The 6th Annual Dr. Michael N. Compton
PUBLIC AFFAIRS
ESSAY CONTEST
Entry deadline: October 18, 2020

HOW TO ENTER
Submit your original short essay on any aspect of the 2020-2021 public affairs theme, The Power of Voice.

EMAIL essay and cover page before midnight October 18, 2020 to: publicaffairs@missouristate.edu

Winners will be contacted by Oct. 30th and officially awarded in November.

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CONTEST IS OPEN TO MSU SPRINGFIELD CAMPUS, FULL-TIME SOPHOMORE, JUNIOR AND SENIOR LEVEL STUDENTS.

WIN $1,000 CASH
$500 cash prize for you + $500 to a non-profit of your choice!
2nd place $300 prize and 3rd place $200 prize!

Essays must be original work, between 250-1,000 words and address an aspect the 2020-2021 public affairs theme.

Submissions to include a cover page with specific information required. View at publicaffairs.missouristate.edu.

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Left to right, 2019 winner Hope Roozenboom, her nonprofit of choice, the Pregnancy Care Center and representatives from Sigma Pi Alpha-Rho Chapter and IDEAL.

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