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Marion County Supervisor of Elections Announces Scholarship Opportunity

Marion County, FL. January 27 - The Florida Supervisors of Elections (FSE) will award three \$1,200 scholarships in 2021 to students across the state. Marion County Supervisor of Elections Wesley Wilcox urges local qualified students to apply for the scholarship.

To be eligible for the FSE Scholarship the applicant shall: Be a registered voter and a Florida resident for the preceding two years; Be enrolled or accepted as a full-time student in a senior college or university in Florida; Have finished two years of junior college or undergraduate work and have maintained a "C" average or above for the previous year; Be either a Political Science, Public/Business Administration, or Journalism/Mass Communication major.

The FSE Scholarship packet can be obtained online at www.VoteMarion.Gov/Scholarship or in person at the Marion County Election Center, 981 NE 16th Street, Ocala. Applications are due by **March 26, 2021**. Applicants will be interviewed by the Supervisor of Elections. One student will be selected and submitted to the FSE Scholarship Committee for consideration against state finalists. The winners will be announced and recognized at the 2021 FSE Summer Conference.

The three scholarships are presented in memory of former Supervisors of Elections Dorothy Ruggles of Pinellas County, Joe Oldmixon of Escambia County, and Jimmy Whitehouse of Highlands County.

The Florida Supervisors of Elections (FSE) is a professional membership organization representing the Supervisors of Elections of Florida's 67 counties. Their goal is to support fair, honest and accurate elections in the state of Florida. Supervisor Wilcox serves as President-Elect of the association.

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