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GBRA Awards Scholarship to Navarro High School Graduate

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SEGUIN – The Guadalupe-Blanco River Authority (GBRA) Scholarship Program, which is a part of the GBRA Employee Volunteer Program, awarded scholarships to five area students from GBRA’s ten county district. GBRA general manager W. E. “Bill” West, Jr. and Board chairman Dr. Stephen Wilson presented the scholarships at the Board of Directors regular meeting in Seguin on Wednesday, May 19.

Lisa Miller, a graduate of Navarro High School, was one of the five recipients chosen to receive a \$2,000 scholarship.

While in high school Miller was involved in Student Council, Varsity Softball, Track, Volleyball, Basketball and Cheerleading. She was also a member of the Interact Club, Navarro Charitable Services, Leadership Committee, Color Guard, and National Honor Society. Miller’s community service consisted of Stars Volunteer Aiding Handicapped Children in Special Olympics and Thanksgiving food drives for the elderly. She also donated her time as a nursing home volunteer, helped during flood relief of 2002, and delivered presents to hospitalized children during Christmas holidays. Miller’s goal is to study medicine and to influence and help anyone and everyone who crosses her path. Her motto is “be the change you want to see in the world.”

The GBRA Employee Volunteer Program was founded in December of 2000 and is led by a committee with a chairperson responsible for the overall program. Its purpose is to improve the quality of life in area communities through the commitment of GBRA employees and the use of their time, energy, talents and skills. Employee volunteerism is strictly voluntary, unpaid work performed by employees for non-profit or government organizations engaged in civic, health, education, social services and other charitable pursuits.