The One AWWA Operator Scholarship

The One AWWA Operator Scholarship is funded through the support of AWWA’s The Water Equation Campaign and the New York Section American Water Works Association.

PURPOSE OF AWARD

AWWA’s The Water Equation Campaign and the New York Section American Water Works Association, will award the One AWWA Operator Scholarship in the amount of $1,000 for Water or Wastewater Operator training and education.

Scholarship award can be used for certification/licensure, two-year water related associate degree, technical school program, professional training program, books and manuals, and operator related conferences.

Each scholarship recipient will receive a one-year AWWA Operator membership.

ELIGIBILITY/GUIDELINES

- Applicant must be a current water or wastewater operator or seeking to enter the water or wastewater operator profession.

- Applicant must be pursuing an Operator’s License or Certification, two or four-year degree related to the water operator profession, or professional development.

- Disbursement of the funds will be made directly by the Section to the financial office of recipient’s college, university, or technical school.

- Items related to books, manuals, conferences, professional development courses, and other eligible expenses will be reimbursed to recipient upon presentation of eligible receipts.

- Applicant must reside or work within the geographical boundaries covered by the sponsoring Section.

- Acceptance of scholarship constitutes permission to use recipient’s name and scholarship story for purpose of promotion.

APPLICATION PROCESS

- Application Deadline – Ongoing
- Scholarship winner will be selected by - Ongoing
- Scholarship funds will be sent directly to college/technical school/organization
The One AWWA Operator Scholarship APPLICATION

APPLICANT INFORMATION
Name: __________________________________________________________
Address: __________________________________________________________________________________________________
Phone: ____________________ Email: __________________________________

EMPLOYMENT OR SCHOOL INFORMATION
Employer/School: _______________________________________________________
Address: __________________________________________________________________________________________________
Phone: ____________________ Current Position/Grade Level: _________________________
Number of Years at Job: _________________ Operator Level: _________________

Are you a Member of AWWA: ☐ Yes ☐ No Are you a Veteran: ☐ Yes ☐ No

HOW YOU WILL USE THE SCHOLARSHIP FUNDS
☐ 2- or 4-year Water Operator Related Degree ☐ Technical School ☐ Operator Certification or Licensure
☐ Professional Development Program or Conference ☐ Books and Manuals

ATTACH THE FOLLOWING TO THIS APPLICATION FORM
• Cover letter of career objectives and how this scholarship will enhance your ability for professional development and bring value to the water industry.
• Résumé
• Two letters of recommendation/reference

CERTIFICATION
I certify that the information included in this application is true and complete to the best of my knowledge and I grant permission to AWWA’s The Water Equation Campaign and sponsoring Section to release my name and award for promotional use.

Signature: ___________________________ Date: __________________