**NC Association of School Resource Officers Scholarship Guidelines**

**Purpose:** This scholarship fund was established by the Board of Directors of the North Carolina Association of School Resource Officers (NCASRO) in 2018. Eligible candidates must be high school seniors on track to graduate, who are entering an accredited two or four-year college or university. Strong consideration will be given to financial need, but scholastic standing will also be very important along with participation in extra-curricular activities, personal reputation and moral integrity within the standards of NCASRO.

**Criteria:** All candidates must meet the following qualifications:

* High School Senior on track to graduate
* Resident of North Carolina
* Minimum Un-Weighted GPA of 2.5

**Application Guidelines:** Applicants are required to submit the following with your application packet to be considered for this scholarship.

* A completed application
* A current **sealed** High School Transcript
* A written essay describing why you are applying for this scholarship, your financial needs, how your education will benefit your community and post graduate plans.(minimum 500 words)
* A completed Recommendation Form from your current School Resource Officer (this form is included in the application packet)
* A Recommendation Letter from a teacher, school counselor or school administrator.

Scholarship recipients will be receive a one-time, non-renewable $500 grant, payable directly to the recipient’s college or university of choice. All completed applications must be received no later than **March 31, 2023**

Please mail complete applications to:

**NCASRO Scholarship Committee**

**P.O. Box 5296**

**Statesville, NC 28687**