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Dear Dean, Chair, and Forestry Department Head,

The Railway Tie Association is pleased to offer our **\$2,000.00 scholarship** to second-year students in a two-year college for the academic year beginning in the fall of 2014. Students must be enrolled in an accredited Forestry program for the full school year and not graduating mid-term.

The Scholarship Application Form is available at our website www.rta.org. We appreciate your forwarding this email to your Forestry faculty, staff, and student groups. Please also post this notice on your bulletin boards, make appropriate announcements to classes, and publish word of the RTA Scholarship in your campus newsletters so that all interested students may apply. The Application is available electronically at our web site www.rta.org/scholarships

The **deadline for applications is June 30, 2014** and the scholarships will be **awarded to the winners by phone or e-mail** no later than August 10, 2014. If you have any questions or need additional information, feel free to call or email us. Please remember, only the scholarship winners will be notified.

For more information, please visit the scholarship page on our website at www.rta.org/scholarships Thank you for distributing information about the Railway Tie Association's Scholarship to all your Forestry students.

Kind Regards,

Marshall L. Allen, Chairman
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