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Dear Law Schools:

The Community Foundation Sonoma County will be awarding the Michael F. O'Donnell Memorial Scholarship in the sum of \$2,500.00 to students currently enrolled in law school or pursuing a law-related career, for the Foundation's 2011 Scholarship Program.

Michael F. O'Donnell was an extremely well-respected and brilliant litigator who practiced law in Sonoma County for over 30 years and contributed significantly to his community in many ways. His colleagues wanted to honor his legacy by offering this scholarship as an inspiration to future lawyers and those pursuing law-related careers to follow his example. Mr. O'Donnell was recognized professionally for his outstanding talent by being nominated to the prestigious American Board of Trial Lawyers and the American College of Trial Lawyers. Equally important, his peers universally acknowledge that he set an example for all lawyers by practicing law with modesty, civility and ethics, while never forgetting the humanity and dignity of his clients.

Interested applicants for the scholarship must:

1. Have your permanent address in Sonoma County or have attended a high school located in Sonoma County.
2. **Submit a completed application to the Community Foundation Sonoma County no later than 5:00 p.m., February 28, 2011.**

Please share this information with anyone that you feel that would be interested in the scholarship and feel free to include this in any publication that your school may have regarding scholarships. You must visit the Foundation's website at www.sonomacf.org to obtain a 2011 brochure showing available scholarships, along with an application form. The new application materials will be available online on November 29, 2010, along with additional information. Students must complete the application on line. The

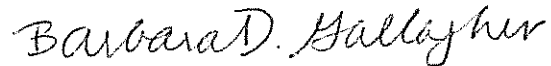
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application form should then be submitted to the Community Foundation office with an official copy of their transcript and any supplemental materials, if required.

The Foundation states that they will notify scholarship recipients any time between April 25, 2011 through April 29, 2011. If you have any questions or need additional information, please contact Dana Johnson, Program Associate, Community Foundation Sonoma County, 250 D Street, Suite 205, Santa Rosa, California 95404, at (707) 579-4073 ext. 18.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Barbara D. Gallagher".

Barbara D. Gallagher

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