



**US Composting  
Council**  
*International Compost  
Awareness Week*

January 18, 2010

Greetings!

The International Compost Awareness Week Committee of the US Composting Council invites YOU to get involved in ICAW 2010.

Call For Entries! Announcing the 3rd Annual ICAW Poster Contest -- we invite municipal, facility, and state agency representatives to join in the fun -- students (grade school, middle school, college), homeowners, commercial composters, green industry businesses, youth groups, everyone! Whether or not you celebrated or have been involved in ICAW in the past, we want you to participate this year and submit a poster. The 2010 theme is "**Compost!...Recycling for a Greener Tomorrow**". For the Official 2010 Rules and Regulations, [www.compostingcouncil.org/programs/icaw/](http://www.compostingcouncil.org/programs/icaw/).

The poster contest challenges ALL OF US to express our belief in the composting industry and benefits of using compost. The winning poster will be used to promote our 15th Annual International Compost Awareness Week, May 2-8, 2010.

The contest begins on January 20 and continues until February 28, 2010. Online judging will be available. The Poster Contest Winner will have his/her poster reproduced and distributed nationwide as the official 2010 International Compost Awareness Week poster and featured on the US Composting Council Web site. The successful poster winner will receive a \$500 cash or savings bond\* prize. Each student division winner -- grade school, middle school, high school and college, will receive \$100 savings bond in special recognition. All participants will receive an ICAW/USCC Certificate of Participation.

For more information, contact ICAW Chair, Teri Sorg-McManamon at 610-390-7930 or email to [advert@jgpress.com](mailto:advert@jgpress.com)

For information on becoming a Sponsor of ICAW 2010, contact Stuart Buckner, Executive Director, at 631-737-4931 or email to [uscc@compostingcouncil.org](mailto:uscc@compostingcouncil.org)

Join in the fun and enter *your* poster!

Thank you,  
Teri Sorg-McManamon, ICAW Chair, BioCycle

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