2024 SACRAMENTO ENVIRONMENTAL COMMISSION

AWARDS APPLICATION

The Sacramento Environmental Commission (SEC) invites you to participate in the 2024 Environmental Awards Program. The goal of these awards is to recognize and show appreciation to residents of Sacramento County and its cities who help improve the environment in an equitable way and inspire additional community involvement.



ELIGIBILITY: Open to any resident, business, or organization based within Sacramento County or, to entities with at least 10 percent of their participants being City or County residents, which have demonstrated outstanding efforts to improve the environment. Recognition may be granted for voluntary initiatives and/or projects conducted from January 1, 2023 through June 30, 2024 or, for efforts exceeding regulatory requirements.

SCOPE OF THE AWARDS: Programs and projects may include, but are not limited to:

- Efforts to minimize or avoid the use of chemical pesticides and herbicides
- Establish and implement green purchasing policies
- Increase reuse and recycling efforts
- Encourage alternative transportation projects that reduce vehicle use
- Expand, protect or enhance green space or habitats for natural and recreational uses
- Install energy and water conservation measures
- Implement tree planting and management in urban areas

- Implement stream monitoring and aquatic habitat restoration projects
- Promote neighborhood stewardship of local natural resources
- Implement environmental education programs to all groups including under-privileged and environmental justice communities
- Promote green building (LEED standards) in public and private development
- Implement greenhouse gas emissions (GHG) reduction policies and measures leading to reduced GHG emissions

DEADLINE: August 30th, 2024. AWARD CEREMONY: Monday, October 28th, 2024.

For additional information, please check the SEC website at emd.saccounty.gov/sec/ or contact Jill Koehn at koehnjill@saccounty.gov or call (916) 875-8584.

Please click here for examples of previous winners: https://emd.saccounty.gov/SEC/Pages/EnvironmentalAwards.aspx

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QUESTIONS? P	lease contact Jill	Koehn koehnjill	@saccounty.gov	or call (916	5) 875-8584

Please return this form to:

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Mailing Address: Sacramento Environmental Commission, c/o EMD, 11080 White Rock Road, Suite 200, Rancho Cordova, CA 95670

Applications must be received by 5 p.m. August 30th, 2024.