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Joey Wallace
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Dear Joey:

Congratulations! We are pleased to inform you that your utility is a recipient of APPA's 2006 Reliable Public Power Provider (RP3) Award. Leesburg Electric Department has achieved a Gold level in the RP3 Award Program.

All 2006 RP3 Award winners will be officially announced during the first general session of the APPA Engineering & Operations Conference in Sacramento, California on April 10, 2006. We encourage you to send a representative to the E&O Conference to receive your RP3 Award. Prior to the first general session there will be a photo opportunity for the award winning utilities.

To assist you in making the most of your RP3 achievement, the enclosed folder contains the following items:

- Electronic versions of the RP3 logo, in color and in black and white, for your optional use on letterhead, business cards, your website, etc.
- An electronic press release for your use in publicizing your award locally. *Please note that the press release **must** be embargoed until April 10, 2006.*
- Order forms for various RP3 promotional items and RP3 polo shirts.
- A separate order form for customizable RP3 award plaques or certificates.
- The Engineering & Operations Technical Conference brochure.
- RSVP form for the photo opportunity and awards ceremony at the conference.

If you have any questions about the folder contents, the award ceremony or promoting your RP3 designation please contact Bethany Luna, APPA Engineering Services Coordinator at (202)467-2993.

Again, congratulations on achieving an RP3 award level. I hope to see you in Sacramento.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "John Humphries". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

John Humphries
Chair, RP3 Review Panel

cc: Lloyd Shank
Enc. RP3 Award Folder