



# New Kemet Harambe Chapter

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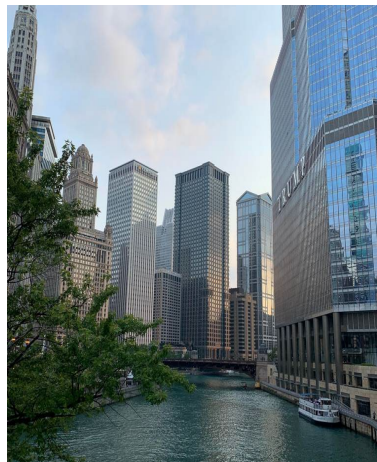
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To all Scholarship Participants:

Thank you for your interest in participating in the 2023 New Kemet Harambe Chapter's Patricia Loyd Handy Educational Essay Competition Scholarship. This Scholarship will be awarded to a high school graduating senior or an undergraduate freshman student. There will be two scholarships awarded this year in the amount of \$500.00 each.

Participants who meet the eligibility requirements need to submit all required documents in the application packet, which includes a completed application, a current official school transcript, a clear photocopy of a valid school ID, a letter of recommendation from a school official, and to prepare a 500-word-essay (not to exceed 2 pages) on the below topic:

**As a Youth Advisory Council Member for the Chicago Police Department, you have been asked to provide the Chief of Police and the Mayor with information on why youth were rioting in Chicago and what could be done to address this?**

The completed application packet and other required documents must be submitted by close of business on **Friday, November 24, 2023** to [Ethel.Crisp@bigrv.org](mailto:Ethel.Crisp@bigrv.org) **Documents that are not included will not be considered.** The winners will be notified by **Thursday, December 22, 2023.**

If you have any questions regarding the instructions for this scholarship application packet, please contact me at 312-282-5600 or [Ethel.Crisp@bigrv.org](mailto:Ethel.Crisp@bigrv.org) We wish you well in your future educational endeavors!

Respectfully,

*Ethel Leonara Crisp*

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