



Hill Award for Inspiration

Andrew P. Hill (1853 – 1922)

Purpose: The Hill Award is for leaders who inspire their communities to support major parks projects that allow full and easy access to our State's natural and cultural wonders. Hill's tireless efforts resulted in the legislation that allowed for purchase of California's first coastal redwood state park.

Who's eligible: All teams and career employees.

Who can nominate: All DPR employees.

Nomination criteria: Achievement of a major public objective; resolution of an otherwise insurmountable problem by means of idealistic and sustained long range planning and strategic thought; emphasizes community involvement and participation in solutions; builds public support.

Nominations accepted until December 31 for 2007 accomplishments.

See the State Parks Intranet site for more details about the award and for nomination forms. Click on Document Library link.

http://isearch.parks.ca.gov/default.asp?page_id=760

Director's Recognition Awards Program



Past Examples of Hill Award Nominations

- Created a non-profit foundation to preserve and maintain a historic home and grounds by inspiring the support of the Lake Tahoe community.
- Quickly re-opened a flood-devastated state park in time for the busy season by convening a team of rangers and community members, achieving both short-term and long-term goals .