

## **Lineworker Scholarship Application – Year 2**

Freeborn Mower Electric Cooperative Services (FMEC) has a Lineworker Scholarship Program. Two (2) \$1,000 scholarships will be awarded yearly. The scholarships are established to assist students pursuing a post-secondary education in an electric utility lineworker program.

### **Eligibility:**

- Any applicant enrolling in a lineworker program or any applicant who can prove they are on a waiting list for the next open enrollment period. Preference will be given to FMEC members and residents of Freeborn County and/or, Mower County.
- Student must have, at the time of application, a 2.5 grade point average and maintain a 2.5 grade point average during their first college term.
- No student shall be excluded for race, creed, color, sex, or national origin.
- Applicant must be enrolling in a program leading to certificate to work in the electrical lineworker field.
- Applications must be received by **March 1**.

### **Selection:**

- The scholarship committee will evaluate all applications. The selection will be based upon the application, the essay questions, and the ability of the student to maintain a 2.5 grade point average during their first term of college.

### **Notification:**

- Notification of the award will be made by a member of the FMEC scholarship committee or a designee.

### **Disbursement:**

- Payments will be made through the financial aid office of the recipient's college or university. Fifty percent (50%) will be paid at the beginning of the school year and fifty percent (50%) following receipt of a letter and transcript from the student to the cooperative at the end of their first term.

**Application and supporting documents are due by March 1.**

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## **ESSAY QUESTION**

Please answer the questions below on a separate sheet of paper.  
Type your response and limit the question to no more than a full page.

- 1. What do you consider your most important contribution or achievement you experienced in your first year of the Lineworker Program?**

*Applications submitted without an essay will not be considered.*



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Last Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Middle Initial: \_\_\_\_\_ First Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Mailing Address: \_\_\_\_\_ City: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail Address: \_\_\_\_\_ FMEC Acct #: \_\_\_\_\_

Electric Provider if not FMEC: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_ Alternate Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent | Guardian Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Relationship: \_\_\_\_\_

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Graduating High School: \_\_\_\_\_

Number of Family Members Attending College Next Year: \_\_\_\_\_

Class Rank \_\_\_\_\_ Cumulative GPA \_\_\_\_\_

College Planning to Attend: \_\_\_\_\_

### Past Work Experience

Employer	Position	Hours Worked per Week	Dates of Employment

Please list three (3) personal references and their phone numbers. At least one should be outside of school.

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Relationship: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

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Applicant Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_