

HISTORIC TOWN OF EATONVILLE, FLORIDA TOWN COUNCIL WORKSHOP APRIL 16, 2024 AT 06:30 PM Cover Sheet

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ITEM TITLE: Discussion of the Bruce and Winnie Mount Scholarship Program (Administration)

TOWN COUNCIL ACTION:

PROCLAMATIONS, AWARDS, AND PRESENTATIONS		Department: ADMINISTRATIVE
INTRODUCTIONS		Exhibits:
CONSENT AGENDA		• Flyer and Scholarship Package
COUNCIL DISCUSSION	YES	
ADMINISTRATIVE		

REQUEST: To discuss how the Council would like to award the scholarship to eligible students.

<u>SUMMARY</u>: The Town of Eatonville Town Council wishes to award qualifying students a scholarship towards higher education honoring their accomplishments in graduating high school at a GPA of 2.5 or greater; as well as their efforts in giving back to community through volunteerism/community service.

In honor of the former and deceased Mayor Bruce Mount and his wife Winnie Mount, the Bruce and Winnie Mount Scholarship Program has been established to encourage and support new high school graduates, 1st year College Student (Freshman), and 2nd Year College Student (Sophomore) as they enter into the next phase of their academic experience beyond high school.

In considering the award amounts, new high school graduates will be given priority to scholarships awarded to selected recipients. The percentage of support will be determined as following:

- 100% High School Recipient (Senior)75% 1st Year College Student (Freshman)
- 50% 2nd Year College Student (Sophomore)

<u>RECOMMENDATION</u>: Recommend a discussion of how the Council would like to award the scholarship to eligible students.

FISCAL & EFFICIENCY DATA: N/A