

COMMUNITIES FIRST FUND SCHOLARSHIPS

- \$1,000 COMMUNITY FIRST FUND SCHOLARSHIP
- \$500 A.B. TRAVIS SCHOLARSHIP
- \$750 PETERSON VOCATIONAL SCHOLARSHIP
- \$1,000 MURVILLE & CAROLINE DOUGLAS MUSICAL SCHOLARSHIP
- \$1,000 NATHAN W DOUGLAS MECHANICAL/VOCATIONAL SCHOLARSHIP

APPLICATION DEADLINE: MARCH 1ST

ELIGIBILITY:

GRADUATING SENIOR AND

LEGAL DEPENDENT OF A PIE&G MEMBER OR

RESIDING WITH A PIE&G MEMBER FOR AT LEAST 12 MONTHS

PRIOR TO APPLYING FOR SCHOLARSHIP

- Scholarships require applicants to attend an accredited college or university in Michigan. Applicants must have at least a 2.8 GPA and demonstrate a need for financial assistance.
- The Peterson Vocational Scholarship requires a 2.0 GPA and must attend an accredited vocational school, academy, trade school, or community college in Michigan.

DISTRIBUTION OF SCHOLARSHIP:

Scholarship is payable upon proof of successful completion of first term. Transcript to be provided to the Communities First Fund. Payment will be made to the College.

Mail application to:

Presque Isle Electric & Gas Communities First Fund PO Box 308 Onaway, MI 49765

Contact:

Melissa VanSchoten 1-800-423-6634 ext 1011 mvanschoten@pieg.com



Presque Isle Electric & Gas Communities First Fund Scholarship Rules, Requirements and General Information

Scholarship Eligibility

- ➤ The recipient must be a graduating senior and a legal dependent of a PIE&G member or residing with a PIE&G member for at least 12 months prior to applying for the scholarship.
- ➤ Applicant must plan to be a full-time college student (for purposes of this scholarship award, full time is 12 credit hours per semester/term).
- > Scholarships are limited to accredited colleges or universities located in Michigan.

General Information

- All applications must be received by the Communities First Fund by March 1st.
- ➤ Applications will be reviewed and awarded by the Fund's board of directors at its discretion.
- ➤ Preference will be given to high school students who have attained a GPA (grade point average) of 2.8 or greater and can demonstrate a need for financial assistance from the Fund.
- ➤ Completed applications **must include** a high school transcript.
- > Three character references should be included with your application.
- ➤ The school year referenced in your application is July 1 to June 30.
- > Finalists may be required to appear for a personal interview.
- ➤ This scholarship may be granted in addition to other financial assistance provided the applicant.
- ➤ The Fund will award a minimum of one scholarship per year.
- ➤ The scholarship is limited to \$1,000 per school year and payable upon proof of successful completion of first term, i.e. the Fund receiving a transcript showing full-time status (minimum of 12 credits) and a GPA of 2.5.
- Payment will be made to the College on the recipient's behalf.
- Scholarship will be awarded by June 1.

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A.B. Travis Scholarship Rules, Requirements and General Information

Scholarship Eligibility

- ➤ The recipient must be a graduating senior and a legal dependent of a PIE&G member or residing with a PIE&G member for at least 12 months prior to applying for the scholarship.
- ➤ Applicant must plan to be a full-time college student (for purposes of this scholarship award, full time is 12 credit hours per semester/term).
- > Scholarships are limited to accredited colleges or universities located in Michigan.

General Information

- All applications must be received by the Communities First Fund by March 1st.
- Applications will be reviewed and awarded by the Fund's board of directors at its discretion.
- ➤ Preference will be given to high school students who have attained a GPA (grade point average) of 2.8 or greater and can demonstrate a need for financial assistance from the Fund.
- ➤ Completed applications **must include** a high school transcript.
- > Three character references should be included with your application.
- ➤ The school year referenced in your application is July 1 to June 30.
- > Finalists may be required to appear for a personal interview.
- ➤ This scholarship may be granted in addition to other financial assistance provided the applicant.
- The Fund will award a minimum of one scholarship per year.
- ➤ The scholarship is limited to \$500 per school year and payable upon proof of successful completion of first term, i.e. the Fund receiving a transcript showing full-time status (minimum of 12 credits) and a GPA of 2.5.
- > Payment will be made to the College on the recipient's behalf.
- Scholarship will be awarded by June 1.

