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Attn: Ms. Wendy Post  
The Hydrographic Society of America (THSOA) Houston Chapter  
Houston, Texas

Dear Ms. Post:

I'm writing this letter to thank you and the scholarship committee of The Hydrographic Society of America Houston Chapter for my recent scholarship award.

I am honored to have been chosen for this scholarship. The generous award more than covers tuition for my next semester and allows me to continue studies here at Texas A&M Corpus Christi. I appreciate this award and will work doubly hard to earn the confidence you placed in me.

I am currently a freshman majoring in Geographic Information Science (GIS), with a specialization in Geomatics. I have come to enjoy this challenging and interesting field. For example, as a member of the Geographic Information Science Student Organization (GISSO), I look forward to field trips and activities where I can apply what I have learned to hands-on surveying and hydrography.

Upon completion of my studies, my goal is to pursue a career in Geomatics or Hydrography, with a concentration in offshore and coastal surveying. The scholarship award aligns perfectly with my chosen field of study.

Again, thank you for the award. I enjoyed meeting the professional hydrographers at the banquet dinner and hope I can meet you all again soon.

Best Regards,

Julien Clifford