



News Release

MOSQUITO and VECTOR MANAGEMENT DISTRICT
of SANTA BARBARA COUNTY

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LOCAL AGENCY ANNOUNCES WINNING LOGO DESIGNS and NEW LOGO ADOPTION

The Mosquito and Vector Management District of Santa Barbara County (District) is proud to announce the winners of the design a logo contest held by the District in April (see news release dated February 23, 2009). Board of Trustees President David Pritchett marked this award by saying: "On behalf of the Board of Trustees, I congratulate Roberta C. Garner and Adam Capdeville for their winning logo designs."

The District opened the contest to all high schools and colleges, public and private, throughout Santa Barbara County. In response the District received one hundred twenty eight logo designs from three local educational institutions; Alan Hancock College, Santa Barbara High School and San Marcos High School. The Board of Trustees and Administration of the District wish to thank all of the students who participated in the contest. All submissions can be viewed on the District website at www.mvmdistrict.org.

The winning collegiate submission and recipient of a \$300 scholarship was presented by Roberta C. Garner. Roberta is a graphic design student at Alan Hancock College and designed her winning submission under the instruction of Roger Kutz. Roberta worked with District Administration to modify her submission at the request of the Board of Trustees. Roberta's modified design will be used by the District as its new logo and will be displayed on all District vehicles, uniforms, its website, all brochures and didactic materials, as well as letterhead and promotional materials. As stated by Board President Pritchett, "We will display Roberta's logo design proudly as the District works on improved public education and field activities that protect the public health as we keep the County safe from mosquitoes and other human disease vectors."

The winning high school submission and recipient of a \$200 scholarship was presented by Adam Capdeville. Adam is a student at Santa Barbara High School in the ROP program and designed his winning submission under the instruction of Lee Ann Knodel.

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GENERAL MANAGER: Brian Passaro

*As defined under State law, a **vector** is any insect or other arthropod, rodent, or other animal of public health importance capable of causing human discomfort, injury, or capable of harboring or transmitting the causative agents of disease.*

*This agency is an independent **Special District** as a form of local government.*