

**The Quincy Democratic City Committee  
Archie Wahlberg Scholarship for Public Service**

*The Archie Wahlberg Scholarship for Public Service is named after Archie Wahlberg, who has dedicated his adult life, through words and deeds, to the principles and beliefs of the Democratic Party. Archie Wahlberg's lifelong dedication to public service and commitment to improving his local and state communities has inspired many to follow his lead. The scholarship is funded by donations raised by the Quincy Democratic City Committee and is given annually to two graduating seniors, one from North Quincy High School and one from Quincy High School, who demonstrate a commitment to public service and plan to continue this commitment after graduation.*

**Scholarship Details**

1. Amount awarded for two scholarships of \$1,000 each.
2. Scholarships will be awarded annually to qualified applicants from North Quincy High School and Quincy High School.
3. Applications for scholarship awards must be filed with the Scholarship Committee by either mailing your application to:

**Archie Wahlberg Scholarship Committee  
c/o Nancy DeLisle**

**14 Nevada Rd, Quincy, MA 02169**

**Or via email to: ArchieWahlbergScholarship@gmail.com.**

**Please include in the subject line, Wahlberg Scholarship Application.**

Official transcripts should also be mailed to the committee, postmarked no later than April 15<sup>th</sup> to the address listed above.

4. Scholarship shall be awarded to qualified high school seniors who demonstrate a commitment to and plans for future public service and civic engagement, as explained in two brief essays written by the applicant.
5. Additional evaluation criteria will include:
  - Scholarly ability
  - Civic Engagement/Service
  - Need
  - Extracurricular activities
6. Recipients will be notified by phone or email in early May and will receive the award at their school's Scholarship Ceremony.
7. Proof of college/trade school acceptance will be confirmed with the Guidance Office by the committee.

### **Instructions for Applicants:**

1. Be sure to read the rules and criteria carefully.
2. Answer each question on the application to the best of your ability.
3. Include each of the following items with your application. **Incomplete applications will not be considered.**
  - The application form;
  - A letter of recommendation from your high school principal, guidance counselor, teacher or coach;
  - A letter of recommendation from a person, not a relative, who has known you for at least three years;
  - A maximum 250-word essay that addresses your commitment to and history of public service and civic engagement, as well as your plans for future public service and civic engagement after graduation;
  - A separate maximum 250-word essay that addresses any additional information you would like the scholarship committee to consider, including academic achievements, post-graduation plans, family size and circumstances, financial need, etc.; and
  - Official high school transcripts of grades from all high schools attended, which must be mailed directly from the school by April 15<sup>th</sup>

*In compliance with Massachusetts campaign laws, immediate family members of a Quincy Democratic City Committee or Quincy Democratic Ward Committee member are ineligible for this award.*

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**Scholarship Application**

Last Name: \_\_\_\_\_ First Name: \_\_\_\_\_ MI: \_\_\_\_  
Street Address: \_\_\_\_\_ City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_ ZIP: \_\_\_\_\_  
Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Current High School: \_\_\_\_\_  
Expected Graduation Date: \_\_\_\_\_ Current GPA (on a 4.0 scale): \_\_\_\_\_ /4.0  
Name of college(s) or technical school(s) you plan to apply to: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Expected Major(s): \_\_\_\_\_ Minor(s): \_\_\_\_\_

Are you 18 years of age? Yes | No  
If yes, are you registered to vote? Yes | No

In addition to the above information, please insure that the following are included:

- A letter of recommendation from your high school principal, guidance counselor, teacher or coach
- A letter of recommendation from a person, not a relative, who has known you for at least three years;
- A maximum 250-word essay that addresses your commitment to and history of public service and civic engagement, as well as your plans for future public service and civic engagement after graduation
- A separate maximum 250-word essay that addresses any additional information you would like the scholarship committee to consider, including academic achievements, post-graduation plans, family size and circumstances, financial need, etc.;
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**INCOMPLETE APPLICATIONS WILL NOT BE CONSIDERED**

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I have read all the scholarship rules and instructions and do hereby submit this application for the Quincy Democratic City Committee's Archie Wahlberg Scholarship for Public Service. The following materials have been attached will be sent directly to the scholarship committee:

1) Application form; 2) A letter of recommendation from your high school principal, guidance counselor, teacher or coach; 3) A letter of recommendation from a person, *not a relative*, who has known you for at least three years; 4) Two essays as described on the application form; and 5) Official high school transcripts of grades from all high schools attended, mailed to the address listed on the application form.

## AFFIDAVIT

Pursuant to Massachusetts campaign laws, I confirm I am not an immediate family member of a Quincy Democratic City Committee or Quincy Democratic Ward Committee member.

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Submit this application, along with all other necessary information to:

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