



## **Kenneth L. Howard Endowed Scholarship Fund (KLHESF)**

1461 Mt. Vernon Avenue Columbus, OH 43203



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Dear Guidance Counselor/Educator/Mentor/Parent:

Kappa Alpha Psi is an international, predominately African American College Fraternity; thus, the local chapter's Kenneth L. Howard Endowed Scholarship Fund targets assisting area African American male high school students who are U.S. residents in need of financial assistance **and/or** first generation college students who are U.S. residents that may need fiscal assistance.

The following scholarship information is being provided for your school/district/non-profit entity. We have provided at least one blank scholarship application, yet please feel free to duplicate as many scholarship applications as are needed for your students/constituents.

We accept applications from all students with at least a 2.5 accumulative GPA and higher. Historically the Columbus Alumni Chapter has considered reserving at least one partial scholarship for an outstanding young man with an accumulative GPA between a 2.5 - 2.99. Generally, this individual exhibits great potential and character, is highly involved in either the community at large and/or partakes in extracurricular school activities or he has a job outside of school. Letters of reference from area high schools are invaluable in helping us select this awardee. Thus, please make sure as many applicants from your school apply as are eligible.

The Kenneth L. Howard Endowed Scholarship Fund, in conjunction with the Columbus Kappa Foundation, will offer between five and six partial scholarships to area students. The amount of the partial scholarship generally ranges between \$1,000.00. - \$2,500.00. Last year, six scholars received \$1,000.00 each and one additional scholar retained his eligibility for a \$2,500.00 award. Funds may be utilized to cover any collegial expense.

**Please inform students that all applications and accompanying materials should be received by the posted deadline (*postmarked by Wednesday, January 23, 2019*) to:** The Kenneth L. Howard Endowed Scholarship Fund, 1461 Mt. Vernon Avenue, Columbus, Ohio 43203. Incomplete applications – those without transcripts, the scholarship essay and copies of ACT/SAT Test scores will not be considered.

Sincerely,

*P.R. West, Sr.*

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Scholarship Chairman