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**(BW)(CA-DWP/GREEN POWER) Teachers Gear Up for DWP Green Power
for a Green LA Student Contest At Final Year-End Workshop Dec. 1**

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Students' Winning Entries Integral to DWP Communications Efforts
At Explaining the Importance and Positive
Environmental Effects of Green Power

The media is invited to attend the final teacher workshop of the year in the Green Power for Green LA Student Contest to be held Wednesday, Dec. 1 from 4 p.m. to 6 p.m. at the Department of Water and Power headquarters, 111 N. Hope. St., Cafeteria Conference Center, downtown. (Enter through Customer Lot.)

Winning entries will be incorporated into the DWP general green power communications campaign.

In the first contest held last academic year, winning entries were highlighted in newspaper and radio ads, community exhibits, posters and calendars. At least one winning student and a teacher from last year's contest will have the opportunity to ride on the City's Rose Parade Float, Jan. 1, 2000.

About 100 K-12 teachers, representing public, private and parochial schools throughout the city, are expected to attend this workshop which will provide substantive information on graphic design and

about green power, which is clean, renewable, alternative energy from solar, wind and geothermal resources.

Teachers will receive \$100 worth of lesson materials to help them conduct contest instructional activities. All teachers will also receive pocket calendars, poster calendars and promotional posters featuring winning entries from the contest held during the last academic year.

Student prizes range from \$250 in U.S. Savings Bonds for Honorable Mention to \$2,500 in U.S. Savings Bonds for first place in the high school Community Projects Category. The contest in grades K-8 is for Art Poster Projects. The high school contest, grades 9-12, includes multimedia entries such as videos, logos, songs, jingles and Web site.

The Green Power for a Green LA program is DWP's flagship environmental effort. DWP customers have the opportunity for the first time to choose to purchase new, clean, renewable energy.

Further information about the Green Power and other environmental initiatives such as electric transportation, energy efficiency services, and solar photovoltaic programs, can be received by clicking onto the special Web site at www.GREENLA.com.

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