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Dr. Gordon P. Boutwell, Jr. Memorial Scholarship Fund

Scholarship Eligibility

The Gordon P. Boutwell, Jr. Memorial Scholarship is available to all undergraduates and high school seniors planning to enter college during the fall semester.

The scholarship award will be awarded for full-time study for one academic year (Fall-Spring). The panel will select up to three high school seniors. The scholarship amount is \$1000.00 per recipient.

The funding will be paid directly to the college or university of choice and shall be applied directly for tuition or any other associated fees strictly for the recipient.

If any additional information is needed please email Connie Henry at connie@lswa.us. To learn more about the Louisiana Solid Waste Association please visit our website at www.lswa.us

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Recipient Selection Process

Submitted applications will be reviewed by a panel designated by the LSWA Board of Directors. The panel will review the submitted applications, taking into account all aspects of the applicant's submittal, including field of study, scholastic records and awards, community service, and completion and content of the essay.

The panel will make a final determination of applicants to be awarded the scholarship and will notify the LSWA Board no later than **January 27, 2017**. The Board will formally notify the recipients no later than March , 2017. The recipients will be formally introduced and receive the awards at the LSWA Environmental Conference in Lafayette, Louisiana on March 16, 2017.

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The Application Process

Application material should be attached in the following order:

- Completed Application
- Transcript
- Letters of Recommendation
- Essay

**THE APPLICATION CANNOT BE FOLDED OR
STAPLED. ANY APPLICATION SENT IN FOLDED OR
STAPLED WILL AUTOMATICALLY BE REJECTED.**

Mail the completed application package to the following address:

**LSWA
Post Office Box 1582
Amite, Louisiana 70422
Attn: Scholarship Committee**

Applications postmarked **after JANUARY 27, 2017** will not be accepted.

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Application Requirements

All applications must be accompanied by:

- 1) Three letters of recommendation to include:
 - a. Academic professional (college or high school)
 - b. Community leader (local church, civic leader, etc)
 - c. One other general recommendation letter.
- 2) An official high school transcript
- 3) An essay of not less than 150 words or more than 200 words that includes information about yourself, educational goals, and professional aspirations. How can this award help you to achieve these goals? Why should you receive this award?

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Application

Applicant Name:

(Last) (First) (Middle)

Mailing Address:

City, State & Zip:

E-Mail Address:

Telephone Number(s):

(home)

(cell)

(school)

Date of Birth: _____

Place of Birth: _____

School Presently Attending: _____
Classification: _____
Anticipated Graduation Date: _____
Degree Pursuing: _____
College Major (if applicable): _____
GPA (on a 4.0 scale): _____
Class Rank _____ of _____

Other Scholarships Awarded (amount & type):

Year(s) Awarded:

List school(s) applied/accepted:

Extracurricular SCHOOL Activities:

Community Activities:

Honors/Awards/Recognitions:

If I receive this award, I agree to submit proof of enrollment and report my progress, in writing, for each semester of the academic year. This information will be forwarded to the Scholarship Chairperson of the Louisiana Solid Waste Association.

(Note: Send this form to the address listed on the application process page. We recommend this application be sent certified mail to ensure receipt of delivery).

Signature:

Date:
