

North West Municipalities Association Scholarship Application Form

The North West Municipalities Association (NWMA) is pleased to offer four (4) one-thousand-dollar (\$1000.00) scholarships in 2021. Application deadline for the first intake (2 scholarship) is March 31, 2021, application deadline for the second intake (2 scholarships) is September 30, 2021. Scholarships will be awarded by selection of the Executive.

The program offers graduating grade 12 students, and mature students, living within and/or working in one of the member communities of the NWMA, the opportunity to capture a \$1000 scholarship to help fund their post-secondary education which would make the individual eligible to apply to the RMMA or UMASS Board of Examiners, for a certificate of qualification in Local Government Authority.

The NWMA Scholarship opportunity is available to eligible students enrolling in any of the compulsory five core courses as established by the University of Regina for the Certificate in Local Government Authority or any course that makes the student eligible to become a Municipal Administrator. Students who have completed their studies prior to the deadline date of application are ineligible.

NWMA Scholarship opportunities are available to students who meet the following criteria:

- Students must provide confirmation of their enrollment in eligible courses;
- Students must have demonstrated academic excellence, leadership capabilities, and a keen interest and involvement in their rural community;
- Students must submit a completed application form, which includes an essay that outlines why they are or would like to work in municipal government;
- Students may apply multiple times and are eligible to a maximum of \$2000.

Please forward the completed application form, along with:

1. Two letters of reference from a variety of sources. *(Please note letters of reference from parents, guardians, or relatives will not be accepted.)*
2. A certified statement of your most recent academic marks.
3. Attach an essay, no greater than 1000 words, indicating why you wish to be involved in Municipal Government.

E-Mail Application to:

cao@rmmeota468.ca

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This Scholarship will be based on the candidate's academic history, community involvement, background, goals, and ambitions.

GENERAL INFORMATION

Name of Applicant: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ Province: _____ Postal Code: _____

Home Phone #: _____ Cell Phone #: _____

Applying as (*please check one*):

Mature Student _____ 2021 High School Graduate: _____

EDUCATION AND CAREER INFORMATION

Please indicate which University of Regina course or other eligible course you are applying for and the relevant start date for this program:

Has confirmation of your enrollment to the above program been received? _____

The University of Regina provides the following core courses required for the Certificate in Local Government Authority program:

- LG 200 Introduction to Local Government Administration
- LG 202 Local Government Legislation and Statute Law
- LG 204 Basic Accounting Principles
- LG 206 Local Government Accounting
- LG 208 Special Topics in Local Government

Please provide a brief description of your long term career and occupation plans:

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

Please provide details of past work experience, including length of employment and duties performed.

Please provide a description of the organizations and/or events for which you have volunteered with.

Applications will be reviewed by the NWMA Executive.