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Charles Gaeta, *Executive Director*
Laura Walsh, *Chairperson*

Dear Applicant,

The Governing Committee is pleased to announce the 19th Annual Lynn Housing Authority & Neighborhood Development (LHAND) scholarship program. In order to qualify you must be a Lynn resident. In addition, you must be enrolled in a two or four year degree program or an alternative career pathway. Please be advised that Charles Gaeta, Executive Director has the discretion to give a special award to a participant that may not have been chosen by the Scholarship Selection Committee. **Scholarship awards will be considered in each of the following categories:**

- ◆ A high school senior who is a Lynn resident.
- ◆ A high school senior who is a past or present participant of any Lynn Housing Authority & Neighborhood Development housing program or any family member thereof (*which means someone who has or had a Rental Assistance or other housing voucher or who lived in LHAND managed public housing including the Brickyard Village and St. Jean Baptiste Apartments.*)
- ◆ A high school senior who is a Lynn resident accepted into the education field. (This category is in honor of former Chairperson of LHAND Board of Commissioners Patricia Barton.) Anyone that applies for this category must submit a letter of recommendation from his or her High School Guidance Counselor or a teacher at the school stating they are going into the educational field.

Please contact Jon Thibault at 781-581-8627 with any questions.

To be eligible, completed applications and all supplemental information **must be received by Tuesday, April 25, 2017.**

**At: Lynn Housing Authority & Neighborhood Development
Attn: Scholarship Committee
10 Church Street
Lynn, MA 01902**

Sincerely,

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SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

In order to qualify for one of these scholarships, you must be a Lynn resident. In addition, you must be enrolled in a two or four year degree program or an alternative career pathway.

Applicants will be considered based upon a combination of the following criteria: academics, participation in extracurricular activities, volunteerism/community work.

Applicant Categories *(Please check one)*

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Please list head of household _____

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Applicant Name _____

Address _____

Phone Number _____

E-mail address _____

SCHOOL HISTORY (Please list all schools that you have or are currently attending, beginning with most recent or current)

School Name and Address	Dates Attended	Major	Level Completed

Current Grade Point Average _____ (please attach copy of current report card or official transcript)

Accredited Institution Applied To	Check Below if Accepted

Have you applied for other forms of financial aid? Yes/No If yes, please list and indicate those that you have confirmation of receiving, including the awarding agency and amount.

- Please attach a list of all groups, organizations, clubs, teams, activities, etc. that you have participated in. Include volunteering and participation in activities of any charitable, non-profit or religious groups or organizations.
- Please answer one of the following essay questions: (If the essay is not typed it will not be accepted)
 1. Pick an experience from your own life and explain how it has influenced your development.
 2. How has your family background affected the way you see the world?
 3. How has your education contributed to who you are today?

Signature of Applicant

Date

Signature of Parent/Guardian

Date