

# WASHINGTON COUNTY HISTORICAL SOCIETY

## News Release

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### **Washington County Historical Society Offers Student Scholarship, Application Deadline March 15, 2010**

Stillwater, Minn. – The Washington County Historical Society is offering a scholarship for post-secondary students. The deadline for applications is March 15, 2010. The recipient(s) will be notified by April 1, 2010.

The goal of the Washington County Historical Society Scholarship Program is to encourage historic preservation and interpretation, and to encourage students to study history by providing financial assistance in the form of an educational scholarship.

The program:

- is available to graduating seniors enrolled in a Washington County high school, or students in a college or university program currently residing in Washington County (as a permanent residence) who are focusing on history, American studies, architecture, or a history-related field of study;
- applicants must have a grade point average of 3.0 or higher;
- and, applicants must be a member of the Washington County Historical Society, or have an immediate family member who is a member of the WCHS.

The Scholarship Program is facilitated and managed by the Washington County Historical Society Board of Directors and administered by a designated committee.

To download an application form, please visit [www.wchsmn.org](http://www.wchsmn.org) or call (651) 439-5956 to have one mailed. Please send applications to: Washington County Historical Society, c/o Scholarship Committee, P.O. Box 167, Stillwater, Minnesota 55082.

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