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Dear Builders Exchange of Kentucky Scholarship Applicant,

The Builders Exchange of Kentucky officially kicked off the 20<sup>th</sup> year of its scholarship program with our annual summer golf outing. Scholarship committee member, John Schnurr, reported that over the past 19 years, 250 scholarships have been awarded totaling \$436,000. This is great news for all the scholarship recipients and demonstrates the highest level of commitment by Builders Exchange to the scholarship program. The program is open to all students entering their freshman, sophomore, junior, or senior year of college.

Eligible students include employees, children, and grandchildren of employees of our member firms. The awards are worth \$2,000 annually for a total of up to \$8,000 as long as the student maintains a 3.25 grade point average.

This year we are introducing a new award, the John D. Kelly Award. John Kelly was our EVP for over 40 years. He was revered by all for his integrity and dedication to excellence in the construction field. John left an indelible footprint on our industry and is greatly missed to this day. We are dedicating this special scholarship award in his memory.

The John D. Kelly Award is offered to those whose major is in either architecture, construction, or the engineering fields only. The award is worth \$4,000 the first year, then \$2,000 for the remaining years the student is eligible. See accompanying brochure for more specific details.

Please feel free to download the application and accompanying brochure from the Builders Exchange website at <u>www.bxkentucky.com</u> under the "Member Benefits" menu option to learn more about the specific details of the program. The deadline is Jan. 20, 2017, so don't wait until the last minute to start working on your application!

If you have any questions, please contact me at 502-459-9800 or csnowden@bxkentucky.com .

Best regards, Claiborne Snowden Industry Outreach Coordinator