**NEWKIRK-HAYNES NURSING SCHOLARSHIP GUIDELINES Criteria for selection of scholarship recipient(s) includes:**

(1) Must be a graduate of a Miller or Morgan County high school or must have

completed an equivalency program and be a resident of either of those counties for not less than five years prior to application.

(2) Must have exhibited exemplary character in school and community.

(3) Must be a candidate for a nursing degree in an accredited program and be eligible for licensure upon completion of program.

(4) Must exhibit scholastic promise and potential for completion of the program.

(5) This is a need based scholarship and applicant must have demonstrated willingness to work and contribute to their own support and educational expenses. Must include a FAFSA report with application.

**Other criteria:**

(1) Recipients will have the opportunity to re-apply annually if they maintain the grades necessary to allow them to continue in the program. However, recipients will be considered with all other applicants and therefore renewal is not automatic.

(2) Payment of the scholarship shall be paid as determined by the Selection

Committee.

(3) The Selection Committee will be appointed by the Trustee of the Maxine Haynes Trust and the Committee may divide the available funds proportionately or disproportionately into separate scholarships (including alternate recipients) or

may decline to award any scholarship if no student meets the criteria.

(4) Decisions of the Selection Committee will be final and will be made in the collective and absolute uncontrolled discretion of the members of the Committee. No member of the Committee shall have any personal liability for decisions made by the Committee.

**(5) APPLICATION CREATES NO CONTRACTUAL RIGHTS NOR EXPECTATIONS OF AWARD TO THE APPLICANT.**