



# Saint Louis County

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## NEWS RELEASE

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### **Hermantown man wins scholarship for law enforcement training**

Skylar Tomlin of Hermantown is one of nine law enforcement students statewide to receive a \$600 scholarship from the Minnesota Sheriff's Association (MSA). St. Louis County Sheriff Ross Litman presented Tomlin with a check on behalf of the MSA.

Tomlin is a student at Fond du Lac Tribal and Community College pursuing an Associate's Degree in Law Enforcement. He intends to later pursue a four-year degree in Criminology.

"Law enforcement has never been an easy career, and I think it's safe to say it's more challenging now than ever," said Sheriff Ross Litman. "We need quality officers and so I'm very proud to assist young men and women who are still willing to pursue this rewarding, yet difficult career."

The MSA awards scholarships each year to law enforcement students to assist with training and education expenses. This year's recipients represent a broad spectrum of applicants, and were chosen based on qualifications and academic excellence that reflect the dedication and pride of those choosing to enter the difficult but rewarding profession of law enforcement and public service. Additional information about the award and the MSA can be found online at [mnsheriffs.org](http://mnsheriffs.org).

Serving more than 200,000 people living within St. Louis County's 7,000 square miles, the St. Louis County Sheriff's Office operates out of regional offices in Duluth, Virginia and Hibbing, with additional stations in Ely, Mountain Iron and Aurora.

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*Sheriff Ross Litman presents a \$600 check on behalf of the Minnesota Sheriff's Association to Skylar Tomlin of Hermantown. Tomlin is a student at Fond du Lac Tribal and Community College pursuing a degree in law enforcement.*