



1954 County Home Road · Marion, IA 52302
Phone (319) 377-5290 · Fax (319) 377-5480
www.solidwasteagency.org

MEDIA RELEASE

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

Contact: Stacie Johnson – Education Coordinator
Cedar Rapids Linn County Solid Waste Agency
(319) 377-5290

LAST CALL FOR 2010 CALENDAR ART CONTEST

October 19, 2009 (Marion, IA) 2010 Calendar Art Contest entries are due to the Cedar Rapids Linn County Solid Waste Agency (the Agency) **Friday, October 23, 2009**. The contest is open to all Linn County students attending kindergarten through twelfth grade (K- 12). The 2010 calendar theme is “living together. green” in hopes of inspiring others to reduce, reuse and recycle. Original artwork submitted should not exceed 8.5 inches tall x 11 inches wide.

One lucky school will win \$500 for art supplies, drawn from the list of schools who are represented by students submitting calendar art contest entries. Each calendar month will feature one student’s artwork with thirteen (13) entries selected for calendar art based on creativity, originality and inspiring others to “go green.” Each calendar art contest winner receives a classroom visit from the Agency mascot, Mr. Earth, who will present them with an award certificate, classroom goodies and 15 calendars to present to family and friends. In addition to calendar art winners, 13 entries will be selected for honorable mentions and will be presented with an award certificate, classroom goodies and 10 calendars to present to family and friends.

The Calendar Art Contest Entry form can be found at www.solidwasteagency.org. Calendar art will be selected and winners notified by Friday, October 30, 2009.

The Cedar Rapids Linn County Solid Waste Agency ensures the health, safety and welfare of our community by providing cost-effective and environmentally-sound practices for management of solid waste generated in Linn County, Iowa.

###