees and qualified applicants.

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The One AWWA Operator Scholarship APPLICATION

APPLICANT INFORMATION

Name: _____

Address: _____

_____

Phone: _____ Email:_

EMPLOYMENT INFORMATION

Employer: _

Address: _____

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Phone: _____ Current Position: _

Number of Years at Job: _____ Operator Level:

_____ Member of AWWA: ☐ Yes ☐ No

Veteran: ☐ Yes ☐ No

HOW YOU WILL USE THE SCHOLARSHIP FUNDS

☐ 2- or 4-year Water Operator Related Degree ☐ Technical School ☐ Operator Certification or Licensure

☐ Professional Development Program or Conference ☐ Books and Manuals

ATTACH THE FOLLOWING TO THIS APPLICATION FORM:

- One page essay of career objectives and how this scholarship will enhance your ability for professional development and bring value to the water industry.
- Résumé
- Two letters of recommendation/reference

CERTIFICATION

I certify that the information included in this application is true and complete to the best of my knowledge and I grant permission to AWWA's The Water Equation Campaign and sponsoring Section to release my name and award for promotional use.

Signature: _____ Date: _____