Plymouth County 4-H Extension Advisory Council The Gilbert P. Robery Scholarship

Each year, a \$1,000.00 scholarship will be awarded to a male student and a female student who best meet the selection criteria and eligibility requirements as outlined below. This scholarship is funded by a gift from the Estate of Gilbert P. Robery. The scholarship will be awarded by application only and will be awarded only in years when qualified applications are received. The scholarship will be awarded only one time to an individual. However, applicants may apply for this scholarship more than once.

ELIGIBILITY: Candidates must be:

- Must have been a 4-H member in Plymouth County for at least three years.
- Must be pursuing an education in animal science.
- ➤ Applications must be received at the Plymouth County 4-H Extension Office on or before June 1st.
- Applicants will be notified of their awards by August 1st.
- Awards will be payable to the applicant when proof of completion of the first semester and enrollment in the second semester of an educational institution is presented to the Plymouth County 4-H Advisory Council c/o Plymouth County 4-H Extension Office. Tuition payment receipt or other official document issued by the education institution will be acceptable proof.

SELECTION CRITERIA:

- Academic Standing
- 4-H Involvement
- Interests including personal, academic, and career goals as well as involvement in extracurricular activities including community and volunteer activities.
- Letters of recommendation –such as, from a leader or member of the 4-H community, teacher, employer, or a community leader.

APPLICATIONS:

Applications are due in the 4-H Extension office by June 1st. A postcard or letter will be sent acknowledging receipt of your application.

Applications which do not meet the requirements or are not received by June 1st (postmark will not be taken into consideration) will be disregarded.

Mail applications to: Plymouth County 4-H Extension Office 44 Obery Street Plymouth, MA 02360

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Please print or type answers to the following questions on a separate sheet of paper.

- 1. What is your career goal?
- 2. Did 4-H influence your choice? If so, how?
- 3. List 4-H projects you have pursued (include the number of years beside each project).
- 4. List significant 4-H awards you have received.
- 5. List any offices or leadership positions you have held in 4-H.
- 6. Describe significant 4-H events in which you have participated (trips, conferences, judging, public speaking, etc.) and provide dates.
- 7. Please list any work experience you have had w/dates.
- 8. Describe your community involvement (church, community service, volunteer work, etc.) and provide dates.
- 9. List your non-4-H extra-curricular activities, offices held, and/or honors received.
- 10. Do you have any other brothers/sisters in college now? If so, how many?
- 11. Describe how 4-H has and will continue to influence your life, career, and goals. You may also include anything else you would like to tell us about yourself. Your essay must be under 300 words and typed or printed clearly.
- 12. Describe how your educational path is consistent with your pursuit of animal science.