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Dallas Youngsters Invited to Take Part in Water Conservation Art Contest *Winning entries will be included in calendar to benefit non-profit*

(Dallas-June 18, 2010) Members of over 30 Dallas youth organizations and other youngsters are invited to create water conservation illustrations as part of an art contest sponsored by City of Dallas Water Utilities. Children 13 years old and younger are eligible to enter the contest.

Thirteen winning entries will be selected and included in a calendar to be published for 2012. The calendar will be sold at regional water industry conferences, and all proceeds will go to "Water for People," a non-profit organization that assists developing nations with initiatives to provide sustainable drinking water.

"Many people take for granted the clean drinking water that is delivered to their homes and offices each day," said Jody Puckett, the director of City of Dallas Water Utilities. "This is a great way for area children to share their ideas on conserving water and help a worthy organization at the same time."

The contest begins Monday, June 21, 2010 and runs through Thursday, July 1, 2010.

WHAT: Kick-off of Water Conservation Art Contest
WHEN: Monday, June 21, 2010 9:00 a.m.
WHERE: Girls Inc. 350 North Zang Boulevard

Contest details and entry information are available on the Dallas Water Conservation Web site, SaveDallasWater.com. The deadline for entries is July 1, 2010.

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