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**Aquarion Water Company Announces Tee Shirt Competition Winners**  
***Contest was Open to Students in Grades Six Through Eight in Service Areas***

BRIDGEPORT, CT, June 19, 2007 – Aquarion Water Company has announced the winners of the “*Water for Life*” Tee Shirt Contest to commemorate its 150<sup>th</sup> Anniversary. Catherine Heller of Scott Ridge Middle School in Ridgefield won the sixth-grade division; Amanda Fernandez of Harry B. Flood Middle School in Stratford won the seventh-grade division; and Chloe Senteio of Park City Magnet School in Bridgeport won the eighth-grade division.

The winning student designers will receive a tee-shirt for each classmate, which features the winning design. The student designers will also be invited to showcase their talents at Aquarion’s upcoming 150<sup>th</sup> anniversary celebration in September at Aquarion’s newest water treatment facility in Stamford.

“The tee-shirt contest showcases the artistic talents of students in our service territory,” said Charles V. Firlotte, President and Chief Executive Officer of Aquarion. “Students clearly demonstrated the “*Water for Life*” theme, recognizing that water is one of our most precious and valuable resources.”

The competition was open to students from grades six through eight who reside in Aquarion Water’s service areas in Connecticut, Massachusetts and New Hampshire. A team of Aquarion Water Company employees served as judges for the competition, which coincided with a scholarship contest for graduating high school seniors in Aquarion Water’s service areas.

Aquarion Company's principal business is public water supply. Through its Aquarion Water Company subsidiaries, it is one of the 10 largest investor-owned water utilities in the U.S., serving some 207,000 homes and businesses, or approximately 700,000 people, in 44 Connecticut, Massachusetts and New Hampshire communities. Aquarion Water Company of Connecticut provides high-quality water to 179,000 customers, or some 600,000 people, in 36 cities and towns.

***Celebrating 150 Years of Water Service Excellence***

Note: For more information on Aquarion Water Company and its subsidiaries, please contact us on the Internet at [www.aquarion.com](http://www.aquarion.com).

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