

12th Biennial State of the San Francisco Estuary Conference

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CALL FOR NOMINATIONS

The Jean Auer Environmental Award

The San Francisco Estuary Partnership is seeking nominations of individuals for the Jean Auer Environmental Award. The award is given in memory of Jean Auer, a beloved Bay Area environmentalist whose groundbreaking efforts were directed particularly at improving water management in California. The award will be presented at the twelfth biennial [State of the Estuary Conference](#), September 17-18, 2015, at the Downtown Oakland Marriott Hotel.

Criteria for eligibility

Nominees from the public and private sector are eligible. Individuals should have made a significant contribution toward improving environmental quality in the Bay-Delta Estuary. Nominees working on water-related issues will receive special consideration.

How to submit a nomination

Nominations should include the name, address, phone number and e-mail address of the nominee, together with a one-page description of the nominee's accomplishments and rationale for his/her selection. Please include your own name and contact information. The San Francisco Estuary Partnership Selection Committee will make its decision in July, and nominees will be notified of the results in August.

Mail or e-mail nominations to:

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Nominations must be received by 5:00 PM, Tuesday, June 30, 2015.

Past Recipients

Past recipients of the award include Dr. Howard Shellhammer, a longtime champion of the Bay Area's wetland and marsh ecosystems; Sylvia McLaughlin, co-founder of Save the Bay; Carl Wilcox, Bay Delta Regional Manager, California Department of Fish and Wildlife; Trish Mulvey, citizen activist with the Citizens Committee to Complete the Refuge; Tom Graff, attorney with Environmental Defense; Marcia Brockbank, former director of the San Francisco Estuary Project; and Will Travis, former executive director of the San Francisco Bay Conservation and Development Commission.