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22nd ANNUAL WATER CONSERVATION POSTER CONTEST WINNERS HONORED

Chino Hills, CA – The Chino Hills City Council honored 12 winners of the City's 22nd Annual Water Conservation Design-a-Sign Contest during its April 25 Council Meeting. The contest encourages students in Chino Hills from kindergarten through 12th grade to design posters promoting water conservation in conjunction with Water Awareness Month in May.

This year's theme was "Water is Life, Treasure Every Drop!" 12 winners were recognized for their exception artwork from over 1,200 submitted entries. The winning posters will be converted into street signs and installed on streetlight poles along City Center Drive at the Chino Hills Government Center. Eventually, the street signs will be moved and installed in different parks throughout the City.

Judges awarded prizes to the first, second, and third place winners in each age category. First place winners received a Kids Edition Fire Tablet for the kindergarten age group, an Amazon Fire Tablet in the 1st through 3rd and 4th through 6th grade age groups, and an HP Chromebook for the 7th through 12th grade age group. All second and third place winners from each age category received both a \$30 gift card to Harkins Theaters and a \$20 Chickfil-A gift card. The full gallery of winning entries can be viewed online at www.chinohills.org/DesignASign.

This contest relies on the support of Chino Hills schools and classroom teachers. A plaque was awarded to classrooms with the highest participation in each of the age categories. Loving Savior of the Hills was recognized for the highest participation in the kindergarten and 7th through 12th grade age categories, and Rolling Ridge Elementary School was recognized for the highest participation in the 1st through 3rd grade and 4th through 6th grade age categories. There were 16 classrooms with nearly 100 percent participation that were entered in a raffle for a chance to win a \$100 Hobby Lobby gift card. Mrs. Hofmeyer from Hidden Trails Elementary School won the raffle.

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2023 Water Conservation Design-A-Sign Contest Winners:

	First Place	Second Place	Third Place
Kindergarten	Angela Zhang	Kaymus Kuo	Emma Song
	Foothill Country	Country Springs	Butterfield Ranch
1 st – 3 rd Grade	Daniel Ma	Kevin Wang	Steven Zj Li
	Wickman	Wickman	Litel
4 th – 6 th Grade	Claire Ma	Angela Gu	Livia Chen
	Chaparral Middle	Litel	Butterfield Ranch
7 th - 12 th Grade	Zixian Chen	Iris Chien	Zijun Wang
	Ayala	Canyon Hills	Canyon Hills



2023 Water Conservation Design-a-Sign Contest winners were honored at the April 25 City Council Meeting. Front row, left to right: Daniel Ma, Kevin Wang, Angela Zhang, Kaymus Kuo, Angela Gu, Emma Song. Second row, left to right: Mayor Peter Rogers, Iris Chien, Claire Ma, Zixian Chen, Steven Zj Li.