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Seventh Annual Water Conservation Poster Contest Student Winners Honored

SAN DIEGO - City of San Diego Council President Scott Peters, Councilmember Donna Frye, and the entire San Diego City Council will celebrate the creative efforts of the winners of the Seventh Annual Children's Water Conservation Poster Contest on **May 1, 2007 at 10 a.m.**, in the City Administration Building Council Chambers on the 12th floor, 202 C Street. The ceremony will honor the 18 outstanding student artists who won this year's contest and will include their proud teachers and family.

Held each year by the City of San Diego Water Department, the poster contest provides a focal point for teachers to talk with their students about the importance of using water wisely. This year's "Water Reigns" theme gave thousands of students the opportunity to artistically illustrate meaningful water conservation messages by creating original artwork.

Council President Peters, and Councilmember Frye will present each winner with an awards package that includes a U.S. Savings Bond, four tickets to the Reuben H. Fleet Science Center, and a Certificate of Excellence. A list of the winners is on the accompanying page.

Winning posters will be on display at several locations. From May 2nd through May 12th, they will be displayed at the City Administration Building Lobby. From May 30th through July 1st, they will be displayed at the San Diego Watercolor Society Showcase Gallery, NTC Promenade at Point Loma's Liberty Station, 2825 Dewey Road, Suite 105, as part of their "Cool Clear Water" Exhibit. In addition, winning posters will be displayed June 8th through July 4th at the San Diego County Fair's Kids Best Art Exhibit. Winning posters will also be featured in the 2008 City of San Diego Water Department Water Conservation Poster Calendar.

Additional information about the Annual Water Conservation Poster Contest is available online at www.sandiego.gov/water. For more information about the Seventh Annual Water Conservation Poster Contest awards presentation, call the City of San Diego Water Department at (619) 533-4203 or via e-mail at water@sandiego.gov.



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CONGRATULATIONS TO THE WINNERS OF THE 2007 WATER CONSERVATION POSTER CONTEST

First Place: JASMINE CONTILE, First Grade, Hearst Elementary School
Second Place: OLIVIA McDONALD, First Grade, Hearst Elementary School
Third Place: ANDREW THOMAS, First Grade, Hearst Elementary School

First Place: CATHERINE SUN, Second Grade, Deer Canyon Elementary School
Second Place: HAILEY BRODERICK, Second Grade, Hearst Elementary School
Third Place: ZOHA RASHID, Second Grade, Morning Creek Elementary School

First Place: BRENNA DIMALANTA, Third Grade, Holmes Elementary School
Second Place: JESSICA PENG, Third Grade, Deer Canyon Elementary School
Third Place: MALIA MOORE, Third Grade, La Jolla Elementary School

First Place: JASON HWANG, Fourth Grade, Shoal Creek Elementary School

Second Place: KELLY HERNANDEZ, Fourth Grade, Torrey Pines Elementary School

Third Place: AUDREY MIANO, Fourth Grade, Doyle Elementary School

First Place: CHRISTINE SUN, Fifth Grade, Deer Canyon Elementary School
Second Place: JACQUELINE PENG, Fifth Grade, Deer Canyon Elementary School
Third Place: CLAIRE NORTHROP, Fifth Grade, San Diego Cooperative School

First Place: CASSIE HWANG, Sixth Grade, Meadowbrook Middle School
Second Place: LINETTE YANG, Sixth Grade, Mesa Verde Middle School
Third Place: AMBER KNIGHT, Sixth Grade, Holmes Elementary School