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Attention: Suffolk County High School Seniors

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Due to the COVID-19 crises and the resulting necessity of social distancing, together with the closure of all schools throughout Suffolk County, the application requirements and date for the 2019-2020 Suffolk County Bar Association High School Scholarship have been significantly modified. We have done so with the intent of enabling student submissions and awarding this annual scholarship without disruption.

Accordingly, the following is a revised and simplified application which should be used in place of the scholarship application dated January 29, 2019 which had been previously forwarded the Guidance Department. In addition, submissions will now only be accepted by e-mail to: "scholarship@scba.org" Please note that we have also extended the deadline for submission to **Wednesday, April 15th, 2020 by 5:00pm.**

As with prior scholarship submissions, only complete applications will be considered. Our Scholarship Committee will select a winner and your parent/guardian and/or your Guidance Counselor will be notified if you are selected for this honor once the final selection is made. Thereafter, the winner will receive a \$1,000.00 scholarship and be presented with an award from the Suffolk County Bar Association.

The Suffolk County Bar Association's High School Scholarship Committee eagerly awaits your submission. Stay well!

Sincerely,

Lynn Poster-Zimmerman
PRESIDENT

Attachments

STATEMENT OF POST HIGH SCHOOL PLANS

Briefly state your plans following graduation from high school, including potential areas of study or area(s) of interest you wish to pursue in college. (Not to exceed 50 words.)

ESSAY

Provide an original essay addressing an issue of social concern to you, such as your position on the function of government, a civil rights issue, a newsworthy topic, or similar matter. (Not to exceed 500 words.)

DECLARATION BY APPLICANT

I certify that the essay portion of this application is my original product for which I have not relied on the Internet or otherwise received assistance. I consent to the review and release of this application to appropriate members and staff of the Suffolk County Bar Association and, if chosen as the recipient, consent to the use of my name, photographs and information contained in my application and publication of my essay by the Suffolk County Bar Association.

Applicants Signature: _____ Date: _____