



Minnehaha Lodge No. 5

Ancient Free & Accepted Masons
520 South First Ave.
Sioux Falls, SD 57104

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TO FINANCIAL AID DIRECTORS:

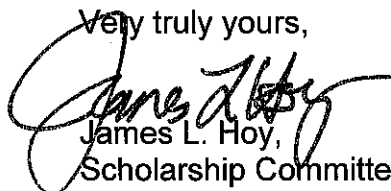
Enclosed please find an application form for the Elmer C. Anderson Memorial Scholarship. This scholarship is awarded by Minnehaha Lodge #5, one of three Masonic Lodges in Sioux Falls, South Dakota. The amount of this scholarship is one thousand dollars (\$1,000.00). Students enrolled at any four-year college or university in South Dakota who will be academic juniors or seniors during the 2020 fall semester are eligible to apply. The recipient need not be a South Dakota resident.

Please make copies of the enclosed application form as needed and distribute them to potential applicants at your institution. The applicants need to submit several attached documents which take time to obtain, so please distribute the forms as soon as possible.

Completed applications **must** be post-marked by **Monday, June 15, 2020**. The applicant selected to receive the scholarship will be notified in late July of 2020.

Thank you for the opportunity to serve the interests of higher education in South Dakota. Should you have any questions, please write to me at the address listed above, call me at work at (605) 334-8900 or send me an e-mail at james@hoylaw.com. I would be happy to send you a PDF copy of the application form upon request.

Very truly yours,


James L. Hoy,
Scholarship Committee



**MINNEHAHA LODGE #5, A.F. & A.M.
2020 ELMER C. ANDERSON MEMORIAL
SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION**

(1) Name of Applicant _____

(2) Date of Birth _____

(3) Address --- Home _____

(4) College or University _____

(5) Year in school starting next fall term of 2020 (check one, if applicable) _____ Junior _____ Senior

6) This scholarship will be awarded regardless of race, color, creed or gender, but recipient must be a U.S. citizen by birth or naturalization. Some evidence of this fact should accompany the application (copy of birth certificate or naturalization papers).

(7) Should there be recipients of equal status, preference shall be given to children of living or deceased Masons of good standing; present or former members of DeMolay, Job's Daughters or Rainbow Girls. Please indicate what relationship you may have, if any, on the lines provided. This is not a requirement for the scholarship and the furnishing of this information is strictly voluntary.

(8) Major(s) _____

Minor(s) _____

(9) FINANCIAL NEEDS. As required by the wishes of Elmer C. Anderson, deceased, the scholarship shall be first based upon financial need. In order to meet the criteria, the following information must accompany applications to be considered.

A. Copy of current FAFSA

B. Information pertaining to any other financial aid applied for and/or received for the school year that the grant is applied for.

C. On separate sheet of paper, a short written statement presenting need.

(10) SCHOLARSHIP

A. Current Grade Point Average: _____

B. Copy of transcript of grades.

(11) CAMPUS AND OFF-CAMPUS INVOLVEMENT

A. List on separate sheet

(12) List of three (3) REFERENCES and address (not related to applicant).

A. _____

B. _____

C. _____

(13) On separate sheet of paper --- SHORT STATEMENT OF APPLICANT'S FUTURE GOALS.

(14) _____

Signature of Applicant

_____ Date

NOTE: APPLICATIONS MUST BE RECEIVED OR POST-MARKED NO LATER THAN MONDAY, JUNE 15, 2020 AND ADDRESSED TO:

Scholarship Committee
Minnehaha Lodge #5
520 S 1st Ave.
Sioux Falls, SD 57104-6902

Any information provided shall become the property the Scholarship Committee and will not be returned. All information shall be kept in strict confidence and shall be destroyed after the selection process has been completed.