# MISSISSIPPI ASSOCIATION OF SUPERVISORS



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Madison County Board of Supervisors C/o Shelton Vance, County Administrator PO Box 608 Canton, MS 39046-0608

Re: 2020 MAS County Employee Scholarship Program

**Notice of Recipients for Madison County** 

**Dear Madison County Board of Supervisors:** 

The MAS Scholarship Committee met recently to select recipients for the 2020 MAS County Employee Scholarship. Madison County was eligible for two scholarships based on your participation in MAS-sponsored insurance programs. MAS received five applications from your county. The Committee selected the following recipients for Madison County:

#### 2020 Madison County MASIT Awardee:

Mr. Logan Barber, 1631 Baywood Dr, Madison, MS 39110-6541

Student's Email: logan.barber@go.mrapats.com

Student's Phone: (601) 594-3666

Sponsor: Diane Barber, Currently Employed by Madison County

#### 2020 Madison County MPE Awardee:

Ms. Laurel Lee, 109 Fairchild Cv. Canton, MS 39046-4414

Student's Email: lalee2@go.olemiss.edu

Student's Phone: (769) 798-9137

Sponsor: Lisa Lee, Currently Employed by Madison County

Enclosed are checks made out to the recipients representing the full amount of funds to be awarded. Prior to releasing the checks to the recipients, please have them sign the enclosed Statement of Intent for Scholarship Recipients indicating their intention to attend a Mississippi public college, university, junior college or community college.

We encourage you to present the checks to the recipients at your next board meeting. Please send photos of any formal presentations to me at <a href="mailto:cplant@massup.org">cplant@massup.org</a>. We will include a special section in the next issue of the <a href="mailto:Mississippi Supervisor">Mississippi Supervisor</a> magazine listing all scholarship recipients and will publish any photos received.

I have also enclosed a sample press release you may customize and use to announce your scholarhip recipient to your local press.

If you have any questions regarding the MAS County Employee Scholarship Program, please contact me at 601.353.2741 or <a href="mailto:cplant@massup.org">cplant@massup.org</a>.

Best wishes,

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**Member Service Assistant** 

Clara Frank

cc: Gerald Steen, Madison County Board President (no enclosures)

### FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

Contact Name
Contact Title
Contact Phone
Contact Email Address

## SAMPLE COUNTY ANNOUNCES SCHOLARSHIP RECIPIENTS

CITY, MS – DATE – At the DATE meeting of the SAMPLE County Board of Supervisors, the Board presented RECIPIENT NAME(S) with \$500 checks as the SAMPLE County recipient(s) of the Mississippi Association of Supervisors County Employee Scholarship.

## Provide quote from supervisor(s), recipient(s) or other county official.

This year the MAS County Employee Scholarship program awarded \$33,000 in scholarships to dependents of current or retired county employees around the state.

Derrick Surrette, Executive Director of MAS said, "The MAS County Employee Scholarship program is one way that our Association can give back to the employees of our counties. We hope to have an even greater response to the program next year."

The Mississippi Association of Supervisors is a nonprofit support association for Mississippi's 82 counties. Since its inception in 1928, MAS has been committed to the improvement of county government across our state. MAS members have been instrumental in implementing efficient and effective grassroots government that serves the general welfare not only of the counties themselves, but of the entire state. For more information on MAS, visit our website at <a href="https://www.mssupervisors.org">www.mssupervisors.org</a>.