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AWSCPA Announces 2004 National Scholarship Recipient

DAYTON, OHIO -- The American Woman's Society of Certified Public Accountants (AWSCPA) is pleased to announce that the Society's 2004 National Scholarship award was presented to Alison Boyle of Weston, WI. Ms. Boyle graduated in December of 2004 from the University of Wisconsin – LaCrosse with a B.S. in Accounting. Ms. Boyle is the Beta Alpha Psi Vice President in 2002-2004, also has been an accounting tutor, treasurer for the UW-L concert choir, and is a youth leader for the Highland Community Church.

The American Woman's Society of CPAs offers a national scholarship to individuals aspiring to become a Certified Public Accountant (CPA). The recipient of the scholarship receives funding for a CPA review course conducted by a recognized CPA review provider. The scholarship is valued at approximately \$2200. In order to qualify for the national scholarship the applicant must meet the minimum education requirements to sit for the CPA exam within one year of scholarship awarding. Other requirements of the applicant are: they must either be an entering senior, 5th year student, graduate student or a graduate and eligible to take a review course within one year of scholarship awarding, must have a 3.0 GPA in accounting and a 3.0 GPA overall; must provide a validated transcript from their college to verify grades, major and classes taken; must submit an essay no longer than 1,000 words explaining why they are deserving of the scholarship; and must either be a U.S. citizen or a permanent resident of the United States.

AWSCPA, organized in 1933, is the only national organization committed to the development and advancement of women CPAs in the accounting profession. For its members, AWSCPA provides:

- Resources and support for professional and personal development
- Opportunities for leadership participation, networking and mentoring
- Visibility and recognition for the organization and its members
- Leadership in addressing the concerns of women in the accounting profession

If you would like additional information about AWSCPA or our scholarship program, visit the website at www.awscpa.org or contact the National Office at 800.AWSCPA1.

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