Register for the Educational Foundation’s Virtual Gala and Help Support Scholars

Alexandria, Va., Oct. 20, 2021 — The 2021 fundraising campaign is underway and will culminate with the NAHMA Educational Foundation’s annual fundraising gala. This year, the gala will be a virtual PiNAHMA Party on Thursday, Nov. 4. The gala serves as the primary public fundraising event for the foundation, with proceeds going to the scholarship program.

To donate, text NAHMAEDU to 76278 on your smartphone. You can also donate money or auction items and register for a free ticket by visiting NAHMAEDU.givesmart.com. While there is no cost to participate in the event, registration is required. Anyone who donates $2,500 or more before Oct. 25 receives a pinata delivered to their door. The gala will include music, games, silent and live auctions, testimonials from scholarship recipients, and more.

The NAHMA Educational Foundation awarded 87 scholarships this year. Each scholarship is worth $3,500, which means a total of $304,500 will help deserving residents of affordable housing continue their educational pursuits.

When the first scholarships were awarded in 2007, the foundation awarded a total of $22,000 divided among 22 scholars. With this year’s scholars class, the foundation will have given away more than $2.2 million over the program’s lifetime.

The foundation’s scholarship program has come a long way since its launch. It continues to grow in the number of residents receiving financial assistance to pursue their post-high school educations and in the amount these residents receive.

Now, the foundation needs your help to continue its mission of helping residents of affordable housing work to better their futures.

For more details on the NAHMA Educational Foundation’s mission and opportunities to support its work, contact Brenda Moser at brenda.moser@nahma.org.

The NAHMA Educational Foundation is organized and operated exclusively as a Section 501(c)(3) charitable organization. Founded in October 1994, the NAHMA Educational Foundation works to assist residents of federally subsidized housing as they strive to enhance their lives, job opportunities, and children’s futures. Its mission is also to enhance the livability and standing of communities managed by NAHMA member companies nationwide. For more information, visit http://www.nahma.org/about/educational-foundation.

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