



**FOOTHILL-DE ANZA**  
**Community College District**

## **Innovation of the Year Award**

**Winner:** **College Environmental Advisory Group** (De Anza College)  
*Dave Capitolo*, faculty; *Julie Ceballos*, student; *Robert Cormia*, Foothill faculty; *Pat Cornely*, staff; *Mini Damodaran*, student; *Greg Druehl*, faculty; *Jesus Garcia*, staff; *Mary Ellen Goodwin*, faculty; *Jeanine Hawk*, administrator; *Annie Kong*, staff; *Sally Rae Larson*, staff; *Susan Malmgren*, staff; *Kari Olandese*, student; *Julie Phillips*, faculty; *Annie Presler*, staff; *Ralph Riddle*, community member; *Bonnett Saussol*, staff; *Paul Setziol*, faculty; *Kristin Jensen Sullivan*, faculty; *Karl von Ahnen*, staff; *Mona Voss*, district administrator

(Working in collaboration with student data gatherers Ryan Alter, Naomi Blinick, Jerricka Cromwell, Veronica Davis, Brian Graham, Jeanine Hawk, Kelly Jamillo, Caroline Jiminez, Paul Landon, Hal Ly, Nathan Odell, Clarissa Rubio, Christina Schell, Angel Suh, Marisa Suroto, Albert Trueba, Natsumi Tsumeta, Jed Wells and Vanessa Yan)

(Attached photo of available CEAG members and guests, first row: Julie Ceballos, Kristin Jensen Sullivan, Jeanine Hawk; back row: Frank Nunez, Robert Cormia, Susan Malmgren, Jordan Bryant, Bonnett Saussol, Julie Phillips, Karl von Ahnen, Pat Cornely)

**Title:** **Sustainability Management Plan (SMP)**

**Criteria:** **Quality, Cost Effectiveness, Timeliness**

**Classification:** **Resource Development**

**Summary:** De Anza College's Sustainability Management Plan (SMP), believed to be the first such document among community colleges nationwide, was developed in 2007 by the College Environmental Advisory Group (CEAG) in collaboration with the broader college community.

The SMP addresses all aspects of De Anza's environmental impact on land, air and water as well as community vibrancy, environmental stewardship, social equity and financial responsibility.

The SMP includes initial assessment data; the Sustainability Policy, describing concrete actions; and an implementation timeline. Key areas of focus include the reification of concepts such as green building construction and renovation, hazardous waste reduction and management, energy and water efficiency and conservation. Uniquely, the plan also addresses ecologically responsible landscaping and green purchasing and procurement procedures, with an overarching view of campus community and civic engagement in sustainability.