#### The Palmetto Electric Trust Scholarship Program Scholarship Guidelines and Instructions 2022 – 2023 Academic Year

#### <u>Purpose</u>

The Palmetto Electric Trust Scholarship Fund was established by the Palmetto Electric Trust. The purpose of the Palmetto Electric Trust Scholarship Program is to assist qualified students in pursuit of a post-secondary education who demonstrate a willingness to learn and financial need.

# **Eligibility/Criteria**

- 1. Applicant must be a legal resident residing in Southern Beaufort, Jasper or Hampton County.
- 2. Applicant must be a high school senior scheduled to graduate in the spring of the current school year.
- 3. Applicant must have a cumulative grade average of 80 to 92.
- 4. Applicant must have a score of 800 or better on the SAT or a score of 14 or better on the ACT.
- 5. Applicant must demonstrate financial need.

# **Application Procedure**

- 1. Application form must be completed.
- 2. A copy of the applicant's and applicant's parent(s) or guardian(s) federal tax returns for the most current year completed must be submitted.
- 3. A copy of the applicant's high school transcript including senior year's first semester.
- 4. A copy of the official record of the applicant's SAT or ACT score.
- 5. A letter of recommendation from a subject matter teacher must be submitted.
- 6. Applicant must write a 250-word essay on their career path plans after obtaining your education.

### All application materials must be received by February 28, 2023.