2004 AWARDS

Department of Natural Resources and Parks

"Executive Sims has challenged us to excellence, despite difficult budget times. These awards prove we have risen to the task. Thank you for being the stars that you are."

Pam Bissonnette

international awards

Brightwater Site Selection Process
Project of the Year 2004
Brightwater Public Outreach, Planning and Compliance Section, Wastewater Treatment Division
International Association for Public Participation (IAP2)

Mercer Island Park System Guide
"Notable Entry," Special Purpose
King County GIS Center, Department of Natural Resources and Parks
MAPublisher Map Awards 2004

Washington State Lake Protection Association Conference Poster
Merit Award
Visual Communications & Web Unit, Water and Land Resources Division
Society for Technical Communication

national awards

Brightwater Project Web Site
National Environmental Achievement Awards: Public Information and Education Award in E-media Category
Brightwater Public Outreach, Planning and Compliance Section, Wastewater Treatment Division
Association of Metropolitan Sewerage Agencies

Digester Cleaning System Design
Excellence in Small Projects Award
West Point Treatment Plant; Major Capital Improvement Project Section; Wastewater Treatment Division
American Society of Civil Engineers

Environmental Management System for Biosolids
National Certification of King County's Environmental Management System for Biosolids
Technology Assessment and Resource Recovery, Planning and Compliance Section, Industrial Waste Management Program; South Treatment Plant, West Point Treatment Plant, Wastewater Treatment Division
U.S. Environmental Protection Agency and National Biosolids Partnership

"Environmental Stewardship in King County," DNRP's Annual Report
Second Place, Annual Report Category
Visual Communications & Web Unit, Water and Land Resources Division; Directors Office, Department of Natural Resources and Parks
National Association of Government Communicators

King County's WasteWise Program
WasteWise Hall of Fame
Solid Waste Division
U.S. Environmental Protection Agency

King Street Center
Gold Leadership in Energy and Environmental Design Existing Building Award
Green Building Program, Solid Waste Division
U.S. Green Building Council

"The Lake Steward" Newsletter
First Place Savvy Award
Lake Stewardship Program and Visual Communications & Web Unit, Water and Land Resources Division
City-County Communications and Marketing Association

Measuring for Results: 2nd Annual Performance Measure Report
Certificate of Achievement in Service Efforts and Accomplishments Reporting
Directors Office, Department of Natural Resources and Parks
Association of Government Accountants

Mercury Fever Thermometer Exchange
Award of Excellence
Local Hazardous Waste Management Program, Solid Waste Division
Public Relations Society of America

Parks and Recreation Division's Business Plan
Award for Innovation
Parks and Recreation Division
National Association of Counties

Park System Business Transition Plan
Second Round Finalist, Innovations in American Government Awards
Parks and Recreation Division
Ash Institute for Democratic Governance and Innovation, Kennedy School of Government, Harvard University

South Treatment Plant
Gold Peak Performance Award
East Section, Wastewater Treatment Division
Association of Metropolitan Sewerage Agencies

South Treatment Plant
Platinum Peak Performance
East Section, Wastewater Treatment Division
Association of Metropolitan Sewerage Agencies

West Point Treatment Plant
Gold Peak Performance Award
West Section, Wastewater Treatment Division
Association of Metropolitan Sewerage Agencies

state awards

King County Fair Poster
First Place: Artist Poster Contest
Regional Parks, Pools, and Recreation Section, Parks and Recreation Division; Visual Communications & Web Unit, Water and Land Resources Division
Washington State Fairs Association

King County Fair T-Shirt
Best Use of Theme: T-shirt
Regional Parks, Pools, and Recreaction Section, Parks and Recreation Division, Washington State Fairs Association

North Creek Storage Facility Project
2004 Excellence in Concrete Construction
Major Capital Improvement Project Section, Wastewater Treatment Division
Washington Aggregates & Concrete Association

Serve Our Dog Areas, partner in the Association Development and Operation Partnerships Program
2004 Citation of Merit – Individual
Parks and Recreation Division
Washington Recreation and Park Association

regional awards

Dental Office Mercury Reduction Project
Tough Nut to Crack Award
Industrial Waste Program, Wastewater Treatment Division; Local Hazardous Waste Mangement Program, Water and Land Resources Division
Northwest Hazardous Waste Conference for Household and Small Business Programs

DNRP Intranet Rating System
Excellence Award
Visual Communications & Web Unit, Water and Land Resources Division
Society for Technical Communication, Puget Sound Chapter

"Enhancing the Quality of Life" Brochure
Merit Award
Brightwater Public Outreach, Planning and Compliance Section, Wastewater Treatment Division; Visual Communications & Web Unit, Water and Land Resources Division
Society for Technical Communication, Puget Sound Chapter

Factoria Pilot Household Hazardous Waste Facility
Honorable Mention
Local Hazardous Waste Management Program, Solid Waste Division
Northwest Hazardous Waste Conference

King County Renton Transfer Station Roof Replacement Project
Honorable Mention, Public Projects Under $10 Million
Solid Waste Division
Northwest Construction Consumer Council

North Creek Storage Facility Project
2004 Pacific Northwest Regional Project Acheivement Award of Merit for Construction Management Practices
Major Capital Improvement Project Section, Wastewater Treatment Division
Pacific Northwest Chapter of the Construction Management Association of America

Sammamish Habitat Improvement Project Figures
Excellence Award
Visual Communications & Web Unit, Water and Land Resources Division
Society for Technical Communication, Puget Sound Chapter

Washington State Lake Protection Association Conference Poster
Distinguished Award
Visual Communications & Web Unit, Water and Land Resources Division
Society for Technical Communication, Puget Sound Chapter

local awards

First Avenue NE Transfer Station Team
Certificate of Recognition
Solid Waste Division
Thornton Creek Alliance

Land and Habitat Preservation
Leadership in Conservation Award
Water and Land Resources Division
Cascade Land Conservancy

Natural Yard Care Exhibit
Award of Merit, Educational Exhibit, Second Place
Department of Natural Resources and Parks
Northwest Flower and Garden Show

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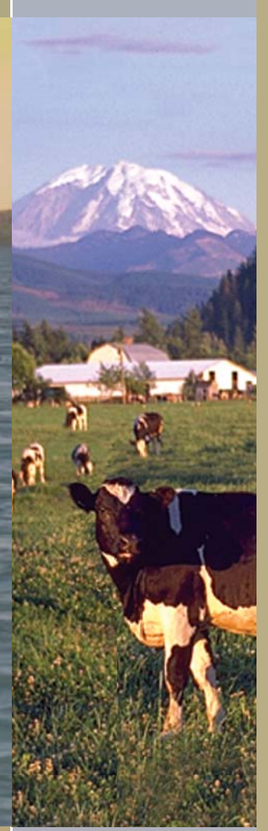

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