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The Wachovia Wells Fargo Foundation, Inc. endows PCC scholarship

The Wachovia Wells Fargo Foundation, Inc. has created an endowment at Piedmont Community College (PCC) to provide scholarships for PCC students.

Tracy Harris, Roxboro Market President for Wachovia, A Wells Fargo Company, knows about the cost of tuition and the importance of earning a strong education. "The Wachovia Wells Fargo Foundation has a strong focus on supporting education and we are proud to support Piedmont Community College's scholarship fund. We know that the students of today are tomorrow’s future leaders. They’ll comprise our workforce and help define our economy. A college education helps ensure students receive the necessary skills and knowledge needed for success, both in business and life."

The scholarship is available to PCC students from either Caswell or Person counties and is based on financial need, scholastic achievement, moral character, and the individual’s potential to achieve established academic goals.

“We are truly appreciative of Wachovia Wells Fargo Foundation’s partnership with PCC in supporting our students, especially during these challenging financial times when we have seen the number of students seeking financial assistance rise dramatically,” said Dr. Walter C. Bartlett, PCC President. “This endowment will help reduce the financial barriers that some students face when coming to school. We are always in need of community partners who recognize the importance of education and training and who
make positive contributions by providing financial assistance for our students. We are especially proud that Wachovia has partnered with us in such a generous way."

The Wachovia Wells Fargo Foundation is a private foundation that provides grants to eligible 501(c)(3) tax-exempt organizations to support the following focus areas: Education, Community Development, Health/Human Services, Arts/Culture, Civic and Environment. The mission of the Wachovia Wells Fargo Foundation is to build strong and vibrant communities, improve the quality of life, and make a positive difference.

The award will be made by the Scholarship Committee of the Piedmont Community College Foundation. For more information, contact Beth Townsend, Executive Director of the PCC Foundation, at (336) 599-1181.