



# SCAPWA Upstate Branch

## Student Scholarship Application

Public works includes a vast network of careers that preserve and sustain our communities infrastructure. The field of public works employees keep our communities running smoothly so we have clean water, safe transportation, beautiful and well maintained parks, effective collection, and recycling of trash resulting resilient and sustainable communities. There's a world of new and exciting opportunities in the field of public works!

The purpose of this scholarship is to assist students enrolled in a course of study related to the Public Works field in an undergraduate or graduate program at an accredited South Carolina private or public college or university. Only one scholarship is awarded each year. For a student to be considered for subsequent years the applicant must reapply. Scholarship recipients are encouraged to attend a SC APWA Upstate Branch meeting to receive the award. Please type or print all information on the application form. If application requirements are not met, the application will be deemed incomplete and not considered eligible for the award.

**Requirements:** The recipient of this scholarship must be enrolled in a public works related program at an accredited South Carolina private or public college or university, maintain a B (3.0) grade average, be from one of the counties in the Upstate Branch area (Abbeville, Anderson, Cherokee, Chester, Greenville, Greenwood, Lancaster, Laurens, McCormick, Oconee, Pickens, Spartanburg, Union or York) and submit an essay about why they are interested in public works and how their major relates to public works.

### Personal Information:

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ email: \_\_\_\_\_

Mailing Address: \_\_\_\_\_ City: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Home County: \_\_\_\_\_ Home City: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Daytime contact number: \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_

### Academic Information:

Current School: \_\_\_\_\_ GPA: \_\_\_\_\_

Major: \_\_\_\_\_ Anticipated Graduation Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Academic Advisor: \_\_\_\_\_ Contact number: \_\_\_\_\_

Please attach a short essay about why you are interested in public works and how your major relates to public works. Length should be approximately 1000 words and not more the 1250 words.

This scholarship is in the amount of \$1000.00 (One Thousand Dollars).

Deadline: November 17, 2023

Submit electronic copy of essay and application to:

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