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WASTE REDUCTION SERVICES

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**LOCAL ENVIRONMENTAL CHAMPIONS HONORED
AT APRIL 7 EARTH DAY CEREMONY!**

The Tri-County Waste Reduction Awards Program (WRAP) is pleased to announce winners of the 2010 WRAP awards. Award recipients were honored at the 8th Annual Earth Day Luncheon and Awards Ceremony because of their demonstrated positive impacts to the community and the environment, through efforts to reduce, reuse, recycle, and educate about recycling and other waste reduction and conservation issues.

The award recipients were: Bigby Coffee Store #270, Charter Township of Delhi, Clinton Memorial Hospital, Community Relations Coalition, Lansing Center, Marvin E. Beekman Center, Okemos High School - Students for Environmental Action, Spartan Chassis, Inc., 21st Century Plastics Corporation and Van Atta's Greenhouse & Flower Shop.

There were nine others who were recognized for their efforts. They are: Lansing Board of Water & Light, Douglas J, General Motors Lansing Site Operations, Mr. Larry Heibeck, Meridian Plumbing, Michigan Elementary and Middle School Principals Association, Michigan State University Recycling and Surplus, RABwork LLC and Mr. Vern Sharrick.

WRAP is sponsored by a committee of local waste reduction professionals including the Cities of Lansing and East Lansing, Ingham, Eaton and Clinton Counties, Delta Township and Granger. The mission of WRAP is to publicly acknowledge residents, businesses, government agencies, educational institutions and non-profit organizations in the tri-county region, that have demonstrated exemplary waste reduction and recycling practices, and who encourage others in the community to increase their efforts to reduce, reuse and recycle.

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