UNIVERSITY OF WYOMING REGULATIONS

Subject: University of Wyoming Motor Vehicle License Plate Program **Number:** UW Regulation 12-3



I. PURPOSE

To establish a policy for administration of the University of Wyoming Motor Vehicle License Plate Program authorized by Wyoming Statutes and the Board of Trustees.

II. GENERAL INFORMATION

The University of Wyoming Motor Vehicle License Plate Program was created by Wyoming Statutes 21-17-118 and 31-2-219, which authorizes the Board of Trustees of the University to establish and promulgate the rules for a license plate program to be administered by the University and to provide for a student support and student financial aid fund for students at the University.

III. ADMINISTRATION

The Vice President of Student Affairs, or designee, shall administer this Regulation.

IV. APPLICATIONS

Owners of vehicles who desire to register or renew the registration of a vehicle in Wyoming effective on or after January 1, 2008, may submit an application to the University through its Division of Student Affairs for a University of Wyoming Motor Vehicle License Plate. The application shall be accompanied by a fee of one hundred and thirty dollars (\$130.00). Upon receipt of a completed application and payment of the required fee to the University, the University shall issue a statement of eligibility for the University of Wyoming license plate to the Wyoming Department of Transportation. Application for renewals must be made at least thirty (30) days before registration of the vehicle with the State of Wyoming.

V. **REVENUES**

A. The fees collected under this Regulation, shall be deposited into the University of Wyoming Motor Vehicle License Plate account. Any fees, gifts, contributions, donations or other monies donated to this account shall be used exclusively for student financial aid and for projects and programs that directly support students at the University.

B. All expenditures made from this account shall be in compliance with this Regulation.

VI. SCHOLARSHIPS

To the extent revenues are available from license plate fees, the following scholarships shall be awarded annually based upon academic merit and involvement. The awards shall be made by the Division of Student Affairs through its Office of Alumni Relations in coordination with the Office of Student Financial Aid:

- **A.** Ten scholarships of \$1,500 each per year for up to three years or through the date of graduation, whichever occurs first. New scholarships will be offered through 2021.
 - **1.** Ten scholarships will be offered to Wyoming community college transfer students.
 - 2. At a minimum, one scholarship will be offered to a qualifying student from each Wyoming community college each year.
- **B.** Nine four-year scholarships of \$1,500 each per year.
 - 1. One to an incoming freshman from each of the following six geographic areas:
 - a. District I: Park, Big Horn, Washakie, Hot Springs, and Fremont Counties
 - **b.** District II: Sheridan, Johnson, Campbell, Crook, Weston, and Converse Counties
 - c. District III: Lincoln, Sweetwater, Uinta, Sublette, and Teton Counties
 - d. District IV: Natrona, Albany, and Carbon Counties
 - e. District V: Laramie, Goshen, Platte, and Niobrara Counties
 - **f.** District VI: Out-of-state (non-Wyoming residents)
 - **2.** Two scholarships to non-traditional students
 - 3. One scholarship to the grandchild of a UW graduate
- **C.** Three Scholarships of \$1,500 each per year, subject to annual renewal
 - 1. One scholarship to a fifth- or sixth-year undergraduate student

- 2. One scholarship to a student who is pursuing a second bachelor's degree
- 3. One scholarship to a student enrolled in an Outreach Credit degree program
- **D.** One-year award of \$3,000
 - 1. One award to a Recognized Student Organization (RSO) seeking student programming funds for a project or projects to benefit the campus or community. Selection will be made by a committee comprised of representatives of ASUW student government and Wyo-Gold, the student alumni association.

Responsible Division/Unit: Division of Student Affairs

Source: WY ST § 21-17-118 and § 31-2-219

Links: <u>http://www.uwyo.edu/regs-policies</u>

Associated Regulations, Policies, and Forms: None

History:

University Regulation 255, Revision 1; adopted 7/17/2008 Board of Trustees meeting Revisions adopted 9/12/2014 Board of Trustees meeting Revisions adopted 2/9/2015 Board of Trustees meeting Reformatted 7/1/2018: previously UW Regulation 3-255, now UW Regulation 12-3

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