



CITY of CALABASAS

January 12, 2009

William Bowling
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SUBJECT: CARL GIBBS ENVIRONMENTAL EXCELLENCE AWARD

WINNER: AEROSPACE CANCER MUSEUM OF EDUCATION

Dear William and Christina,

Congratulations! The Aerospace Cancer Museum of Education was recently nominated to receive the City of Calabasas Carl Gibbs Environmental Excellence Award. Nominations were carefully reviewed by the Calabasas Environmental Commission during the public meeting of January 6, 2009 and your Museum was selected as one of the winners of this year's Carl Gibbs Environmental Excellence Award.

The Carl Gibbs Environmental Excellence Award is a symbol of commitment to California's environment. The award honors a wide array of individuals, businesses, municipalities, government agencies, organizations, institutions, all working to benefit our environment. The Award recognizes voluntary activities by companies and organizations, big or small, private or non-profit, in or work done in the City of Calabasas and in California, that result in cleaner air or water, less waste, less traffic, conservation of energy and natural resources, efficient and water conserving landscaping, or reduced use of hazardous materials, etc. Furthermore, the Award honors those organizations that demonstrate exceptional commitment or innovation above and beyond their primary mission.

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The Award is given by the City of Calabasas Environmental Commission and will be presented during the **February 3, 2009** meeting at the City Hall Council Chamber. In selecting the recipients, the Commission considered:

- Measurable improvements to environmental quality
- Ongoing or long-term environmental benefits
- Creativity and innovation in technology or approach
- Model achievements
- Demonstrating a solid commitment to protecting the environment.
- Involving employees, governmental officials and/or community members in an environmental project.
- Showing a commitment to the public's best interests.
- Reaching out in an effective manner to stakeholders.
- Taking definitive steps to prevent pollution.
- Minimizing costs or demonstrating a payback on investments

You are requested to attend the Environmental Commission meeting held on February 3, 2009 starting promptly at **7:00 PM**, located at Calabasas City Hall in the Council Chambers. Please provide a statement, no longer than three (3) minutes, detailing your efforts on protection of environment. The meeting will be broadcasted live on Calabasas TV. Please confirm your attendance. I could be reached at 818-224-1680.

Sincerely,



Alex Farassati, Ph.D.
Environmental Services Supervisor