



# 9<sup>th</sup> ANNUAL SAWWA SCHOLARSHIP

\$3,000 in Scholarship Awards

#### WHAT IS SAWWA?

The Sacramento Area Water Works Association is a non-profit organization comprised of water purveyors, engineers, and local vendors with the following main objectives:

- To advance and implement improvements in knowledge, design, construction, operation, and management of water utilities;
- To consider and solve problems in the production and distribution of safe, adequate water supplies;
- To promote the dissemination of water utility information in order to improve the understanding of the complexities of the industry; and
- To offer to members of the Association, their organizations, and to other appropriate persons or organizations the individual or collective water utility expertise that is available from members of the Association.

#### WHO CAN APPLY FOR THE 8<sup>th</sup> ANNUAL SAWWA SCHOLARSHIP?

To apply for this scholarship you must meet the following conditions:

• Currently enrolled or intention to enroll in post high school education by attending an accredited 4 year college, a community college, or trade school in the 2021-2022 school year.

#### WATER RESOURCES FOCUS

• Students enrolled in a program with focus on water resources are encouraged to apply but is not a requirement.

#### HOW DO I APPLY?

Participants are encouraged to download an application from the SAWWA Website at <u>www.sacwaterworks.com</u> or complete the application included on the back of this flyer and mail, hand deliver, or email the application and corresponding documents to Victor Alaniz at the following address:

#### <sup>9th</sup> ANNUAL SAWWA SCHOLARSHIP Attention: Victor Alaniz 8571 Brentwick Way Sacramento, CA 95823

Email: valaniz66@gmail.com



WHEN IS THE LAST DAY TO APPLY? Applications must be received no later than Wednesday, MAY 26, 2021 at 5PM.

#### WHAT IS THE VALUE OF THE SCHOLARSHIP?

SAWWA will select up to <mark>THREE (3) winners</mark> from the applications received and <mark>each winner will receive a scholarship for \$1,000</mark>. The winners will be notified via email and telephone on June 4, 2021 and recognized at the SAWWA June 17, 2021 General Meeting.

Each \$1,000 Scholarship will be paid directly to the winner. If the winner is a minor, the Scholarship check will be presented to the winner's parent or guardian. No substitution or transfer of prizes is permitted. Any taxes due on the Scholarship prize or any other prizes awarded are the sole responsibility of the winner and/or his or her parent or guardian.



## 9<sup>th</sup> ANNUAL SAWWA SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

## **APPLICATION REQUIREMENTS**

All scholarship applicants must include the following documents with this application:

- 1. If currently attending school, an official School Transcript in a sealed envelope.
- 2. If not currently in school, proof of acceptance to a 4 year college, community college or trade school in the upcoming school year.
- 3. A Personal Statement/Essay (**one page maximum**) in length typed single spaced with 1-inch margins. Include information about yourself, your financial need, your aspirations/goals, community involvement, awards, work history, and your interests.
- 4. Two letters of recommendation from non-family members. Include contact information in case we need to contact the reference.

#### **Selection Criteria**

Primary Criteria: Financial need, academic achievement (including grades, rank in class, standardized test scores and achievement test scores)

Secondary Criteria: Community involvement, leadership traits, awards and recognition, work history, personal or family attributes

**Bonus Points:** Applicants demonstrating further education focus in water engineering studies will receive bonus points (see rating below).

Item	Criteria	Points
1	Financial Need	25
2	Academics	25
3	Community Involvement	15
4	Leadership Traits	15
5	Awards	10
6	Work History	5
7	Personal Attributes	5
	Total	100
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#### Rating

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### **APPLICATION INFORMATION** (\* information required)

*Name:			
*Address:	City:		Zip Code:
*Telephone Numbers: (home)		(cell):	
*Email:		*School:	
*I am enrolled or intend to enroll at			College (School).



