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Bruce and Sharon Nesius Scholarship

OBJECTIVE:

To establish a college scholarship fund in memory of long time Jasper County REMC director and board president Bruce Nesius and wife Sharon that would provide financial aid for one year to three successful candidates. The memorial scholarship will be available to Jasper County REMC members' children in pursuit of a higher education. Recipients will be awarded their certificates at the Jasper County REMC Annual Meeting in June.

CRITERIA:

- One \$500 scholarship will be awarded to one successful candidate from Kankakee Valley High School, Rensselaer Central High School, and one from all other high schools in Jasper County REMC's service territory, providing fund availability. Additionally, any student who does not attend one of the schools listed above and is a son or daughter of a Jasper County REMC member may apply and be part of the drawing.
- Candidates must be a son, daughter or legal ward of a Jasper County REMC member.
- Candidate must show history of maintaining a cumulative grade point average of a C or above and must be a year 2017 graduating senior.
- This scholarship will only be applied to recognized trade schools/colleges.
- Proof of college acceptance is required and must be presented to Jasper County REMC before scholarship funds are dispersed to the college.
- Scholarships may be applied toward tuition or course fees.
- Name and address of college bursar or registrar must be provided.

HISTORY:

On January 16, 1998, Bruce and Sharon Nesius were traveling through Tennessee on their way home from a rural electric directors' conference held in Florida when a tragic car accident claimed their lives. The Nesius Memorial Scholarship was then established in their memory.

Mr. Nesius was formerly secretary-treasurer of Indiana Statewide Association of Rural Electric Cooperatives Inc., and served on the Jasper County REMC board of directors since 1976. In 1987, he became board president.

Mr. & Mrs. Nesius were Rensselaer residents who owned and operated their family grain farm.



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Please return to: Jasper County REMC before 5:00 p.m. (CT) **April 14, 2017** Attn: Nesius Scholarship

Applicant name: _____

Parent names: _____

Parent REMC account number: _____

REMC account mailing address: _____

Student's mailing address if different from above:

Parent telephone number: _____

Parent or student email address: _____

Cumulative high school grade point average: _____

Name of high school and address: _____

Recognized colleges or trade schools applied to: _____

Anticipated major or course of study: _____

Have your high school guidance counselor sign this application to verify your grade point average.

Guidance Counselor

Applicant