THE LINDA GAUME JARAMILLO SCHOLARSHIP ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS

Increasing New Mexico’s elected officials’ knowledge through education was Linda Gaume Jaramillo’s passion. As the first Director of the League’s Municipal Officials Leadership Institute (MOLI), Linda devoted her time and energy to helping elected officials increase their awareness and grasp of the elements of civic duties and responsibilities needed to become more effective public officials. This scholarship program honors Linda’s dedication.

Full scholarships are available for elected New Mexico Municipal Officials. The purpose of these scholarships is to permit eligible individuals with a demonstrated financial need to attend the Institute. The scholarship amount will cover the cost of the registration fee. Participants will be responsible for their own transportation, lodging, and some meals.

Scholarship requirements are as follows:

1. Candidate must be an elected municipal official preferably in the beginning of their current term.

2. Candidate’s municipality must be a member in good standing with the New Mexico Municipal League.

If you meet this criterion, complete the scholarship application located at http://nmml.org/certification-programs/moli/ and attach a full-page narrative (typed preferred, 1.5 spaced, 12 point) explaining your municipality’s financial need, how you and your community will benefit from your enrollment in the Municipal Officials Leadership Institute, and your commitment to complete the programs and requirements to obtain the Certified Municipal Official (CMO) designation.

Return the completed packet to A.J. Forte at the New Mexico Municipal League before September 3, 2021. Scholarship recipient(s) will be notified in writing no later than September 9, 2021. For more information, contact A.J. Forte at 505-699-6944 or ajforte@nmml.org