

**Neil Hamilton Memorial Scholarship**

**In Care Of: Mark Wilson**

**Oregon Fire Marshal's Association**

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**To Whom It May Concern:**

I would like to take this time to personally thank you for picking me as the recipient of the 2009 Neil Hamilton Memorial Scholarship. This is a great honor and it is one that I am very proud to be a part of.

I joined the fire service in September of 2005. When I first started I wasn't sure what the fire service was about. It seemed like a cool thing to do at the time. However, over the past four years I have been exposed to a career that is like no other and is truly wonderful. I have fallen deeply in love with the fire service and am willing to devote my life to making sure that the fire service continues to be as amazing as it is now.

This desire that I have found comes from people like you; people who are willing to give their lives for others; people who want to help in any way possible. This scholarship money will aid in helping me continue my education in hopes of one day becoming as honorable as some of you are today.

**Thank you again for this wonderful opportunity!**

**Respectfully,**



**Brett Andry**

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