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## **SECO Scholarship Application Deadline is March 26**

**Sumterville, FL** – Sumter Electric Cooperative today reminded area high school seniors that the deadline for submitting applications for SECO Scholarships is March 26, 2010.

This year, SECO will award up to twelve \$2,500 scholarships to deserving seniors from throughout its service territory. Applications are available at area high school guidance offices and at any of SECO's customer service centers in Marion, Lake, Citrus, and Sumter counties.

To qualify, graduates must reside in a home being served by SECO and be enrolled in an accredited college, university, or vocational/technical school by the end of 2010.

All applicants will be evaluated by an independent panel of educators from around the SECO service territory, and winners will be selected based on past and present activities in school and the community, financial need, and scholastic record.

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