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PRINCE GEORGE'S COMMUNITY FEDERAL CREDIT UNION ANNOUNCES \$10,000 ANNUAL SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM

Empowering high school, college, and non-traditional students in Prince George's County.

Bowie, MD – January 24, 2025 – Prince George's Community Federal Credit Union (PGCFCU) is excited to announce the return of its annual scholarship program, reaffirming its dedication to supporting education in the local community. This year, the credit union will award four \$2,500 scholarships to deserving high school, undergraduate, graduate, and non-traditional students who live, work, volunteer, worship, or attend school in Prince George's County.

The scholarship, named in honor of two esteemed credit union pioneers, Virginia Stallings and Cindy Prestandrea, reflects PGCFCU's longstanding commitment to empowering its members through financial support and community investment.

In 2024, under the leadership of President and CEO Diane Coleman Brown, the program saw significant expansion. The number of scholarships doubled from two to four, and the total award amount increased from \$2,000 to \$10,000.

The eligibility criteria were also broadened to include non-traditional students and applicants pursuing trade school education.

"Prince George's County is brimming with future leaders and passionate professionals striving to make a difference through education," said Coleman

Brown. "We are honored to support their journeys. This program is a testament to the power of community and the contributions of our members, whose dedication enables us to make initiatives like this possible."

To apply, candidates must complete an application detailing their academic achievements and community involvement, as well as submitting a video essay. Applicants must also be members of PGCFCU or become members by opening a savings account with the minimum required deposit.

Application Deadline: Saturday, March 1, 2025, at 11:59 PM

For additional details and to apply, visit www.princegeorgescfcu.org/scholarship.

About Prince George's Community Federal Credit Union

Established in 1967, the Prince George's Community Federal Credit Union was created to offer financial services to Prince George's County employees. Over the years, the organization has expanded its reach to serve more than 19,500 members across the county. With assets exceeding \$300 million, our community-based credit union welcomes individuals who live, work, own businesses, volunteer, worship, or attend school in Prince George's County to open an account. For more information about the organization or to become a member, please visit www.PrinceGeorgesCFCU.org or call 301.627.2666.

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