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## Scholarship Committee

# Protect the Harvest Scholarship

### Our Mission: Inform. Protect. Respond.

- INFORM and EDUCATE Americans about the activities of animal extremist groups, anti-agriculture groups and other non-governmental organizations that threaten agriculture, animal welfare, our traditions, and way of life.
- PROTECT our freedoms and way of life by supporting agriculture, land use, hunting and fishing, animal ownership, and animal welfare.
- RESPOND to laws, regulations, or misinformation that would negatively impact animal welfare, animal ownership, restrict our rights, and limit our freedoms.



Forest Lucas, Founder & Board Chairman

Mr. Lucas' lifelong association with agriculture and his passion for our American traditions led him to found Protect The Harvest in 2011. Protect The Harvest, under Forrest Lucas' guidance, informs and educates the public about the agenda and activities of animal and environmental extremist groups who are working to end animal agriculture, animal ownership and to restrict the rights of property owners.

### Why Protect The Harvest was Founded

Protect The Harvest was created to defend and preserve American freedoms and to support farmers, ranchers, outdoor enthusiasts, and animal owners. Most Americans are unaware that there are special interest groups in America that have evolved into a wealthy and well-organized movement that is determined to change our way of life. These groups are aiming to control agriculture, land and water use, and eliminate human-animal interaction as well as hunting and fishing. Their approach is to reach their goal incrementally via influencing public opinion with misinformation and writing, funding and marketing legislation and regulations to suit their agenda. The end result is an America that is less free and less prosperous, the elimination of animal ownership and human-animal interaction, the elimination of our ability to provide affordable food for our families and the ability to enjoy traditional past times.



## Proposed Scholarship Application

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### How To Apply:

Submit a one page anonymous essay with 12 point Times New Roman Font in PDF format **on or before July 1st** to:

Miss Rodeo Oregon Scholarship Committee at:  
missrodeooregonscholarships@gmail  
with Protect the Harvest Scholarship as the subject of the email.

### Rules & Eligibility:

Essay must be anonymous and not contain any personal indicators. An aspiration or acceptance to a school or a program, as well as a major or course of study is not considered a personal indicator and can be mentioned in your essay should you choose.

(1) \$500 Scholarship will be awarded annually.

The Protect the Harvest Scholarship Winner is subject to all provisions of the scholarship acknowledgement letter provided in the contestant application.

To be eligible for the Protect the Harvest Scholarship, you must be a contestant of a Miss Rodeo Oregon Pageant. If you do not complete the competition, the scholarship will be forfeited and awarded to the runner up selected by the selection committee.

The winner of the Protect the Harvest Scholarship will not receive any additional benefits for their competition in the pageant, including but not limited to points towards the title.

### Essay Topic:

**How does the mission of Protect the Harvest stand out to you, and how do you demonstrate scholarship, excellence and dedication to the ideals and mission of Protect the Harvest?**

<https://protecttheharvest.com/about/mission-statement>