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To: Denver Area High School Guidance Departments

On behalf of Rocky Mountain Relocation Council (RMRC) I would like to make you aware of a scholarship opportunity for eligible seniors. The application package will be sent to high schools in the Greater Denver Metropolitan area in February.

Rocky Mountain Relocation Council is a non-profit organization that brings together corporations and relocation service providers in and around Denver for the primary purpose of providing educational information and current industry updates to its members.

RMRC sponsors an annual scholarship program for current high school seniors who have relocated into the Denver and surrounding areas during grades 9 through 12. RMRC would like to encourage your eligible students to apply. **The one-time award of \$1,500 for each scholarship will be presented to two (2) well-deserving seniors.** The award will be sent to the college (2-year or 4-year) or university that the scholarship winner will be attending in 2019 to assist with tuition and other applicable expenses.

RMRC will select the scholarship winner based on the strength of the total application package. Each applicant will be evaluated on academic performance, extra-curricular activities and an original essay that addresses the way he or she handled the challenges associated with relocating to a new area and a new high school.

We ask that you assist with the following items:

- 1) Identify eligible seniors based on the fact that they have:
 - a. Relocated more than 50 miles and changed schools during grades 9 through 12 due to their family's relocation.
 - b. A cumulative grade point average minimum of 3.0 on a scale of 4.0 (or equivalent achievement on a different scale)
- 2) Inform eligible students of this scholarship opportunity and encourage their participation. Please post the scholarship application on your website or in your newsletter to seniors.
- 3) Provide an official transcript inclusive of all academic information including grades and major test scores (SAT, ACT) to accompany the student's application.

All applications must be postmarked or date stamped no later than April 1, 2019 as the scholarship will be awarded in person at our 2019 RMRC Spring Conference. We will be contacting both the selected scholarship winner and the winner's high school prior to our meeting to invite the winner to present the original essay at our conference.

Please contact me if you need any additional information. **I can be reached at 303 764 6823, or email ceridwen.koski@ogletreedeakins.com.** To find out more about RMRC and the scholarship, please visit our website at www.rmrconline.org.

We will reach out to you in February with scholarship materials for distribution. Thank you in advance for your assistance with encouraging student participation in this scholarship opportunity.

Sincerely,

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Rocky Mountain Relocation Council