



# COMMERCIAL BANK

February 1, 2021

Dear Graduating Senior,

Thank you for your interest in applying for the Commercial Bank “Life. Made Better.” Scholarship. This scholarship in the amount of \$2,500 will be awarded to only one student from the thirteen counties Commercial Bank serves. Applications must be submitted by Wednesday, March 31, 2021 and the Scholarship Selection Committee will announce the winner by Friday, April 16<sup>th</sup>.

With this scholarship, Commercial Bank would like to recognize a graduating senior who embodies our motto: “Life. Made Better.” The student should exhibit qualities and behaviors that make life better in his/her community, whether it be in their home, school, work, or neighborhood. We are looking for a young man or woman who is energetic, positive, and uplifting; a student who seeks to make a difference in the lives around him/her while exhibiting character, kindness, and courage.

Requirements: Students wishing to apply must have a GPA of at least 3.0 and be involved in at least two extra-curricular activities (including sports, school clubs, volunteer work, or employment). Students must obtain a recommendation letter from a teacher or guidance counselor and write an essay of at least 1000 words. The essay should describe the facets of what he/she believes can make life better for individuals in the community and how he/she commits to that goal.

Please visit <https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/2021LifeMadeBetterApplication> to complete the online application and upload your recommendation letter and essay (pdf, doc, or docx).

This information and the application link can also be found at [www.cbtcn.com/scholarship](http://www.cbtcn.com/scholarship).

If you have any questions, please contact me at [spyle@cbtcn.com](mailto:spyle@cbtcn.com) or (865)769-2245 ext. 1902.

Sincerely,

Stephanie Pyle, Public Relations and Marketing Specialist

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