**Member National Council of Negotiation Associations** 

## WESTERN STATES HOSTAGE NEGOTIATORS' ASSOCIATION

## **Individual Scholarships for WSHNA Members**

- 1. Applicants must be members in good standing for the current membership year. It is preferred that members have attended at least one annual training conference (paid) in the past three years. Members who are newly joined in the past 90-days are not eligible.
- 2. The intent of Individual Scholarships is for classes normally associated with the art of Hostage & Crisis Negotiation. Individual Scholarships are not eligible for the WSHNA Annual Training Seminar or other Negotiation Associations' Annual Conferences/Seminars.
- 3. Applicants can request up to Five Hundred Dollars (\$500.00). The amount granted can be used for registrations fees, travel, and/or hotel. Receipts must be provided within 30 days after the training.
- 4. A maximum of twenty (20) scholarships will be provided for the current project year. Individuals may apply only once in two calendar years.
- 5. Individual Scholarships are limited to two scholarships per agency/regional team in the calendar year.
- 6. Scholarship requests should be sent to the Executive Director, preferably 60 days prior to the training. The request will be presented to the Executive Board for discussion. The decision to grant the request remains exclusively with the Executive Board.
- 7. The WSHNA Executive Board may decide without comment on the validity of the training.
- 8. The decision of the Executive Board is final.

This program was reviewed and continued until further notice by the Executive Board on December 27, 2017.

This program was reviewed and continues with revisions as of May 29<sup>th</sup>, 2024.

This program was revised by a vote & comment of the Executive Board between 5-29-2024 and 6-6-2024.