

March 28, 2025

Norma Campos Bernal, EAC Chair  
County of Santa Barbara  
Public Health Department, Environmental Health Services Division  
225 Camino Del Remedio  
Santa Barbara, CA 93110

Subject: Enforcement Advisory Council Resolution 2025-01 – Selection of John G Lewis  
as Recipient of the 2023 Ralph Hunter Memorial Award

Dear Ms. Campos Bernal,

The Department of Resources, Recycling and Recovery (CalRecycle) joins the Enforcement Advisory Council (EAC) in congratulating John Lewis as the recipient of the 2023 Ralph Hunter Memorial Award.

John is a worthy recipient of this award, as evidenced by his many achievements and contributions to protecting the environment and public health. His commitment to environmental health has been demonstrated by developing and presenting various LEA trainings, working jointly with CalFire and the Sacramento Fire Department on fire safety workshops, and leading large-scale investigations of abandoned landfills and other complex enforcement cases while collaborating with private owners, cities and municipalities.

CalRecycle looks forward to the presentation of the Ralph Hunter Memorial Award to John Lewis at the 2025 Technical Training Series.

Sincerely,

Mark de Bie, Deputy Director  
Waste Permitting, Compliance & Mitigation Division

Cc: EAC Members

John Lewis, Sacramento County, Local Enforcement Agency  
Paulina Lawrence, CalRecycle, Branch Chief, Permitting and Assistance Branch  
Martin Perez, CalRecycle, Training and Assistance Section  
Charles Genkel, CCDEH, Solid Waste and Resource Recovery Committee