

**MONSIGNOR ANDREW J. MCGOWAN
MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP AWARD**

The Board of Directors of Northeastern Resources Development Corporation has established a scholarship award in honor of Monsignor Andrew J. McGowan, a former Board member and President of the Northeastern Resources Development Corporation & Commission on Economic Opportunity. Monsignor McGowan touched the lives of so many through his calling, through his volunteer work and through his friendships. His charity, his intelligence, his graciousness and his humor, were gifts to our entire community.

ELIGIBILITY:

- Luzerne/Wyoming County Resident
- Economically disadvantaged
- Completed Junior year in high school
- Exceeds the minimum admissions standards at the Institution to which he/she has applied
- Maintains good academic standards throughout Academic career

AMOUNT:

\$1,500 per year; up to five years

APPLICATION:

- Nomination by each public and private high school
- Application and three letters of recommendation by Friday May 3, 2024
- Personal interview of finalist

SELECTION:

Final selection is made by a committee composed of:

- Commission on Economic Opportunity Board Members
- Northeastern Resources Development Corporation Board Members
- Commission on Economic Opportunity Executive Director
- Northeastern Resources Development Corporation Staff
- Community Leaders
- Former Scholars

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Application Form

I. INFORMATION TO BE SUPPLIED BY SCHOOL OFFICIALS:

A. Candidate: _____

Address: _____

Telephone: _____

B. High School: _____

Address: _____

Telephone: _____

C. High School Program
Academic/College Preparatory
Business/Commercial
General

D. General Average: _____

E. Attach Transcripts

F. Results of Standardized test(s) if applicable:

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G. State special circumstances and/or reasons based on the previously listed Eligibility Criteria that warrant the nomination of this candidate.

School Official: _____
Print Name: _____
Title: _____
Date: _____

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II. INFORMATION TO BE SUPPLIED BY PARENTS OR GUARDIAN:

A. Annual Household Income:

B. Income Sources and Amounts:

C. Household Members:

_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____
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Signature of Parent/Guardian: _____

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III. INFORMATION TO BE SUPPLIED BY APPLICANT:

A. College you plan to attend: _____

Accepted: _____
Yes _____
No _____

Planned Program of Study: _____

B. Last 4 digits of applicant's Social Security number:

C. Other Scholarships/Grants for which you have applied. If you have been granted any scholarship/grants either through the college or privately, please list the dollar amount and term: _____

D. List of Extra-curricular and community activities: _____

E. List of Honors/Awards received: _____

F. State briefly the reasons you wish to attend college and the benefits you hope to gain. _____

G. Please include three (3) Letters of Recommendation. _____

Signature of Applicant: _____
email address: _____

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