THE GUIDING LIGHT LEADERSHIP PROGRAM

AN EDUCATIONAL PARTNERSHIP

with the

MONTGOMERY COUNTY PUBLIC SCHOOLS

Wednesday, February 13, 2019

Wednesday, March 13, 2019

Wednesday, April 10, 2019
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Program Overview:

Pepco’s Guiding Light Leadership Program (GLLP) is a collaborative effort designed to provide selected students with the opportunity to be mentored by Pepco business executives while being exposed to one of the largest employers in the Metropolitan Washington area.

Objectives:

- To provide a three-session mentoring program for students residing in Pepco’s service territory that includes leadership instruction, and a mentoring component.
- To provide a foundation for job interviewing and business success.
- To provide exposure to key divisions within Pepco.
- To establish a mentor relationship for students by allowing them to interact with key business executives and senior managers.
- To offer a variety of career-related advice, and seminars during the three-month program.

Summary of Key Benefits:

- Students will learn business acumen and business protocols through interaction with their mentor, as well as through structured training sessions. Session topics will include job interviewing skills, communication skills and corporate citizenship.
- Students will be exposed to the operation of a major corporation.
- Students will receive information on the electric utility industry.
- Students will learn about good corporate citizenship.
- Pepco will provide a one-time, $2,500 scholarship to the college or university of the student’s choice, upon the student’s completion of the program and acceptance to an accredited post-secondary institution.

Student Selection Criteria:

- Must be currently enrolled in a Montgomery County or Prince George’s County Public School.
- Must be a graduating senior.
- **Must have a 3.0 overall cumulative GPA.**
- Must not be in a disciplinary status.
- Must be recommended by two school officials, including a homeroom teacher, a core subject teacher and/or a guidance counselor.
- Must be willing to attend three (3) one-day-per-month sessions at Pepco’s headquarters, 701 Ninth Street, NW, Washington, DC.

Sessions will be held on:
- **FEBRUARY 13, 2019**
- **MARCH 13, 2019**
- **APRIL 10, 2019**
Student Participation Requirements:

- Two letters of recommendation, from a guidance counselor, a home room teacher, and/or a core subject teacher.
- A typed biography, no more than 250 words, outlining:
  1. the student’s life;
  2. the student’s accomplishments; and
  3. what a college education will mean to the student.
- A completed Parental Consent Form.
- An official Montgomery County Public Schools Transcript, with an official school seal.

Student Requirements for Scholarship:

- Must complete all three training sessions.
- Must have parental consent form submitted prior to program start.
- Must complete all assignments on time.
- Must prepare and submit resume and cover letter.
- Must successfully deliver PowerPoint presentation on assigned topic.