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BridgeValley Awards \$75k in Scholarships

(South Charleston, WV) BridgeValley Community and Technical College awarded \$75,460 in scholarships to 64 students this semester. Scholarships awarded include Encova (formerly BrickStreet Scholars), Toyota/AMT Mobility, Poffenbarger Nursing, and Allied Health, Bill and Brenda Casto, Engineering Technology, Ralph and Jo Eary, Homer and Marge Taylor, and Whyne-Walker Caterpillar.

To apply, students had to submit an online application. Applicants are reviewed based on meeting the scholarship eligibility requirements.

“We are so grateful for the generosity of our donors”, said Alicia Syner, executive director of institutional advancement. “Many of our students rely on financial aid, grants, and loans to complete their studies. By awarding scholarship money, we are able to alleviate some of those financial burdens for our students.”

A seasoned paramedic and Encova scholarship recipient said, “I have recently gone back to school to become a registered nurse to further help my community. The financial assistance you provided will be of great help to me in paying my educational expenses, and it will allow me to concentrate more of my time for studying.”

About BridgeValley Community and Technical College

BridgeValley Community and Technical College promotes student success, prepares a skilled workforce, and builds tomorrow's leaders by providing access to quality higher education. BridgeValley Community and Technical College will be the college of opportunity for a diverse learner population, offering leading-edge technology, innovative ideas, and dynamic service to our students and our communities. BridgeValley Community and Technical College was founded on March 20, 2014, and serves a seven-county region including Fayette, Kanawha, Clay, Putnam, Cabell, Mason, and Wayne counties. The college operates two campuses in Montgomery and South Charleston, along with the addition of the Advanced Technology Center. BridgeValley Community and Technical College is a public institution of higher education independently accredited by the Higher

Learning Commission of the North Central Association of Schools and Colleges and a member of the Community and Technical College System of West Virginia.