

## ***CALL FOR ENTRIES 2009...***

The 20th Anniversary Environmental Media Awards will be presented this fall, but our nominee entry outreach is ongoing. If you worked on a television episode or film with an environmental message, we hope you will submit it for consideration!

### ***What Is An Environmental Media Award?***

First presented by the Environmental Media Association (EMA) in 1991, the Environmental Media Awards honor film and television productions that increase public awareness of environmental issues and inspire personal action on these issues. The Awards recognize writers, producers, directors, actors, and others in the entertainment industry, actively expressing their concern for the environment through their work. The Environmental Media Awards also honor people in the entertainment industry who have gone above and beyond their peers in consistently including story lines, environmental practices or role modeling in their work and/or daily lives.

### ***What Are The Categories For The 2009 Environmental Media Awards?***

- Feature Film
- Documentary
- Television Episodic Drama
- Television Episodic Comedy
- Children's TV Program: Animated
- Children's TV Program: Live Action
- Reality Program

*To be eligible*, productions must have aired on national (U.S.) television or have been released theatrically or first screened at an accredited (U.S.) film festival between *August 1, 2008 and July 31st, 2009*. Television entries must have first aired on national network, cable, or public television or reached 51 percent of the national market in first-run syndication during the above qualifying time period. Scripted entertainment productions are eligible for consideration, in addition to educational reality programming with high entertainment value. News programs, talk shows, public service announcements and sports programs are not eligible at this time. EMA reserves the right to review all entries for eligibility.

### ***What Makes A Work Environmental?***

Winners will be selected by a board of judges comprised of leaders from both the entertainment and environmental communities. Sometimes it can be as simple as a single beat in a half-hour television comedy or as elaborate as the story line for an entire feature film. As long as the work clearly delivers an environmental message in some way, EMA considers it "environmental" and urges you to submit it for consideration.

## 20<sup>TH</sup> ANNIVERSARY ENVIRONMENTAL MEDIA AWARDS

### Application for Entry - Final Deadline: August 1, 2009

For information, please call: 323-556-2790

Executive producers, production companies, distributors, studio or network staff may submit entries.

**Entries must include the following:**

- 1). Your completed entry form(s)
- 2). A list of the production's creative team as listed in the credits: Executive Producer, Supervising Producer, Producer, Writer, Director, Story Editor. Please include titles, contact addresses and phone numbers
- 3). A brief written narrative describing the submission (one or two paragraphs only)
- 4). Two (2) non-returnable DVDs for viewing (please note running time on each)

**Send to: Environmental Media Association – Awards Coordinator  
5979 W. 3<sup>rd</sup> Street, Suite 204, Los Angeles, CA 90036**

Please note: Only three (3) episodes of a single series may be entered per category. EMA is not responsible for creative team omissions made by entrants. Finalists will be asked to submit judging DVDs and a cast photo. Finalists will receive 2 complimentary tickets to the Awards Ceremony, including reception & dinner. EMA reserves the right to show portions of submitted entries at Awards presentations.

**Please Print or Type (one entry form per each individual submission)**

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Title of Entry (if applicable, include Episode and Series Title)

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Submitted by

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Company Name

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Company Address

Bldg/Suite/Floor

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City, State, Zip

Office Email

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Office Phone

Office Fax

**Please check the entry category for which you are submitting:**

- Feature Film
- Documentary
- Reality Program
- Television Episodic Comedy
- Television Episodic Drama
- Children's TV Program:  Animated  Live Action