



March 21, 2016

Dear High School Counselor:

All high school seniors in school districts of the following counties: Buena Vista, Calhoun, Greene, Hamilton, Humboldt, Pocahontas, Sac, Webster and Wright, and those centering their education on agriculture, soil conservation, and/or environmental studies are invited to apply for one of two \$500.00 scholarships from the Ivan F. and Deloris M. Hunter Endowment Fund.

All seniors who complete the application form and return it by March 31, 2017 are eligible to compete. Please send the application form to the following address:

**Carrie Kee
Prairie Lakes AEA 8
1235 5th Avenue South
Fort Dodge, Ia 50501**

A committee consisting of one counselor from a school where no seniors applied, one person in an agricultural-related career and a staff member from Prairie Lakes AEA, will chose the recipient of the scholarship.

You will be notified after the selection has been made and a certificate will be sent. This can be presented to the winner at an award's night your district may have.

Please make this information available to seniors. Thank you for your cooperation in this matter.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Carrie Kee".

Carrie Kee
License Renewal Specialist
Prairie Lakes AEA 8

Application for the Ivan F. and Deloris M. Hunter Endowment Fund Scholarship

To apply you must be eligible for graduation in the spring of 2017 and planning to center your education on agriculture, soil conservation and/or environmental studies. Please return the completed application by March 31, 2017 to Carrie Kee, Prairie Lakes AEA 8, 1235 5th Avenue South, Fort Dodge, IA 50501.

Name _____

Address _____

School _____

Phone Number _____

GPA _____

List any academic courses which indicate an interest in the above areas.

What activities have you been involved with during high school?

What community/volunteer work have you done?

What are your career plans?

Why are you interested in a career related to agriculture, soil conservation, and/or environmental studies?

Name a person who has influenced you in this area and tell why.

Attach at least one letter of reference from a school administrator, guidance counselor, or teacher explaining why you are deserving of this scholarship.