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**SIERRA PACIFIC FOUNDATION
GRANTS \$519,000 IN SCHOLARSHIPS**

Anderson, CA – The Sierra Pacific Foundation is awarding over \$519,000 in scholarships to 163 students as they attend colleges, universities and trade schools during the 2022-2023 school year.

“Our family is honored to continue to support students as they further their education,” said Carolyn Emmerson Dietz, Foundation President. “The commitment to helping tomorrow’s leaders remains strong. We are investing in the future and in the generations to come as we help these outstanding young people pursue their dreams.”

The Sierra Pacific Foundation grants scholarships to qualified, dependent children of Sierra Pacific Industries’ employees. Recipients are eligible for the scholarship for four years, with some granted a fifth year based on their school and finalizing their undergraduate degree or trade school program.

The Sierra Pacific Foundation is the philanthropic organization founded by the Emmerson family in 1979. Since the inception, SPF has awarded over \$9 million in scholarships. In addition to scholarships, the Foundation contributes to youth activities and other organizations in the communities where Sierra Pacific Industries operates. In 2021, the Foundation contributed \$2 million to organizations in the local communities.

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