



# PRECORP LINEMAN SCHOLARSHIP GUIDELINES

**OBJECTIVE:** To encourage, promote, and educate lineworkers for enduring and rewarding careers.

**POLICY:**

I. Availability

Scholarships will be awarded to applicants who plan to attend an approved lineworker training program.

- A. One or more scholarships will be awarded each year.
- B. The Scholarship shall be a minimum of \$3,000.
- C. The scholarship is available to all qualified applicants.

II. Selection Process

- A. Powder River Energy Corporation will be responsible for providing information to high schools in their general area. Powder River Energy will be responsible for advertising scholarship application information in local media.
- B. Candidates must submit applications to Powder River Energy Corporation.
- C. Scholarship recipient and alternate will be selected according to the following:
  - 1. Scholarship applications will include an application form, a resume detailing employment experience and duties, specialized skills, and three (3) letters of recommendation.
  - 2. Applications may be submitted to Powder River Energy Corporation for consideration throughout the year.
  - 3. Powder River Energy Corporation may choose one (1) or more qualified recipients for the scholarship.
  - 4. Powder River Energy Corporation may award an alternate the scholarship if the original applicant selected is unable to use the scholarship.

### III. Payment

- A. The first scholarship payment will be made when the student enrolls in the next available session or semester of an approved regional lineworker training program.
- B. The scholarship will be paid in two separate installments and will be paid directly to the student's account at his/her school of choice.
- C. Verification of enrollment and GPA must be sent to Powder River Energy Corporation upon completion of each semester and prior to release of additional scholarship funds.
- D. No further scholarship money will be awarded in the event the student fails to complete the program or fails to maintain a 2.5 GPA, at which time the student will be asked to repay the scholarship funds previously received.



# Electrical Lineworker Scholarship Application

**APPLICATIONS ACCEPTED YEAR ROUND**

In addition to the information below, the applicant must also provide a resume detailing employment experience and duties, specialized skills, and three letters of recommendation.

**Required Information (Please Print)**

|                                    |                      |             |                               |          |
|------------------------------------|----------------------|-------------|-------------------------------|----------|
| <b>Name</b>                        |                      |             | <b>Date of Birth</b>          |          |
| Last Name                          | First Name           | Middle Name | MM/DD/YYYY                    |          |
| <b>Address</b>                     |                      |             |                               |          |
| Street or PO Box                   | City                 |             | State                         | Zip Code |
| <b>Telephone Number</b><br>(     ) | <b>Email Address</b> |             | <b>Social Security Number</b> |          |

- Are you a citizen of the United States?  YES     NO
- If no, are you prevented from lawfully becoming employed in this country because of Visa or Immigration Status?  YES     NO
- Proof of citizenship or immigration status will be required upon enrollment.*
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- Do you have a valid driver's license?  YES     NO
- Are you currently enrolled in high school, college, or technical school?  YES     NO
- Have you ever been employed by an electric cooperative?  YES     NO
- Have you been convicted of a felony within the last 7 years? If yes, please explain.  YES     NO
- Conviction will not necessarily disqualify an applicant from consideration.*

**Applicant's Statement**

I certify that answers given herein are true and complete to the best of my knowledge.

I authorize investigation of all statements contained in this application as may be necessary for scholarship

I understand that no further scholarship money will be awarded in the event that I fail to complete the program or fail to maintain a 2.5 GPA, at which time I will repay the scholarship monies received.

In the event I receive the scholarship, I understand that false or misleading information given in my application or interview(s) may result in forfeit of the scholarship. I understand, also, that I am required to abide by all scholarship regulations as outlined by Powder River Energy Corporation.

  
  
  

Signature of Applicant Date

## HIGH SCHOOL DATA

|                         |      |       |          |
|-------------------------|------|-------|----------|
| School Name             |      |       |          |
| Graduation Date (MM/YY) |      |       |          |
| Address                 |      |       |          |
| Street or PO Box        | City | State | Zip Code |

## POST SECONDARY SCHOOL DATA

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|------------------|------|-------|----------|
| School Name      |      |       |          |
| Address          |      |       |          |
| Street or PO Box | City | State | Zip Code |
| School Name      |      |       |          |
| Address          |      |       |          |
| Street or PO Box | City | State | Zip Code |

Intended major or field of study \_\_\_\_\_

anticipated date of graduation \_\_\_\_\_

**WORK EXPERIENCE:** Describe your work experience during the past four years. Indicate dates of employment in each job and approximate number of hours worked each week.

| <u>Position and Company/Organization</u> | <u>From Mo/Yr - To Mo/YR</u> | <u>Hrs. per Week</u> |
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**GOALS AND ASPIRATIONS:** Write a paragraph describing your educational plans as they relate to your career objectives and future goals in the electric energy industry. Additional sheet may be used.

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**REFERENCES:** List the names of the non-relatives who will serve as your references.

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| Name  | Relationship (teacher, clergy, employers) | Phone Number |
| _____ | _____                                     | _____        |
| Name  | Relationship (teacher, clergy, employers) | Phone Number |
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**The completed application, resume, letters of recommendation and an official transcript (if applicable) must be sent to the PRECORP office at 200 S Garner Lake Rd. Gillette WY, 82716**