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Dear Friends of Ecological Reserves:

I am writing to personally congratulate you for being nominated for the BC Parks' Volunteer Legacy Award as part of our biennial external awards program, and to thank you for your contributions to BC Parks. Rike Moon, Community Engagement Specialist, nominated you and truly appreciates each contribution you make.

Each year, BC Parks selects recipients for Volunteer of the Year, Volunteer Group of the Year, Community Partner of the Year, and Volunteer Legacy Award, from an exceptional group of nominees. For more information about the awards and to see the list of this year's winning nominations, go to: http://www.env.gov.bc.ca/bcparks/volunteers/recognition/.

You are part of a strong, dedicated team of BC Parks volunteers across the province who share the stewardship of BC's parks and protected areas. The value of these efforts is incredible, and I hope you take great pride and inspiration from the collective difference you make. I both appreciate and am proud of the work that you and other volunteers do to keep our parks welcoming and vibrant. We look forward to continuing to work with you in the years to come.

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Sincerely,

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