



Wyoming Conservation District Employees Association Scholarship

Mission

WCDEA's mission and goals are to strengthen and promote conservation district programs by encouraging professional growth and development among our employees.

Objective

The Wyoming Conservation District Employees Association provides financial assistance to members of the association to attend state, regional, national meetings and trainings.

Eligibility

An applicant must (a) be a member in good standing of the WCDEA, (b) show reasonable financial need, (c) provide a minimum of twenty-five (25) percent match, (d) can apply once annually.

Amount

Scholarship amount is based on need, but will not exceed seventy-five (75) percent of the total cost or five-hundred (500) dollars whichever is least.

For NACD Convention scholarship amount will not exceed seventy-five (75) percent of the total cost or one thousand (1,000) dollars whichever is least.

Applications

Applications for the scholarship must reach the WCDEA Scholarship Committee two (2) weeks prior to the event. For application forms please visit the WCDEA website, <http://wcdea.com>. Or contact a WCDEA Scholarship Committee member. Completed applications should be emailed to the current WCDEA President and Scholarship Committee Chairman.

Please note that if you are successful in receiving a scholarship, you must provide a one page written summary report with highlights of the event you attended to the WCDEA President within 30 days of returning from the event. Additionally, funds will be reimbursed to you or your district upon presentation of receipts, which must accompany the written report.

The WCDEA Executive Board is the decision making authority for all scholarships.



Wyoming Conservation District Employees Association Scholarship Application

1. Applicant

Last First Middle

2. Contact Information

Mailing Address _____

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City, State Zip _____

Email _____

Phone _____

3. Employer

Employer Position

4. Training/ Meeting Information

What is the name and location of the training?

Are you an: Attendee/ Student Presenter/ Educator Representing State

Have you received a WCDEA Scholarship before? Yes No

If so when did you receive the last scholarship? _____

5. WCDEA Status

Are you currently a dues paying member of WCDEA? Yes No

How many years have you been a member of WCDEA? _____

Have you served as a WCDEA officer or area representative? Yes No

List position and years:

Position	Number of years
_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____

6. Budget

	WCDEA	Applicant
Personnel		
Travel/ Mileage		
Registration		
Meals		
Other		
Total		

Percentage of matching funds: _____

7. Additional Details

Please provide a cover letter outlining in detail your financial need, any other details, and why you should be selected.



Wyoming Conservation District Employees Association Scholarship Application Ranking

Applicant Name:
Title:
District:
Business Address:
Phone:

4. Training/ Meeting Information

- Attendee/ Student 15 pts. _____
- Presenter/ Educator 30 pts. _____
- Representing State 35 pts. _____

Last received a scholarship

- 12-60 months prior 5 pts. _____
- 61 + months prior 10 pts. _____

5. WCDEA Status

How many years have you been a member of WCDEA?

- 0-5 years 5 pts. _____
- 6-10 years 10 pts. _____
- 11-15 years 15 pts. _____
- 16-20 years 20 pts. _____
- 21 + years 25 pts. _____

Have you served as a WCDEA officer or area representative?
*(points are awarded once per position)

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|---|---------|-------|
| <input type="checkbox"/> WCDEA President | 15 pts. | _____ |
| <input type="checkbox"/> WCDEA Vice President | 15 pts. | _____ |
| <input type="checkbox"/> WCDEA Secretary | 15 pts. | _____ |
| <input type="checkbox"/> WCDEA Treasurer | 15 pts. | _____ |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Area Representative | 10 pts. | _____ |
| <input type="checkbox"/> WCDEA Rep. to WACD | 10 pts. | _____ |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Alternate Area Rep. | 5 pts. | _____ |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Committee Member | 2 pts. | _____ |

6. Budget

Percentage of matching funds:

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|---------------------------------|---------|-------|
| <input type="checkbox"/> 0-24% | 0 pts. | _____ |
| <input type="checkbox"/> 25-30% | 5 pts. | _____ |
| <input type="checkbox"/> 31-49% | 10 pts. | _____ |

7. Additional Details

WCDEA Scholarship Committee can award up to an additional 20 pts for considerations not accounted for above.

20 pts.

Total _____ _____