

North Dakota Rural Water Systems Association Patrick Denne Memorial Scholarship Application

Who should apply?

✓ A child or grandchild of a current city/rural water system employee or elected city/rural water system official (water system must be a current member of N.D. Rural Water Systems Association).

OR

✓ A student enrolled or planning to enroll in Bismarck State College's Water and Wastewater Technology program. The student must have (a) successfully completed one complete semester of the program and earned a 2.5 grade point average (GPA) over the term; and (b) carry a minimum of 12 credit hours in the semester they are seeking a scholarship.

Entry Requirements

The applicant must submit the following:

- ✓ An official application form.
- ✓ A paragraph summarizing career goals.
- ✓ A list of extracurricular/leadership activities.
- ✓ A brief essay (400-500 words) on the importance of the water industry.

Support Provided

Up to \$8,000 will be awarded to be used to defray the costs of tuition, books, room, and board.

Application Deadline/Award Requirements

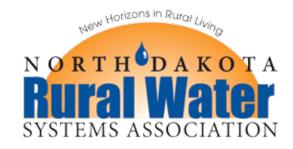
Completed applications for the Patrick Denne Memorial Scholarship must be postmarked no later than April 28, 2017. The full amount of the scholarship will be paid upon verification of admittance to an accredited institution of higher learning or transcript indicating Water and Wastewater Technology program requirements.

Selection Criteria

A selection committee will evaluate the applicants and select the scholarship recipients based on career goals, leadership activities, financial need, and essay. Applicants will be considered without regard to age, color, gender, race, creed, or country of origin. Preference will be given to North Dakota residents.

Contact/Questions

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PATRICK DENNE MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

Name:	Phone:	
Address:	E-mail address:	
City:	State:	_ Zip Code:
Major or course of study:	Name of school you	u will attend:
Name of city/rural water system:		
Employee/elected official name:	Relation	nship to applicant:
If employed, is your employer paying for any cost of your education? Yes or No If yes, please explain:		
Career Goals Attach a brief paragraph summarizing your career goals.		
Extracurricular Activities Attach a list of extracurricular activities including academic, athletic, volunteer hours, community service, etc.		
Applicant's Essay Write a brief essay (400-500 words) on the importance of the water industry.		
Financial Need Please describe any unusual circumstance or financial hardship that affects your need for financial assistance.		
Certification I hereby verify that the statements and information disclosed in this application are true and accurate, and have been provided in good faith. I intend to continue my education during this school year and promise to use all scholarship funds provided by the NDRWSA to defray the cost of my education.		
Applicant's Signature:		Date:
Please submit a completed application including all required attachments by April 28, 2017 to: Eric Volk North Dakota Rural Water Systems Association		

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