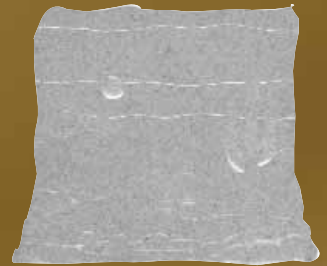


VALLEY  
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IN PARTNERSHIP WITH  
SRP  
*PRESENT THE*

*27TH ANNUAL  
ENVIRONMENTAL  
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AWARDS*

VALLEY FORWARD ASSOCIATION  
AND  
SRP

*cordially invite you and your guests to*

THE 27<sup>TH</sup> ANNUAL  
ENVIRONMENTAL EXCELLENCE AWARDS GALA

Saturday, September 29, 2007  
Westin Kierland Resort  
6902 East Greenway Parkway  
Scottsdale, Arizona

6:00 – 7:00 p.m.

*Cocktails & Viewing of Finalist Projects*

7:00 p.m.

*Dinner & Awards Program*

Mistress of Ceremonies

**Robin Sewell**

Hostess

*Arizona Highways Television*

9:30 p.m.

*Dessert Bar & Post-Awards Gala*

RSVP by September 21, 2007  
(602) 240-2408

Black tie optional

PLEASE JOIN US IN A CELEBRATION  
OF ENVIRONMENTAL EXCELLENCE,  
LIVABLE COMMUNITIES  
AND A SUSTAINABLE FUTURE!

We'll honor innovations that make the Valley more vibrant, our resources more enduring and our children's quality of life brighter. Known as the "Academy Awards" of the environmental community, this unique event promises an inspiring evening filled with entertainment, enlightenment and a few surprises.



The program has grown significantly over the years and now encompasses 22 categories, including: buildings and structures, site development and landscape, open space and connectivity, art in public places, environmental technologies, environmental education/communication, environmental stewardship and livable communities.



Valley Forward will host a post-event gala immediately following the awards banquet featuring a scrumptious dessert bar and complimentary beer and wine.



We extend a sincere thanks to the expert panel of jurists, who gave freely of their time to evaluate award submittals. The coveted Crescordia award will be given as the highest honor in each category. A Greek term meaning "*To Grow in Harmony*," the Crescordia symbolizes distinctive compatibility with the environment. In addition, the President's Award for special achievement in environmental excellence will be presented to this year's top recipient.



We extend a special thanks to our Environmental Sustainability Partners for their generous contributions, which helped make this program possible.

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*Since 1969, Valley Forward has been the only civic group in our region to focus exclusively on the balance between economic development and environmental quality.*

*We are the Valley's voice for balance and a convener of thoughtful public dialogue on critical growth issues. Our diverse membership of public and private sector representatives and an exceptional regional focus have uniquely positioned us to fulfill this important role.*

*Our members believe environmental quality is directly related to the conservation of natural resources, consideration of indigenous or historic qualities, emerging technologies and regard for human life. We recognize that economic, social, cultural and aesthetic values are largely determined by the form and character of the manmade environment.*



*In 1903, SRP was founded on the principles of resource stewardship as Roosevelt Dam was built to bring water to the Valley. These principles guide us today as we continue to supply water and power to our customers. SRP salutes Valley Forward and others who share this same commitment to environmental excellence and preserving Arizona's environment for future generations.*



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