

**News Release** 

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## **87** students awarded higher education scholarships from Flint Hills Resources

**Wichita, Kansas** – Flint Hills Resources awarded its annual Discovery Scholarships to 87 college-bound students from 49 high schools in Texas, Minnesota and Wisconsin. Since 1991, Flint Hills' Discovery Scholarships have helped advance the academic careers of more than 500 students by awarding more than \$1 million in total scholarships.

These annual scholarships are awarded to high school seniors in communities where Flint Hills operates, including its refinery and pipeline operations in Texas, Minnesota and Wisconsin. Scholarship winners were selected to receive these scholarships toward their higher educational futures based on academic performance, contributions to their communities and a demonstrated entrepreneurial spirit.

"These are the next generation of problem-solvers who will help make the world a better place," said Heather Rein, Community Affairs Director at Flint Hills Resources. "We are honored to play a part in helping these inspiring students continue their academic journeys.

## **About Flint Hills Resources**

Flint Hills Resources is a leading refining company with operations primarily in the Midwest and Texas. Flint Hills operates the Pine Bend refinery in Rosemount, Minnesota and two refineries in Corpus Christi, TX with a combined crude oil processing capacity of more than 700,000 barrels per day. The company produces, markets and transports refined products including gasoline, diesel, jet fuel, asphalt and heating oils. Flint Hills Resources also owns and/or operates more than 4,000 miles of pipelines, including the Minnesota Pipe Line, that transport crude oil, refined petroleum products, natural gas liquids and chemicals that are delivered through a distribution system of more than 40 terminals throughout the Midwest and Texas.

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