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Dear Scholarship Coordinator:

The Broward County Supervisor of Elections Office in coordination with the Florida State Association of Supervisor of Elections (FSASE) is pleased to announce the continuation of its scholarship program to support and encourage any junior or senior undergraduate students in the field of civic engagement. Mr. Peter Antonacci encourages all Broward County Educational institutions to spread the word.

**Goal** – The principal goal of this scholarship program is to offer financial support to current junior and senior undergraduate students and to encourage serious and deserving students to continue their studies in the areas of Political Science, Public Administration, Journalism and Mass Communications.

**Scholarship Award Amount** – The total distribution for the 2019 academic year will be three \$1,200.00 awards. Scholarship awards will be made directly to winners. It can be used toward any cost related to their undergraduate studies.

**Fields of Interest** - Junior and senior undergraduate students majoring in Political Science, Public Administration, Journalism and Mass Communications are eligible to apply for the scholarship.

**\* Must be a Registered Voter in Broward County.** Please see attached application.

**How to Apply** - Please carefully follow and adhere to the following schedule:

1. Deadline to receive applications: March 29, 2019
2. Please mail to : **Attention: Gino Herring, Voter Education Director**  
**Broward County Supervisor of Elections Office**  
**115 S. Andrews Ave, Room 102, Fort Lauderdale FL, 33301**
3. All applications will be reviewed, students will be interviewed, and one (1) will be selected as a semi-finalist representing Broward County. The semi-finalist will be notified and their application will then be sent to the State Scholarship Chair along with a recommendation letter and a verified voter registration.

The Chair will forward copies of the applications to members of the Scholarship Committee for evaluation. The committee will announce the scholarship recipients at the 2019 Summer Conference.

There are many students from and around Broward County that could benefit greatly from this scholarship opportunity, so please make sure the applications are available to all eligible students in Broward County.

Thank you in advance for your assistance with this effort.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Gino Herring".

Gino Herring, MFCEP  
Voter Education Director  
Broward County Supervisor of Elections Office

**GUIDELINES FOR  
THE FLORIDA STATE ASSOCIATION OF SUPERVISORS OF ELECTIONS  
SCHOLARSHIP STUDENT ELIGIBILITY**

**STUDENT ELIGIBILITY** – To be eligible for the FSASE Scholarship the student applicant shall:

1. Be either a Political Science/Public or Business Administration or Journalism/Mass Communication major.
2. Be a citizen of the United States.
3. Have been a bona fide resident of Florida for two years preceding the academic year for which an application is made.
4. Be enrolled or accepted as a full-time student in a senior college or university in Florida. No postgraduate or second-degree students.
5. Have finished two years of junior college or undergraduate work (enough credits for enrollment as a junior).
6. Submit two current letters of recommendation: one from the college or university last attended or graduated from; and one from a citizen of good standing in the community.
7. Submit a resume of your high school and/or college activities as well as what you have done for your community.
8. Demonstrate a financial need and furnish a financial statement, which shows what your own contribution is to your educational expenses. (Student does not have to submit an official form, can just send a statement of their financial need.)
9. Have maintained a “C” average or above for the previous year.
10. Be available for personal interview by the Supervisor of Elections in the county **where you are registered to vote**.
11. **BE REGISTERED TO VOTE.** (Written verification required by Supervisor submitting application where you are registered to vote.)

**ELIGIBLE INSTITUTION** – Scholarship must be given to student attending a Florida university or college which is accredited by the Southern Association of Colleges and Schools.

**STIPULATION** – The scholarship check will be made payable to the winning applicant AND to the school which they will be attending.

**STUDENT:**

1. Must apply in accordance with all eligibility requirements. (Failure to do so could result in non-consideration).
2. Must continue to meet all initial eligibility requirements
3. Must maintain a “C” average or above.
4. Must remain in good standing at the institution.

**APPLICATION:**

1. Must be received by the Supervisor of Elections in the County that you are registered in by **March 29, 2019.**
2. Letters of recommendation **MUST ACCOMPANY APPLICATION OR BE RECEIVED BY THE DEADLINE.**

**SELECTION** – Each County’s Supervisor will review all applications received and select one finalist to be sent to the FSASE Scholarship Committee, along with a written opinion of the applicant. The FSASE Scholarship Supervisors Committee will select THREE winners (\$1,200 each) from the finalists submitted from the year. A student who has received the scholarship award may make a second application of the following year.

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Broward County Supervisor of Election Office  
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**2019  
FSASE SCHOLARSHIP**

Applicant \_\_\_\_\_ County \_\_\_\_\_

**Does student application meet the following requirements?**

- \_\_\_ Yes \_\_\_ No 1. Registered voter having lived as a bona fide resident of Florida for the preceding two years. (Written verification by Supervisor of Elections submitting the application.)
- \_\_\_ Yes \_\_\_ No 2. Finished (or now completing) two years of junior college or enough credits for enrollment as a junior.
- \_\_\_ Yes \_\_\_ No 3. Enrolled or accepted as a full-time student in a senior college or a university in Florida.
- \_\_\_ Yes \_\_\_ No 4. Political Science/Public/Business Administration or Journalism/Mass Communication major.
- \_\_\_ Yes \_\_\_ No 5. Maintain a "C" average or above for the previous year.
- \_\_\_ Yes \_\_\_ No 6. Two letters of recommendation – one from college last Attended and one from citizen of good standing.
- \_\_\_ Yes \_\_\_ No 7. Resume of H.S. and/or college activities as well as community activities.
- \_\_\_ Yes \_\_\_ No 8. Financial need information.

