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Oro Loma Sanitary District Wins State Collection System of the Year Award!

On January 7, 2011 Oro Loma was informed that it once again won the prestigious California Water Environment Association (CWEA) Award for best collections system of its size in the San Francisco Bay Area Region for 2010. On April 7, 2011 at its annual meeting, CWEA announced that Oro Loma had also won the State Award in the same category for 2010. Oro Loma won the State Award two times before, in 2000 and 2005.

The San Francisco Bay Area Region is one of 17 regions in California. In order to win the State Award, Oro Loma needed to show why it outperformed the other regions that had submitted entries, including those from Southern California.

The collection crew's award-winning safety program, its 3,100 days with no lost-time accidents, zero overflows in 2010, and the over 2 million feet of sewer line that is serviced and maintained each year were key factors in winning the award.

The collection crew won the State Award because of the drive to be the best, the ability to work so well together as a team, and the willingness to practice, practice, and practice again. This is also what makes the collection crew such an invaluable part of Oro Loma.



Oro Loma Sanitary District collections crew from left to right:
Bert Gileno, Rudy Vera, Earl Miranda, Marty Banuelos, Tim Cravalho, Randy Wilhite, Christopher Brown, Lenny Rather