

DWR ANNUAL AWARDS *for* 2009



DWR Annual Awards for 2009

To recognize Department of Water Resources employees who have made exceptional contributions to efficiency and effectiveness to the Department and State Government, DWR Director Mark Cowin and California Secretary for Natural Resources Lester Snow presented awards on February 24, 2010 in the Resources Building Auditorium in Sacramento. For the first time, this ceremony was also webcasted.

Video of the awards is at <http://floodtv.water.ca.gov:82/accordentdata/2010dirawards/msb.htm>

Director's Award



Jerry Johns
Executive
Deputy Director



Raphael Torres
Executive
Deputy Director

Management Excellence Awards



Cathy Crothers
Office of the Chief Counsel
Assistant Chief Counsel



Paul Farris
Engineering
Supervising Land Agent



James Peddy
Engineering
Construction Supervisor III



David Sandino
Office of Chief Counsel
Chief Counsel

Outstanding Technical & Sustained Superior Accomplishment Awards



Nikki Blomquist
Statewide Integrated Water
Management
Research Writer



Amber Candela-Cooney
Delta Field Division
Utility Craftworker Supervisor



Andy Cowell
Operations & Maintenance
Precision Electronics Specialist



Yolanda Evangelista
Technology Services
Staff Information Systems Analyst



Mike Hom
Technology Services
Systems Software Specialist III
(Supv.)



Elissa Lynn
Flood Management
Senior Meteorologist



Sheryl Moore
Delta Field Division
Utility Craftworker Supervisor



Michael J. Miller
Public Affairs Office
Graphic Designer III



Michael Nazaroff
Integrated Regional Water
Management
South Central Region Office
Student Assistant



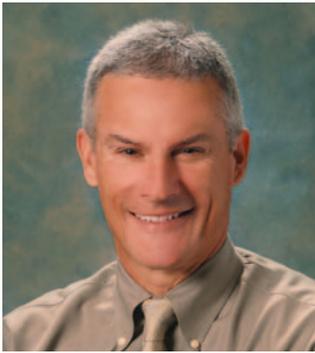
Robert Syphax
Technology Services
Systems Software Specialist III
(Supv.)

Outstanding Professional Superior Accomplishment Award



Marilee Talley
Statewide Integrated Water
Management
Research Writer

Outstanding Professional & Superior Team Accomplishment Awards



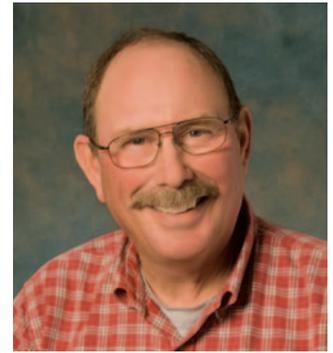
Gordon Enas
Engineering
Supervising Engineer



Mark Holderman
Bay-Delta Office
Principal Engineer



David Rennie
Engineering
Senior Engineer



William Sutcliffe
Engineering
Mechanical Construction
Supervisor I

Outstanding Professional & Sustained Superior Accomplishment Awards



Jose Alvarado
Engineering
Senior Engineer



Jeremy Arrich
Flood Management
Principal Engineer



Carol Birch
Statewide Integrated Water
Management
Associate Governmental
Program Analyst



Roxanne Boone
Engineering
Associate Governmental
Program Analyst



Delores Brown
Environmental Services
Environmental Program Manager II



Sharon Brown
Integrated Regional Water
Management
Southern Region Office
Water Resources Technician II



Lori Buford
Flood Management
Associate Governmental
Program Analyst



Gail Chong
Fiscal Services
Staff Services Manager III

Outstanding Professional & Sustained Superior Accomplishment Awards (Cont.)



Simon Eching
Statewide Integrated Water
Management
Senior Land &
Water Use Scientist



Russ Eckman
Flood Management
Utility Craftworker Superintendent



Laura Flournoy
Environmental Services
Staff Environmental Scientist



Steve Ford
Environmental Services
Environmental Program Manager II



William Forsythe
State Water Project Power &
Risk Office
Supervising Hydroelectric Power
Utility Engineer



David Inouye
Integrated Regional Water
Management
Southern Region
Senior Land & Water Use Scientist



Rich Juricich
Statewide Integrated
Water Management
Principal Engineer



Laurence Kerckhoff
Office of the Chief Counsel
Staff Counsel III



Kate Le
Environmental Services
Engineer



Peggy Lehman
Environmental Services
Staff Environmental Scientist



Susan Lemmon
Management Services
Associate Business
Management Analyst



Noel Lerner
Flood Management
Principal Engineer

Outstanding Professional & Sustained Superior Accomplishment Awards (Cont.)



Ignacio Lopez-Alvarez
Operations & Maintenance
Senior Hydroelectric Power
Utility Engineer



Aaron Miller
Operations & Maintenance
Senior Engineer



Michelle Morrow
Office of the Chief Counsel
Staff Counsel III



Jenniffer Murray
Flood Management
Associate Governmental
Program Analyst



Allan Oto
Flood Management
Engineer



Dilip Patel
Engineering
Water Resources Technician II



Matthew Reeve
FloodSAFE Environmental
Stewardship & Statewide
Resources Office
Program Manager I



Kimberly Robinson
Engineering
Associate Governmental
Program Analyst



Heidi Rooks
Environmental Services
Environmental Program Manager I



Janet-Marie Salinas
Engineering
Staff Services Manager I



Shirley Tobias
Operations and Maintenance
Delta Field Division
Management Services Technician



Loi Tran
Operations and Maintenance
Engineer

Outstanding Office Services & Sustained Superior Accomplishment Awards



Zambia Cain
Executive
Staff Services Analyst



Pauline Moreno
Management Services
Digital Composition Specialist II



Theresa Oakley
Management Services
Office Services Supervisor I



Robin Rodriguez
Management Services
Office Assistant



Dolores Scherr
Executive
Executive Secretary I



Joseph TerMeer
Executive
Business Services Assistant



Melinda Woods
Office of the Chief Counsel
Executive Assistant

Waste Reduction & Diversion Perpetual Award



Delta Field Division
David Duval, Chief

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DWR Mission | *Statement*

To manage the water resources of California
in cooperation with other agencies, to benefit
the State's people, and to protect, restore, and
enhance the natural and human environments.