

## **Awards and Scholarships**

### **SMITH ESTATE FUND ADVISORY COMMITTEE SCHOLARSHIP SELECTIONS NEWPORT SCHOOL DISTRICT NEWPORT, WASHINGTON**

#### **SELECTION OF SCHOLARSHIP RECIPIENTS**

The responsibility for selecting and approving scholarship recipients is delegated to the Smith Estate Fund Advisory Committee for Scholarship Selection. There will be a budget amount assigned in accordance with financial management policies and legal requirements.

#### **Rules for Proceeding**

##### **1.0 Membership**

**1.1** Membership of the committee will consist of a local business person, the high school counselor, a district patron (non-parent), a school board member, the school superintendent or designee, and one family member (if desired).

**1.2** Members of the committee are requested to provide one month's notice prior to resignation. When an opening occurs, an announcement will be made and volunteers solicited. Replacement members will be nominated by the remaining committee members and then be approved by the school board.

**1.3** The board member of this committee will be appointed by the Board of Directors.

##### **2.0 Selection of Scholarship Recipient**

**2.1** Awards will be given only to students graduating from high school in the award year.

**2.2** "A preference shall be given to those with financial need and to those who plan to major in Education" ----Excerpt from Last Will and Testament.

**2.3** Additional criteria may be established by the committee including such Considerations as past scholarship, activity involvement, community service, etc. Such additional criteria will be established by the committee.

##### **3.0 Time Table**

**3.1** The scholarship committee will schedule their meeting(s) such that decisions regarding recipients can be made prior to scholarship award functions.

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