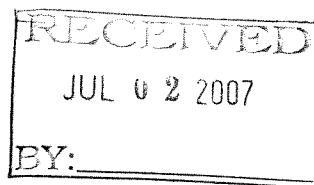




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**TO: William Merry**

**FROM: Shannon Crawford, SWANA**

**DATE: June 27, 2007**

**SUBJECT: 2007 Landfill Gas Utilization Gold Excellence Award Winner**

Dear Mr. Merry,

CONGRATULATIONS! I am pleased to inform you that the Monterey Regional Waste Management District has been selected to receive the Landfill Gas Division's 2007 Landfill Gas Utilization Gold Excellence Award! All of the staff in your program should be very proud of these successful efforts in achieving the highest level of excellence in solid waste management. This is no small accomplishment given the excellent quality of this year's nominations and the challenges that you have overcome to launch and maintain your successful program.

To publicly honor you and your organization for the outstanding achievements and contributions made by your program and facility, I would like to cordially invite you to attend SWANA's Awards Luncheon to be held in conjunction with the program activities of WASTECON 2007, October 16<sup>th</sup>-18<sup>th</sup>, in Reno, Nevada. This special luncheon is scheduled for Thursday, October 18<sup>th</sup>, from 12:10 – 1:30 p.m. You can find a copy of the 2007 registration brochure online at [www.WASTECON.org](http://www.WASTECON.org) that outlines all the activities to be held at this event – please make plans to attend this event and accept your award on site!

Once again – CONGRATULATIONS! I will be in contact with you again shortly to discuss the details of your award and the arrangements for the luncheon. In the meantime, if you have any questions please do not hesitate to contact me by phone at (240) 494-2241 or e-mail at [scrawford@swana.org](mailto:scrawford@swana.org)

Sincerely,

Shannon V. Crawford  
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