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Peterson's Vocational School Scholarship Rules, Requirements and General Information

Scholarship Eligibility

- ➤ The recipient must be a graduating senior and a legal dependent of a PIE&G member or residing with a PIE&G member for at least 12 months prior to applying for the scholarship.
- Scholarship is limited to accredited vocational, academy, trade school, or community college located in Michigan.

General Information

- > All applications must be received by the Fund by March 1st.
- Applications will be reviewed and awarded by the Fund's board of directors at its discretion.
- ➤ Preference will be given to high school students who have attained a GPA of 2.0 or greater and can demonstrate a need for financial assistance.
- ➤ The scholarship will pay for tuition or supplies for the student, excluding room and board.
- ➤ The scholarship is limited to \$750 for the first year of school and payable to the school on behalf of the recipient upon proof of successful completion of first term, i.e. the Fund receiving a transcript showing active status and acceptable grade standards.
- > Completed applications **must include** a high school transcript.
- > Three character references should be included with your application.
- ➤ The school year referenced in your application is July 1 to June 30.
- Finalists may be required to appear for a personal interview.
- ➤ This scholarship may be granted in addition to other financial assistance provided the applicant.
- ➤ The Fund will award a minimum of one scholarship per year.
- Scholarship will be awarded by June 1.

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Presque Isle Electric & Gas Communities First Fund Scholarship Murville & Caroline Douglas Musical Scholarship

Scholarship Eligibility

- ➤ The recipient must be a graduating senior and a legal dependent of a PIE&G member or residing with a PIE&G member for at least 12 months prior to applying for the scholarship.
- ➤ Applicant must plan to be a full-time college student (for purposes of this scholarship award, full time is 12 credit hours per semester/term).
- Scholarships are limited to accredited colleges or universities located in Michigan and preference given to a graduating senior pursuing a musical degree.

General Information

- All applications must be received by the Communities First Fund by March 1st.
- > Applications will be reviewed and awarded by the Fund's board of directors at its discretion.
- ➤ Preference will be given to high school students who have attained a GPA (grade point average) of 2.8 or greater and can demonstrate a need for financial assistance from the Fund.
- ➤ Completed applications **must include** a high school transcript.
- > Three character references should be included with your application.
- ➤ The school year referenced in your application is July 1 to June 30.
- ➤ This scholarship may be granted in addition to other financial assistance provided the applicant.
- > The Fund will award a minimum of one scholarship per year.
- ➤ The scholarship is limited to \$1,000 per school year and payable upon proof of successful completion of first term, i.e. the Fund receiving a transcript showing full-time status (minimum of 12 credits) and a GPA of 2.5.
- > Payment will be made to the College on the recipient's behalf.
- Scholarship will be awarded by June 1.

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Nathan W Douglas Mechanical/Vocational Scholarship Rules, Requirements and General Information

Scholarship Eligibility

- ➤ The recipient must be a graduating senior and a legal dependent of a PIE&G member or residing with a PIE&G member for at least 12 months prior to applying for the scholarship.
- Scholarship is limited to accredited vocational/ mechanical academy, trade school, or community college located in Michigan.

General Information

- All applications must be received by the Fund by March 1st.
- > Applications will be reviewed and awarded by the Fund's board of directors at its discretion.
- ➤ Preference will be given to high school students who have attained a GPA of 2.0 or greater and can demonstrate a need for financial assistance.
- ➤ The scholarship will pay for tuition or supplies for the student, excluding room and board.
- ➤ The scholarship is limited to \$1,000 for the first year of school and payable to the school on behalf of the recipient upon proof of successful completion of first term, i.e. the Fund receiving a transcript showing active status and acceptable grade standards.
- ➤ Completed applications **must include** a high school transcript.
- > Three character references should be included with your application.
- ➤ The school year referenced in your application is July 1 to June 30.
- ➤ This scholarship may be granted in addition to other financial assistance provided the applicant.
- > The Fund will award a minimum of one scholarship per year.
- Scholarship will be awarded by June 1.

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