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Dear Faisal:

The National Association of Environmental Professionals (NAEP) has selected your nomination of **SASWE (Sustainability, Satellites, Water, and Environment) Research Group** for a 2010-National Environmental Excellence Award. Your nomination as determined by the Awards Committee demonstrates excellence in the award category of **Education Excellence**. Your project demonstrates a progressive approach to integrate sciences for gaining environmental knowledge and awareness. As noted in the award nomination, each selected Award Winner will receive a beautiful award plaque and an invitation to briefly address participants at the 2010-NAEP National Conference. This year's conference will be held in Atlanta, Georgia on April 27-30, 2010. Awards are to be conferred at the luncheon scheduled for Thursday, April 29 from 11:45am to 1:15pm. Due to time constraints, awards and comments by award winners to conference participants must be brief.

Award winners are requested to prepare a poster for display during the entire conference. You are invited to present your project at Technical Session 19, scheduled for Thursday, April 29 from 1:45pm to 3:15pm. These technical sessions provide an ideal opportunity to discuss your project and inform participants. Presentations usually run from 20 to 30 minutes.

Congratulations for your award selection. Your participation in the 2010-NAEP Conference is noteworthy and welcomed. If you have any questions regarding posters, presentation at a technical session, or any other topic, please do not hesitate to contact me or any other member of the Awards Committee.

Best Regards,



Robert S. Cunningham

Chairman, NAEP Awards Committee