



2024

SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION INFORMATION

PURPOSE:	To encourage and promote the pursuit of a career in Maine's water and wastewater profession
DEADLINE:	April 1 st , annually
AMOUNT OF AWARD:	Minimum \$1,000 scholarships – the number and value may fluctuate annually as funding allows
SELECTION PROCESS:	The recipients will be selected by the Maine Water Utility Scholarship Fund Board
TERMS OF PAYMENT:	The scholarships will be payable after successful completion of the first semester at an accredited undergraduate institution of learning. This is a one-time payment and is non-renewable.

SCHOLARSHIPS

Judy Wallingford Scholarship

This scholarship is sponsored by the Maine Water Company in recognition of Judy Wallingford's distinguished career of service to Maine customers and communities as President of Maine Water Company from 1992 to 2017 and as President of the Maine Water Utilities Association in 2005.

Specific Eligibility:

- Completion of at least a semester at an accredited college, university, or community college in a program such as environmental studies, environmental or civil engineering, water resource management, or other program related to the water works profession or considered as beneficial to water resource management in Maine

Selection Criteria:

- Demonstrated academic performance.
- Based on merit and character, regardless of field of study
- Preference given to applicants with a connection to Maine

Madeleine A. Storer and Peter A. Lancaster Scholarships

These scholarships are sponsored by the Maine Water Utilities Association and its supporting members.

The *Madeleine A. Storer Scholarship* is in memory of Madeleine Storer, who was instrumental in the formation of the board that raises funds annually to make the scholarship possible.

The *Peter A. Lancaster Scholarship* commemorates the life and work of the Bangor Water District's late construction supervisor, Peter Lancaster.

Specific Eligibility:

- Completion of at least a semester at an accredited college, university, or community college.

Selection Criteria:

- Preference given to applicants having work experience in the water or wastewater field, including internships.
- Demonstrated academic performance.
- Interest in pursuing a career in the water or wastewater field
- Preference given to applicants with a connection to Maine

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CHOOSE ONE:

Applying for: ☐ Judy Wallingford Scholarship ☐ Madeleine Storer/Peter Lancaster Scholarship

Applicant: _____
First Middle Last Name

Phone: _____ Email: _____

Home Address: _____
Street Address City/Town State Zip code

High School: _____

Graduation Year: _____ GPA: _____

Post-secondary institution: _____

Major and degree: _____ GPA: _____

Expected Graduation Year: _____

Extracurricular Activities:

Community Service Activities:

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List all jobs held within the last 2 years:

Applications must include the following attachments:

	Essay <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Please explain why you have chosen your field of study, how it relates to water or wastewater, and your future aspirations.• Please include your thoughts on improving the environment or public health, in particular the water and/or wastewater profession.• Length - 1000 words maximum.• Please describe your connection to Maine.
	Letter(s) of recommendation —Up to three letters
	Copy of latest transcript from an accredited college, university, or community college

Incomplete applications will not be accepted

Sign and date this application. Applications must be received by April 1st.

Signature: _____ Date: _____

Please mail completed application to:

Maine Water Utilities Scholarship Fund
C/O NEWWA
125 Hopping Brook Road
Holliston, MA 01746

or e-mail to: mquigley@newwa.org