

February 2024

## News and Updates

### It's Grant Season!

#### IEC Foundation Equipment Grant

02/06/24 to 03/14/24 at 5:00 PM EST

#### The IEC Foundation Home Depot Pro Xtra Grant

03/08/24 to 03/28/24 at 5:00 PM EST

For more information about IECF grants and programs  
visit: [www.iec-foundation.org](http://www.iec-foundation.org)

### The Equipment Grant Program

The IEC Foundation seeks to support not-for-profit organizations, to create opportunities introducing and guiding men and women to successful and satisfying careers in the electrical and communications industries through Equipment Grants.

The IEC Foundation Equipment Grant application period is from February 6, 2024 to March 14, 2024 @ 5:00 p.m. EST.



IEC Central Ohio

Please visit our website to apply  
from 2/6/24 through 3/14/24

[IECF Programs](#)

Thank you IECF Equipment Grant Sponsors!



## IEC Foundation Scholarships

The IEC Foundation formed the scholarship fund exclusively for the charitable and educational purpose to award deserving and qualified students who have demonstrated drive, dedication and leadership in their pursuit of careers in the electrical industry. The IECF Scholarship Fund is offered to Independent Electrical Contractors (IEC), students, members and their immediate families, who plan to pursue post-secondary education in college or state accredited apprenticeship programs.



Thank you IEC Foundation Scholarship Sponsors!



## Graybar Scholarship

Graybar is thrilled to announce that the company will once again offer its \$1,000 Construction Trades Scholarship!

The scholarship, now in its fifth year, aims to support people entering the skilled trades. The application will remain open until April 15. Learn more at [poweringtrades.com](https://poweringtrades.com)



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## RMEL Foundation Scholarships

DEADLINE EXTENDED! There's still time to submit the 2024 RMEL Foundation Scholarship Application! The new deadline to submit the scholarship application is Friday, February 16th, 2024. Learn more & apply now! <https://bit.ly/3zQ9wxC>

Scholarships are awarded in amounts ranging from \$1,500- \$3,000+, so be sure to share this opportunity with your education and industry contacts and connect future talent with your organization. Please also share this **#scholarship** with deserving students interested in the **#electricenergy** field.



Deadline Extended to submit the 2024 Scholarship Application!

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Friday, February 16th, 2024*

Accepting applications from high school seniors, 4-year and 2-year college students, and craft and/or certificate program students.

**Learn more, share, & apply!**



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## Southwire Raffle Winner at Business Summit



Congratulations Nolan Huckabay & Don Sharkey They were the winners of the IEC Foundation Southwire Raffle at Business Summit! Thank you Southwire for your continued support & generosity! Thank you all for purchasing tickets to support our programs!

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## **Toys For Tots Grants In Action**

The IEC Foundation is proud to announce these grants were written for a holiday toy distribution from our IEC chapters and the communities they serve. They were able to provide over 2,000 toys to children this year through these efforts across the country.

This is a part of the huge push to continue to be visible in our communities. Chapters, through this distribution, are making connections with perspective students and bring noticed by potential members because of the help they are providing to those in need.

The approval of these grants is a great accomplishment for IECF. This shows we are continuing to be credible, transparent and bring recognized as an organization to worth supporting by other grantees.

Congratulations IEC Atlanta/Georgia, IEC Florida West Coast Chapter, IEC of the Bluegrass, and IEC Foundation!



IEC Atlanta/Georgia



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## How To Get Involved

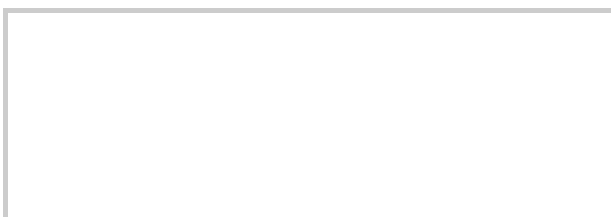
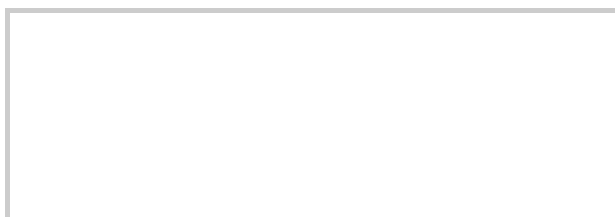
IEC Foundation partners are key to the success of our programs. Click the link below to learn more about partnering with IECF and investing in the future of the electrical industry.

### The Home Depot Pro Xtra Program



As a proud partner with IECF, The Home Depot is dedicated to saving electricians time and money. You can get 2% cash back on all qualifying pre-tax purchases when enrolled in our free Pro Xtra Program. In addition to the rebate for customers, The Home Depot will donate a half of a percent of the sales in this program to the IEC Foundation. Thank you IEC community for your support!

To learn more about the program and how you can support the IEC Foundation visit: <https://www.iec-foundation.org/iecf-home-depot-pro-xtra-program>



## PRO XTRA MEMBER BENEFITS

Tools to help Pros save time and money.



**NEW! PRO XTRA PERKS**  
Members **earn rewards** just for shopping at The Home Depot. Spend. Unlock. Choose. Plus, get surprise Bonus Perks — like a **free drink or snack** — just for being a member.



**EXCLUSIVE OFFERS**  
Members-only savings.



**VOLUME PRICING PROGRAM**  
Savings on orders over \$1,500.



**PAINT REWARDS**  
Members receive up to 20% off paint products, free color-matching and jobsite delivery.



**PURCHASE TRACKING**  
Save and organize purchases for easier tax preparation.



**TEXT2CONFIRM AUTHORIZATION**  
Members can approve employee purchases via text.

Sign up and use agreement code **IEC** to start earning a 2% rebate.



HERE TO HELP:

## GET THE MOST OUT OF PRO XTRA

### DOWNLOAD & REGISTER

Download **The Home Depot mobile app**, sign up for Pro Xtra and log in to your account to easily access your benefits.

### USE VIRTUAL ID

Use your **Pro Xtra Virtual ID in the app** each time you check out to track purchases and earn Perks. And don't forget to register your tender for automatic purchase tracking whenever you use your card.

### REDEEM PERKS

View your **spending progress**, unlock rewards and redeem your Pro Xtra Perks.

Sign up and use agreement code **IEC** to start earning a 2% rebate.



**\*\*\*Please update your credit card (if expired) info in your Pro Xtra account profile, if needed. DO NOT delete your old card, you will lose your rewards!\*\*\***

Sign Up

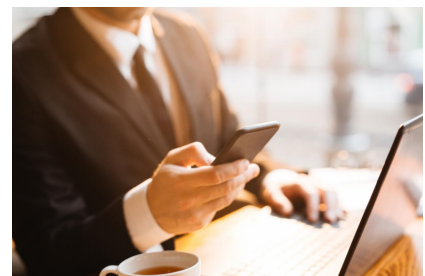
Click the video below to learn how The Home Depot Pro Xtra Program supports the Independent Electrical Contractors Foundation's mission.



**The IEC Foundation would like to thank The Home Depot for your continued support!**

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## The Independent Electrical Contractors Foundation



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