



Air Resources Board



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TO: Air Resources Board Staff

FROM: Richard W. Corey
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DATE: August 20, 2013

SUBJECT: 2012 SUPERIOR ACCOMPLISHMENT AWARDS

Congratulations to the 2012 Superior Accomplishment Award winners. The Award Ceremonies will be held on:

Date: September 5, 2013
Time: 1:00 p.m. to 3:00 p.m.
Location: El Monte Auditorium
9530 Telstar Avenue, Annex IV
El Monte, California

Date: September 12, 2013
Time: 1:00 p.m. to 3:00 p.m.
Location: Byron Sher Auditorium
Cal/EPA Building
1001 I Street
Sacramento, California

The Air Resources Board (ARB) employees who have been selected to receive an award for their outstanding performance are listed on the attachment. My congratulations to each award recipient on a job well done!

If you have any questions, please contact Bertie Mora, ARB Merit Awards Administrator at (916) 324-5289 or Victoria Watkins at (916) 445-5076.

Attachment

The energy challenge facing California is real. Every Californian needs to take immediate action to reduce energy consumption. For a list of simple ways you can reduce demand and cut your energy costs, see our website: <http://www.arb.ca.gov>.

California Environmental Protection Agency

2012 SUPERIOR ACCOMPLISHMENT AWARD WINNERS

Sustained Superior Accomplishment Awards

Air Quality Planning and Science Division

David Edwards
Ajith Kaduwela
Webster Tasat

Monitoring and Laboratory Division

Judson Cohan
Tao Huai

Research Division

Jorn Herner
Michael FitzGibbon

Stationary Source Division

Jim Aguila
Stephanie Detwiler
Robert Languell
Rajinder Sahota
Michael Waugh

Gold Superior Accomplishment Awards

Administrative Services Division

Catherine Nystrom

Classification and Pay Unit

Allissa Maurer
Lisa Nguyen
Sharda Ramdass
Desiree Scott
Elizabeth Solari
Annette Tamburo

Air Quality Planning and Science Division

Lois Erskine

Agriculture Equipment Inventory Development Team

Nicole Dolney
Cory Parmer

San Joaquin Valley PM 2.5 State Implementation Plan Team

Jeremy Avise
Jianjun Chen
Cheryl Taylor
Sylvia Vanderspek
Patricia Velasco

South Coast State Implementation Plan Team

Scott King
Kyriacos Kyriacou
Tiffany Mateo
Ravi Ramalingam

Chairman's Office

Shannon Stewart

Mobile Source Control Division

Leslie Goodbody
Kathleen Mead
Jesse Tu

Mobile Source Operations Division

Cheryl Mehta

Monitoring and Laboratory Division

Karen Fletcher
Shaohua Hu
Aiko Matsunaga
Michael Orbanosky
Patrick Seames

Research Division

Michael Gabor
Glenn Gallagher
Poh-Sin Yap

Stationary Source Division

Grant Chin
Monique Davis
Trish Johnson
Stephanie Kato
Natalie Lee
Richard Miller
James Nyarady
Greg O'Brien
Chan Pham
Cherie Rainforth
Charles Seidler

Division Liaison Team

Pam Clymer
Gina Sterling

Multi-Divisional

Catalyst System Database Team

MSOD

Jose Arguelles
Richard Carranza
Jae Do
Mina Fanous

Andy Homarudin
Luis Ordonez

OIS

Vincent Hale

Clean Air Reporting Log Team

MSCD

Jim Cao
Geoffrey Carter
Aaron Hilliard
Neva Lowery

John Nguyen
Douglas Thompson

OIS

Rachel Golston
Christopher Jenks

Heavy Duty Vehicle Loan Program

ASD

Michelle Fojas

MSCD

Krista Fregoso
Jessica Johnson
Bob Nguyen

Owens Lake Appeal Team

EO

Christina Morkner-Brown

AQPSD

Sylvia Oey
Earl Withycombe

Silver Superior Accomplishment Awards

Administrative Services Division

Leslee Thompson
Steven Volpicelli

Air Quality Planning and Science Division

San Joaquin Valley PM 2.5 SIP Team

Vernon Hughes
Donald Johnson
Anne Lin
Jin Lu
Sherrie Sala-Moore
Kasia Turkiewicz
Wenli Yang

Enforcement Division

Gear Up For Clean Truck Month

Claude Abdul-Karim
Jose Andujar
Damacio Arevalos
Valente Armenta
Ryan Atencio
Gerald Berumen
Stephen Binning
Eric Bissinger
Eric Brown
Heather Brown
Ramiro Buenrostro
Aldo Chaney
Tajinder Gill
David Gray
Andrea Juarez

Debbi Klossing
Xiangyi Li
Wendy Maienknecht
Hortencia Mora
Robbie Morris
Bill O'Brien
Christopher Patno
Bradley Penick
Shailendra Pratab
Randy Rhondeau
Ryman Simangan
Allison Spreadborough
Ann Stacy
John Watkins
Ching Yang

Mobile Source Control Division

Heavy-Duty Testing Team

Subhasis Biswas
Thomas Ladzinski
Kwangsam Na
William Robertson

In-Use Retrofit Team

Svetlana Espinosa
George Gatt
Tony Nassar
Gloria Pak

Off-Road Reporting Support Team

Leah Basa
Gia Moreno
Thien Tran
Erin Uchida
Lisa Williams

Mobile Source Operations Division

Enhanced Fleet Modernization Program (EFMP) Survey Team

Manuel Arevalos
Javier Chavez
Esther Gonzales
William Interiano
Gary Okimoto
Eugene Sato

Certification Streamlining Team

Paul Adnani
Kevin Curley
Shobna Sahni

Monitoring and Laboratory Division

Richard Lopez

Research Division

Ying-Kuang Hsu
Kathleen Kozawa
Tabetha Willmon

Stationary Source Division

Angela Csondes
Michele Houghton
Ryan Huft
Alexander Mitchell
Jose Saldana
Manisha Singh
Jimmy Steele
Alicia Violet
Ronald Walter

Multi-Divisional

Cleaire Recall Team

EO
Kirk Oliver

MSOD
Erik White

MSCD
Shawn Daley
Paul Henderick
Johnny Karim