## Press Release

The California Mid-Winter Fair Heritage Foundation, Inc. is awarding seven scholarships totaling \$4,000 for 2023. This Foundation was established in 2011 by members of our community who are dedicated to supporting projects to ensure continued operation of our Fair for the youth of our community. The Foundation is a non-profit that endeavors to serve and enrich the heritage of the California Mid-Winter Fair. This scholarship fund was formed in 2019 to assist in continuing education for the Imperial Valley students in a technology school, trade school or college, with an emphasis in an agriculture area.

Congratulations to the award recipients who are Daniel Calsada, Karen Gonzalez, Abigail Hester, Gianna Irungaray, Gianni Mayo, Amber Weller, and Emily Phillips. The scholarship is funded by a dinner and silent auction held annually. Thank you to all the members of the CMWF Heritage Foundation who participated in this fund raising event and to the scholarship selection committee for selecting these outstanding students from our community.