



## **South Section of the NJWEA Scholarship Awards**

**Joseph W. Manganaro Scholarship Award:** This scholarship award of **\$1,500** is intended for a graduating New Jersey High School Senior seeking full-time enrollment in an Approved Program at an NJ College or University, OR a full-time student enrolled in an Approved Program at an NJ College or University. 'Approved Programs' are those relating to Environmental Sciences, Engineering or a closely related field with an emphasis in areas of environmental protection and/or water resources, such as Biology, Chemistry, etc. Award criteria is based on academic performance, merit, scholastic ability and demonstrated interest in the above noted Approved Program fields. Contact your Section's Award Committee member or Section President for an application and requirement information.

**Blake Maloney Scholarship Award:** This scholarship award of **\$1,500** is for a person who is continuing their education in Technical Certifications. These certifications can include Plumber, Millwright, Electrician, Instrument Tech, etc. The student must be enrolled in a recognized certification program and have completed at least one semester towards the certification; the student must also be a resident of New Jersey and working in the wastewater industry.

**Robert Ingles Scholarship Award:** This Scholarship award of **\$1,500** is for a person who has completed at least one semester at a County College in course work that would position them to receive an Associate's degree in Science.

**Memorial Scholarship:** This scholarship award of **\$1,500** is to honor those who have passed on. This scholarship is for a person seeking a Master's Level degree in Environmental Science, Engineering, or a closely related field with an emphasis in areas of environmental protection and/or water resources. Consideration will be given to individuals seeking to obtain a New Jersey Wastewater or Collection System Operators License whom are enrolled in a Wastewater Operators Certification Course.

**SOUTH SECTION OF THE NEW JERSEY WATER ENVIRONMENT ASSOCIATION SCHOLAR AWARD**  
**APPLICATION**

The South Section of the New Jersey Water Environment Association, if adequate funds are available and have been approved by the membership, may present up to four (4) scholar awards to an individual whom meets the described criteria. The amount of scholar awards for 2023 is **\$1500**.

**APPLICATIONS ARE DUE BY MAY 15, 2023**

**CRITERIA FOR AWARD:**

1. The nominee must be sponsored by a New Jersey Water Environment Association member, with preference being given to nominees sponsored by a South Section Member.
2. The nominee must have maintained a cumulative grade point average of 3.0/B or greater for the three (3) reporting periods prior to making application for the award. Proof in the form of report cards or transcripts shall be attached to the application.
4. The nominee must submit a letter of recommendation from a faculty member of the Science Department.
5. The nominee has taken or plans to continue his/her post-secondary education in an Associates, or Bachelor's Degree Program, in Engineering, Environmental Science or other wastewater related environmental studies, such as Biology, Chemistry, etc., or a certificate program in a vocational field related to the wastewater industry (Ex. Electrical Maintenance, Electronics, Welding, Heavy Equipment Operation/Office, Systems Technology, etc.)

**APPLICATION FOR SCHOLARSHIP AWARD:**

NAME: \_\_\_\_\_

ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_

CITY: \_\_\_\_\_ STATE: \_\_\_\_\_ ZIP: \_\_\_\_\_

PHONE: \_\_\_\_\_ E-MAIL: \_\_\_\_\_

NJWEA SPONSOR NAME: \_\_\_\_\_ PHONE: \_\_\_\_\_

Forward, Attached Separately:

1. Resume with Cover Letter
2. Grade Records
3. Letter of Recommendation Mail or Scan and E-mail application and all correspondence to:

**ATTN: Steve Blankenship** - Lower Township Municipal Utilities Authority – 2900 Bayshore Road - Villas, N.J. 08251; Email: [sblankenship@ltmua.org](mailto:sblankenship@ltmua.org)