

# Otsego Electric Cooperative, Inc.

## 2025 Legislative Conference and Scholarship Application



To apply for the 2025 NRECA Legislative Conference in Washington D.C., please provide the following:

- Completed Application Form and Essay.
- A copy of the student's family's most recent bill from Otsego Electric Cooperative, Inc. (OEC).
- A transcript of the student's grades.
- A letter of recommendation from a teacher or administrator from your school.
- All applicants must be available to meet with the OEC General Manager and Board.

All documents can be mailed, dropped off at the Cooperative's office, or e-mailed to Cody Allen at the following address:

Otsego Electric Cooperative, Inc.  
Attn: Cody Allen  
P.O. Box 128  
Hartwick, NY 13348

Applications may also be emailed to [cody.allen@otsegoec.coop](mailto:cody.allen@otsegoec.coop).

All applicants must be in the 11<sup>th</sup> grade and must live in a home that is served by Otsego Electric Cooperative. **Applications must be submitted to the office of the Otsego Electric Cooperative no later than March 3, 2025.** If you have any questions or concerns, please contact Cody Allen at (607) 293-6622.

2025 Legislative Rally and Scholarship Application

Student's Full Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Home Address: \_\_\_\_\_

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Name of High School: \_\_\_\_\_

Grade Average: \_\_\_\_\_

Field of Study: \_\_\_\_\_

Career Goal: \_\_\_\_\_

**List school activities and years you have participated. List any special honors you have received during high school (class office, plays, music, athletics, etc.)**

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List community activities (outside of school) and years you have participated (4-H, Scouts, church, community, and service clubs, etc.)

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List any hobbies or other special interests that you enjoy.

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**Essay.** Submit a separate short (1-2 page) essay on what you believe an electric cooperative is and how Otsego Electric Cooperative and OEConnect might have improved the quality of life for you, your family, and your community. Please refer to and cite from [www.otsegoec.coop](http://www.otsegoec.coop) or [www.oconnect.coop](http://www.oconnect.coop) for more information on the history of Otsego Electric Cooperative and its services and role in the community. You can also search “rural electric cooperatives” online for more information.