



## Markham District Energy Sustainability Bursary



### About the Markham District Energy Sustainability Bursary

#### Cultivating Tomorrow's Environmental Leaders

Every day, in communities across Canada, young people are actively demonstrating their passion for the environment through their commitment to the sciences in school and to the environment in their volunteer time. These dedicated young Canadians are emerging as tomorrow's environmental leaders and advocates.

Markham District Energy Inc., a thermal energy utility owned by the Town of Markham, has established the **Markham District Energy Sustainability Bursary** to help cultivate and nurture this environmental leadership. The Markham District Energy Sustainability Bursary encourages and rewards graduating Markham high school students who have distinguished themselves through environmental community service, extracurricular and volunteer activities, and academic excellence; and who intend to study sciences related to the environment at a Canadian post-secondary institution.

The *Markham District Energy Sustainability Bursary* grants **14 awards of \$1,000** each annually, to be applied directly towards tuition, books, room and board (where applicable) or other educational expenses for the first year of post-secondary full-time studies in Canada. Teachers from each Markham high school will select the winning student at their school.

Students awarded the *Markham District Energy Sustainability Bursary* will be invited, along with two guests, to an Awards Ceremony at a June Markham Council meeting, where they will be formally recognized by the Mayor and members of Council. Recognition of the bursary award will also be announced at the 14 high school graduations.

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**Markham District Energy Inc.**, an energy company wholly-owned by the Town of Markham, is committed to developing a world class community-based district energy system that responsibly invests shareholder capital to encourage local economic development and demonstrate environmental leadership.

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