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The Denise Davis Moorehead Memorial Scholarship

"Because Someone Believed"

Notice of Scholarship

Award Amount: $1,000

About the Scholarship

The Denise Davis Moorehead Memorial Scholarship "Because Someone Believed" was established by Rod of Iron Trusts and Estates Counsel in honor of Denise Davis Moorehead, a lawyer, mentor, and tireless champion for others. Denise dedicated years of her life to ensuring that those around her had the tools and encouragement to succeed.

This scholarship exists because of what she gave. It is awarded each year to a high school senior who demonstrates that same hunger, perseverance, and interest in pursuing a career in the legal field.

Eligibility Requirements

To be eligible for this scholarship, applicants must meet all of the following criteria:

- Currently enrolled as a high school senior in San Francisco or Alameda County
- Plans to enroll in a college or university following high school graduation
- Demonstrates a genuine interest in pursuing a career in law or the legal field

Note: No minimum GPA is required. This scholarship is open to any eligible student with the drive and interest to pursue a legal career.

Application Materials Available: First Tuesday of September
Application Deadline: Last day of November (5:00 p.m.)
Winner Announced: Mid-December

How to Apply

To request application materials, send an email to: < ora@rodofironlawfirm.com >
Subject Line "DDM Scholarship"; Application materials will be sent to you directly.

Application materials become available on the first Tuesday of September each year. Requests are accepted on or after that date. Requests submitted before that date will not be fulfilled.

Application Components
The complete application consists of two parts:

Part 1 - Questionnaire
Applicants will complete a short questionnaire covering the following:

- Full name and contact information
- Name and location of your high school
- Extracurricular activities, clubs, sports, or leadership roles
- Work or volunteer experience
- One question you have about the legal field

Part 2 - Essay
Applicants must submit an original essay responding to the following prompt:

"Describe a moment when you witnessed injustice in your community, your school, or your personal life and didn't do anything. Why didn't you react, and what would you do differently moving forward? How did that experience shape your interest in law and what you hope to do with a legal career?"

- Essays must be between 500 and 750 words
- Essays must be the original work of the applicant (No AI)
- The winning essay will be published on the firm's website

Selection Process
Applications are reviewed by an independent panel of three professionals. No attorney or employee of Rod of Iron Trusts and Estates Counsel participates in the selection process. The panel evaluates each application on the following criteria:

- Clarity and depth of interest in the legal field
- Quality of written communication
- Demonstrated self-awareness and personal reflection in the essay
- Background, experience, and personal motivation

The panel's decision is final. No attorney or employee of Rod of Iron Trusts and Estates Counsel participates in the selection process. The winner will be notified directly and announced in mid-December each year.

The Award
One award of $1,000 will be granted each year. The award is paid directly to the selected student.

Questions? Contact us at ora@rodofironlawfirm.com