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Ms Mary Fickert
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Dear Ms Fickert:

On behalf of the Committee on Volunteer Community Service I am pleased to notify you that the Younger Member Forum of the East-Central Florida Branch of ASCE has been selected as the recipient of the 2005 ASCE Public Service Award in Zone II.

This award is given separately in each of the four ASCE Zones. It is presented to organized components within the American Society of Civil Engineers who have contributed significant energy to enhance the recognition of civil engineering as a respected profession through their involvement in public-serving activities and who have improved the image of ASCE and civil engineering in their community through public relations and media coverage.

The Younger Member Forum's significant public-service accomplishments are indeed praise-worthy. Your Younger Member Forum was selected for their public service efforts in collecting food for the victims of Florida's recent hurricanes, for their work in gathering toys for the annual Toys for Tots drive, and for arranging the "Engineer For A Day" program during Engineer's Week to give high school students a view of engineering and then to have local engineering firms demonstrate what an engineering job entails. Your contributions to society as civil engineers and, more importantly, its contributions to society as individuals who happen to be civil engineers is a credit to all of you. We are privileged to have the members of the Forum as part of the civil engineering profession..

Your Younger Member Forum's efforts have truly been exemplary and fully deserving of the 2005 ASCE Public Service Award for Zone II. The award will be announced at the Zone Leadership Conference of the American Society of Civil Engineers for Zone II, which will be held at the Hyatt Regency Tampa Hotel at Tampa Florida. The presentation will be made at the President's Luncheon on Saturday, January 28, 2006. We would be especially pleased to have members of your Younger Members Forum attend that luncheon and receive the award in person.

Again, congratulations. Your Younger Member Forum's public service efforts are very much appreciated by the entire civil engineering profession.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Kent B. Anderson", written in a cursive style.

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