CURRENT SCHOLARSHIP POLICY

Section 4 Scholarship

Purpose

To establish policy with regards to the Scholarship Award.

Authority
The Association is authorized to present awards to those who have performed outstanding service in accordance with Article XI of the Association Bylaws.

Policy

1. Each year Scholarships will be awarded to Association members and their dependent children that are enrolling or have enrolled in higher education courses and meet the Scholarship requirements. The Association shall award one scholarship in the amount of $2,500.00 each year, which shall be known as the Kolene Dean Scholarship. The association shall award 2 scholarships each year in the amount of $500.00, as selected by the Awards Committee.

1.1 Funds not allocated by the Awards Committee will be returned to the Awards fund for that Fiscal Year.

2. Process for bestowal of this award.

2.1 The Awards Committee shall review all applications submitted to ensure the minimum requirements are met.

2.2 The Chair of the Awards Committee shall present the recommendation to the President. The President shall then approve or disapprove the recommendation.

2.2.1 In the event the President does not approve the recommendation, a conference shall be conducted between the President and the Chair to resolve the issue(s).

2.2.2 If a resolution is not reached, the President shall forward the Chair's recommendation to the Board of Directors for a vote. A simple majority vote by the Board of Directors is needed for final determination on the recipient.

2.3.3 In the event of a tie, the President shall vote as the tiebreaker.

2.3 Once the selection is made, the President shall notify the applicant, in writing, of the selection.

2.4 The time, date and location for the presentation shall be scheduled by the President. The location of the presentation will dictate which media will be notified to receive coverage of the presentation.

3. The Association shall fund this award by transferring the necessary amount to the Awards Fund each year.

PROPOSED POLICY SCHOLARSHIP CHANGES

Section 4 Scholarship

Purpose

To establish policy with regards to the Scholarship Award.

Authority
The Association is authorized to present scholarships to those who have performed outstanding service in accordance with Article XI of the Association Bylaws.

Policy

1. Each year Scholarships may be awarded to an Active member, or their dependent children that are enrolling or have enrolled in higher education courses and meet the Scholarship requirements. The Association may award one scholarship in the amount of $2,500 each year, which shall be known as the Kolene Dean Scholarship. The association may award 2 scholarships each year in the amount of $500 each, as selected by the - Scholarship Committee.

2. Process for bestowal of this award.

2.1 The Scholarship Committee shall review all applications submitted to ensure the minimum requirements are met.

2.2 The Chair of the Scholarship Committee shall present to the President the applications meeting all the minimum requirements that are approved.

2.2.1 The President shall approve or disapprove the recommendations.

2.2.2 If an application is disapproved the President and Chair of the Scholarships Committee shall meet to discuss the disapproved application(s).

2.2.3 If a resolution cannot be reached the application(s) shall be presented to the Board of Directors for discussion and a vote to approve or disapprove the application(s). If the vote is a tie the President shall be the tie breaking vote.

2.3 Once the selection is made, the President or Presidents designee shall notify the applicant, of the selection.

2.4 The approved scholarships shall be awarded at the annual conference during the awards ceremony. Either the applicant or a designated representative must be present to receive the money.

3. The Association shall fund scholarships from the general fund.

4. The General Fund receives monies from several sources, including, but not limited to:

4.1 Donations

4.2 Other appropriate fundraising activities including but not limited to silent auction, donations for TAPEIT merchandise, or other sources

Funds received from any of the above that are not distributed shall be returned to the general fund.