



Texas Jail Association

JACK CRUMP SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

SCHOLARSHIP HISTORY

Mr. Jack E. Crump was the Executive Director of the Texas Commission on Jail Standards, from 1988 through the year 2000. He initially gained jail management experience in both Bexar County and Travis County. In April of 1990, Jack became a Director for the Texas Jail Association. In January of 1992, due to a ruling from the Attorney General's Office, Jack resigned his position as Director. In resigning he explained that the Texas Jail Association is regarded as "Trade Commission" which creates a conflict of interest for anyone working for the Commission on Jail Standards to hold a board position.

Nonetheless after his resignation, Mr. Crump continued to support the Texas Jail Association by drafting editorials in Key Issues, the newsletter of the Texas Jail Association. He consistently updated the membership with his column "Commission News." The column included court rulings, trends that were being observed by the jail commission, changes in jail standards, and much more. The column ran each quarter while he served as the Executive Director which kept jail administrators, and jail staff informed about things that were happening throughout the state.

For his work to develop the Texas Jail Association, especially in its formative years, Mr. Jack Crump was the first recipient of the Texas Jail Association Hall of Fame Award. On August 3, 2000, at the retirement reception of Mr. Jack Crump, Texas Jail Association President Mike Hopper presented Jack Crump with a resolution, honoring his commitment to TJA, and established the Jack E. Crump Scholarship award. The award will allow qualified members of the association to receive jail training, without cost to their county to attend the Annual Conference, in Jack's name.

APPLICATION INSTRUCTIONS

Jack Crump Scholarship will be awarded in the amount to cover Conference registration, hotel stay, and meal per diem for the conference. This will be awarded once per year to attend the Texas Jail Association, Annual Conference. This award shall be determined by the TJA Scholarship Committee based on available funds.

To be considered for this scholarship, applicants must:

1. Be an Active Member of the Texas Jail Association
2. Be from a small county sheriff's office with 25 or less licensed jailers.
3. Submit the Jack Crump Scholarship Application
4. Include a brief explanation as to why applicant should be awarded the scholarship and how this would benefit them and their agency,
5. Include letter of support from their Sheriff, allowing time off to attend the Annual Conference.

Completed application and documents should be sent to:

TJA Headquarters
Attn: Sharese Hurst
Box 2296
Huntsville, TX 77341-2296



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APPLICANT INFORMATION

Full Name: _____

Agency: _____ Title: _____

Agency Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ ZIP: _____

Phone: _____ Email: _____

Number of Jail Staff: _____ Jail Training Budget: _____

Has your agency sent anyone to a TJA Conference within the past 2 years? ☐ Yes ☐ No

How will this training benefit your agency?

In addition to this application form, applicants MUST also include a letter of support from their Sheriff, which allows applicant time off to attend the conference.

TJA MEMBERSHIP

Are you a Current Member of the Texas Jail Association? ☐ Yes ☐ No

TJA Member since: _____ / _____ (Month/Year)

APPLICATION CERTIFICATION

The information provided in this application is, to the best of my knowledge, complete and correct in its entirety. I understand that this information will be reviewed and may be verified if necessary. In applying for this scholarship I also grant permission to publish this information if I am selected for a scholarship.

Applicant Signature: _____