

MINNESOTA RETIRED PEACE OFFICERS ASSOCIATION



MRPOA SCHOLARSHIP

PURPOSE:

The MRPOA invites individuals pursuing a career in law enforcement to apply for the MRPOA Scholarship. This Association will be awarding one **\$2,150** scholarship this year. The recipient of a scholarship may win only one time. Applicant's not receiving the scholarship for a particular year, are eligible for succeeding years, however; the applicant must re-apply each year to be considered.

BASIS FOR CONSIDERATION:

The MRPOA Scholarship Committee will consider applicants using the following criteria:

1. The applicant must be a child or grandchild of a Member or Associate Member of this Association.
2. The applicant must be pursuing a Law Enforcement career.
3. The applicant must, at the minimum, be starting his or her second year of a law enforcement program in a Minnesota accredited school or have already completed that portion and is now going into the skills program.
4. The applicant must submit a signed application with all the information being true and correct to the best of the applicant's knowledge.
5. Applicant's reason for pursuing a Law Enforcement career & the overall information included on the application.
6. Legibility and neatness of the application itself.
7. Application received by the deadline date, **May 15, 2026**

THE SELECTION PROCESS:

1. Application – Must be completed legibly and received by the deadline date.
2. Following the deadline for submission, all names will be redacted from the applications and a number will be assigned to each applicant for anonymity purposes.
3. The applications will be forwarded to the Scholarship Committee for review and decision making.
4. The winner of the scholarship will be notified by letter with a check for the amount of the scholarship enclosed.
5. Non-winners will be notified by letter.

Mail applications to: Minnesota Retired Peace Officers Association
20711 Tiger St NW
Elk River, MN
55330

Deadline for application submission: May 15, 2026

MRPOA SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

Applicant's Name: _____
Last First Middle

Home Address: _____
House Number & Street

City State Zip Code

Telephone Number: _____

Name of the Member or Associate Member of this Association to whom you are related:

_____ How are you related to this person? ☐ Child ☐ Grandchild

Name & Address of the High School you attended: _____

Name & Address of the Law Enforcement School that you previously attended (if different from the one listed below):

School you will be attending: _____

This year of school is for: ☐ Law Enforcement School ☐ Skills Course

Please submit your academic grades from high school and your previous year(s) of law enforcement school.

PLEASE PRINT

Extracurricular Activities (sports, fine arts, organizations, etc.):

Community Service Involvement:

Work Experience:

Why do you want a Law Enforcement career?

(Attach additional sheets if more space is needed)

I certify that all the information on this application and any attachments are true and correct to the best of my knowledge.	
SIGNATURE	DATE