

# RENDIN/LISI FBI SCHOLARSHIP

*administered by the Elizabeth Forward Alumni & Friends Association*

## **ABOUT THE RENDIN/LISI FBI SCHOLARSHIP**

This scholarship was established by Philip Rendin, EFHS Class of 1968, and Vincent Lisi, EFHS Class of 1983, both of whom have had exemplary careers in the Federal Bureau of Investigation. Rendin was inducted into the EFAFA Hall of Fame in 2004 and Lisi in 2013.

## **TERMS OF THE SCHOLARSHIP**

One \$1,000 scholarship will be awarded to a graduating senior at Elizabeth Forward High School intent on furthering his or her education as a full-time student at an accredited four-year college or university to pursue a career in public service. Preference will be given to applicants wishing to go into some form of law enforcement but other areas of study such as military, legal, accounting, computer science, foreign language, and science will also be considered.

## **SELECTION PROCESS AND CRITERIA**

The Scholarship Selection Committee will review all complete applications based on the applicant's sustained record of academic excellence; participation in extracurricular activities, especially community service; and the response to the prompt below.

## **NOTIFICATION AND RECEIPT OF SCHOLARSHIP**

The recipient will be notified by early May via e-mail and a confirmation letter. The letter will inform the recipient of what needs to be provided to EFAFA to receive the scholarship. Information relating to a required thank you letter will be included with the confirmation letter.

## **THE APPLICATION**

1. Using word processing, submit the following information. Include the number/letter of the item when providing your information.
  - a. Name of the scholarship for which you are applying:
  - b. Your Name:
  - c. Home Address:
  - d. Home Telephone Number:
  - e. Cell Telephone Number:
  - f. Texting Number:
  - g. E-mail Address:
  - h. Name of college/university you plan to attend:
  - i. Name of intended major:
  - j. Briefly explain why you believe you meet the criteria for this scholarship:
  - k. Write a 300-500-word essay (double-spaced) on this prompt: **Why you are pursuing a career in public service and how you your course of study will help you attain this objective.**

2. As a separate document, prepare an up-to-date personal resume that includes your academic achievements, senior-year courses, extracurricular activities, community service, etc.
3. Make three copies of all application materials (including your essay and resume) and collate them into three separate packets so each packet contains one copy of each document and then staple each packet.
4. Place all three packets into one unsealed 9 x 12 envelope.
5. Write your name and the scholarship name on the outside of the envelope.
6. Submit all materials to your guidance counselor as soon as possible but not later than February 28.
7. Request that your counselor provide EFAPA with your EFHS academic transcript.