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The mission of the Rhode Island Trucking Association Foundation is to enhance the image of the trucking industry, support educational programs and workforce development, and to conduct meaningful research and programs that serve to promote trucking's important role in the supply chain.

Trucks and professional drivers MOVE everything we eat, drink, wear, watch and drive. Donations directly fund both educational scholarships and workforce development to attract more women and younger generations of all backgrounds to a career in transportation.

RITA & Women in Trucking Foundation Announce First Recipient of Lena Daly Scholarship

Pawtucket, RI (September 9, 2020) - The Rhode Island Trucking Association and the Women In Trucking (WIT) Foundation are pleased to announce the first recipient of the RITA WIT Foundation Lena Daly Scholarship, recognizing emerging leaders in the trucking industry in the state of Rhode Island. Morgan Caldarone will be the first recipient of this scholarship, for which she will use to pursue a career in trucking, specifically in the field of law. Morgan is currently attending New England Law | Boston, and once completed, hopes to use her degree to give back to her community and family business, Petrodriver Transportation, with her father and brother.

"It was 60 years ago that Lena Daly led RITA and served as the first Trucking Association Manager in the ATA Federation. In partnering with Women in Trucking and the Women in Trucking Foundation, we honor Lena's legacy by furthering the careers of women in trucking with these perpetual scholarships," said Chris Maxwell, RITA President and CEO.



Morgan Caldarone

"Lena Daly was an exceptional female leader in our industry, and we are honored to offer this scholarship twice a year to assist a female student associated with the state of Rhode Island in furthering her career in transportation," said WIT Foundation Past-Chair Debora Babin Katz of TrucBrush Corporation. "Morgan exemplifies a passion for trucking, a desire to help others, and a drive to overcome any obstacle to reach her goals, as did Lena Daly."

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We appreciate your consideration of a donation to advance the Foundation's mission and "Move Minds".

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to discuss a donation.

