



September 9, 2009

Mr. William Bowling  
23350 Lake Manor Drive  
Chatsworth, California 91311

Dear Mr. Bowling:

We would like to thank you for submitting a nomination for the 2009 Governor's Environmental and Economic Leadership Awards Program. We received numerous exemplary nominations and brought together a wide range of reviewers to evaluate, compare, and discuss each nomination in depth.

While we regret to inform you that the nomination you submitted was not selected as a winner this year, we appreciate your time and contributions to this program. It is only through efforts such as yours that we can demonstrate how environmental protection and resource conservation can contribute to a productive, healthy economy in California.

Therefore, we encourage you to consider participating again in the future, and would be pleased to respond to questions about how you might strengthen your application package. Please contact Andrea Lewis, Assistant Secretary For Education & Quality Programs, at Cal/EPA at (916) 322-7179 or [alewis@calepa.ca.gov](mailto:alewis@calepa.ca.gov).

Sincerely,

Linda S. Adams, Secretary  
California Environmental Protection Agency

Fred Aguiar, Secretary  
State & Consumer Services Agency

A.G. Kawamura, Secretary  
California Department of Food & Agriculture

Mike Chrisman, Secretary  
California Natural Resources Agency

Dale Bonner, Secretary  
Business, Transportation & Housing  
Agency