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Janice Jijina Elected Vice President of New York Water Environment Association

(*Syracuse, NY*) Janice Jijina, an associate with Cameron Engineering Associates, LLP, of Syosset, NY, has been elected 2004 Vice President of the New York Water Environment Association (NYWEA). The NYWEA is a statewide nonprofit organization of water quality management professionals with 2,100 members and seven regional chapters. Jijina has been an active NYWEA member for 23 years.

An activist in the NYWEA, Jijina spearheaded a program to involve more women in the NYWEA, and is only the second woman in the NYWEA's 76-year history to serve as Vice President. She was founder and chair of the NYWEA Environmental Science Committee, and also chaired the Program Committee. Before her statewide service, she chaired the organization's Long Island Chapter.

Employed at Cameron Engineering since 1988, Jijina is in charge of the firm's planning and environmental projects, and manages administrative, human resources and technology functions. She also is a member and former president of the New York Metropolitan Chapter of the American Planning Association. She graduated from SUNY Buffalo with a B.A. degree, and the University of Washington with a M.S. degree. She resides in Bellmore, NY with husband, Cawsie, and their two children.

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NYWEA is a statewide, nonprofit organization of 2,100 water quality management professionals that promotes clean water programs and related issues. Headquartered in Syracuse, NY, the NYWEA has seven regional chapters, 11 college chapters and is an affiliate of the international Water Environment Federation.

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