



## **THEODORE ROOSEVELT COUNCIL**

### **LT Michael Files Eagle Scout Leadership Award Scholarship**

LT Michael Files is a life member of the National Eagle Scout Association and Alpha Phi Alpha Fraternity, Inc. LT Files strongly believes in the ethos Scouts develop as they attain the rank of Eagle Scout - citizenship training, character development, and personal fitness. Since 1912, the rank of Eagle Scout has carried a special significance as it has only been awarded to 1.7 million Boy Scouts, roughly 2% of all those who have joined Boy Scouts.

LT Files values the growth of young men and feels it is important for them to become actively involve in organizations that foster a positive role in the community as well as their personal life.

The Boy Scouts of America and Alpha Phi Alpha Fraternity, Inc. are national partners with a natural alliance which develops positive characteristics and leadership qualities for future generations of African American youth. One of Alpha Phi Alpha Fraternity, Inc. national programs, "Go to High School, Go to College" focuses on the importance of completing secondary and collegiate education as a road to advancement; given that completion of college is the single best predictor of future success.

With the support of Boy Scouts of America and Alpha Phi Alpha Fraternity, Inc., the Eta Theta Lambda Chapter of Alpha Phi Alpha Fraternity, Inc. will award two one-time \$500 scholarships annually on behalf of LT Michael Files. The scholarship will recognize the efforts of the Eagle Scouts that meet the qualifications below.

#### **ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS**

- Attained the rank of Eagle Scout
- Be an African American male
- Be a registered/active member of a Theodore Roosevelt Scout unit
- Be in their final year of high school with a minimum Grade Point Average (GPA) of 3.0
- Submit 3 letters of recommendation; high school administrator, head of Scout unit, and the Eagle Scout

#### **ALL ENCLOSURES MUST BE SUBMITTED WITH THIS APPLICATION**

Enclosure checklist: each enclosure must have the Eagle Scout's name on it.

- Transcript of high school grades
- Two letters of recommendations (high school administrator and head of Scout Unit)
- One letter of recommendation from the Eagle Scout

Applications must be submitted no later than August 31, 2009. Send application along with all required information to The Eagle Scout Scholarship Committee, Theodore Roosevelt Council, 544 Broadway, Massapequa, New York 11758.

The winner will be announced at a Theodore Roosevelt Council or Eta Theta Lambda event throughout the year and the Scholarship Award will be paid directly to the college, university, or vocational institution the Eagle Scout decides to attend.



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### Eagle Scout information:

Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
 City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_  
 E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone #: \_\_\_\_\_

### Qualifications:

#### School & Activities Record

Name of high school / preparatory school: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
 City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_  
 High School Administrator's name: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone #: \_\_\_\_\_

Honors, letters, offices held

\_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_

High school clubs, teams & organizations, include position & year

\_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_

#### Community Participation Record

List your activities outside of school and Scouting

\_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_

#### Scouting Record

Date of Eagle Scout Award: \_\_\_\_\_ Unit #: \_\_\_\_\_

List top 3 leadership positions held as a member of a Scouting unit

\_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_

List all other awards received in Scouting

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 \_\_\_\_\_  
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**On my honor as a Scout, all information and statements on this form are true and correct.**

\_\_\_\_\_  
*Signature of Eagle Scout*

\_\_\_\_\_  
*Date*

I have read the foregoing application and it has my approval.

\_\_\_\_\_  
*Signature of Guardian*

\_\_\_\_\_  
*Date*