

The New Mexico State Association of Parliamentarians An affiliate of the National Association of Parliamentarians®

Dear NMSAP Member,

In memory of our outstanding member and friend, Carrie-Mae Blount, PRP, the New Mexico State Association of Parliamentarians (NMSAP) has created a scholarship fund in her name.

As you may know, Carrie-Mae was a great leader and teacher of parliamentary procedure and a mentor to many. She served as president of the National Association of Parliamentarians (NAP) 1997-1999, president of NMSAP and in many other leadership positions.

Carrie-Mae had a passion for advancing the study and practice of parliamentary procedure. NMSAP has adopted a resolution to continue Carrie-Mae's influence by awarding scholarship aid to qualified applicants pursuing certification as a registered parliamentarian or professional registered parliamentarian.

NMSAP invites you support the scholarship with a tax-deductible donation. The scholarship will perpetuate Carrie-Mae's legacy of parliamentary knowledge and professionalism, and increase the number of Registered Parliamentarians and Professional Registered Parliamentarians in New Mexico as well as the National Association of Parliamentarians.

Consider donating to the future of our state and national association to encourage our members to pursue a credential in NAP.

Sincerely,

C.M. Blount Scholarship Committee



New Mexico State Association of Parliamentarians Carrie-Mae Blount Scholarship Scholarship Application

| I, | | , (name of applicant) hereby | |
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| requ | request consideration for Carrie-Mae Blount Scholarship from the New Mexico | | |
| State | e Association of Parliamentarians | s (NMSAP). I am a member of NAP and | |
| NMSAP. It is my intention to apply for the following credential: | | | |
| | Registered Parliamentarian | Professional Registered Parliamentarian | |
| Signature | | Date | |
| Email | | Phone number | |

Requirements for CMB Scholarship Applicants:

- 1. Must be an NAP and NMSAP member.
- 2. Intention to take either the Registration Exam or the course to become a Professional Registered Parliamentarian.
- 3. The scholarship is a need-based scholarship.
- 4. The Scholarship Fund will pay for up to 50% of the fee for accepted applicants.

Please write a few sentences on why you are requesting this scholarship, including financial need and preparation plan. Please indicate intended test/course date (must apply within 6 months of the exam/course.)

Please send form to Jan Strand, PRP, NMSAP Treasurer, <u>jan_str@msn.com</u> For more information, contact Valoree Althoff, PRP, <u>eerolav@hotmail.com</u>