

Rural Water Taste Test

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The New Mexico Rural Water Association is looking for the best drinking water from a Public Water System in the State to represent New Mexico's rural water systems in a nationwide competition.

It all starts in Albuquerque on March 21, 2005, during the 27th Annual NMRWA Conference at the Sheraton Old Town Inn. A panel of three judges will conduct a preliminary taste test on coded water samples to select the top five entries for the final "taste-off" on Monday night at the Exhibitor Meet and Greet.

The Grand Prize Winner will receive airfare and hotel accommodations for one to meet New Mexico's legislators and enter their water in **The Great American Water Taste Test** sponsored each year by the National Rural Water Association during the **Rural Water Rally** in **Washington, DC**, April 18 -20, 2005. New Mexico's 2003 winner, Lake Section Water Co., finished in the top five nationally!

TASTE TEST RULES

- **Bring "chilled" water in a *non-returnable quart glass container* to the conference registration area by 12 noon Monday, March 21**
- **Label the bottom of the container with your system name**
- **Systems with populations over 25,000 are not eligible**
- **Systems must be in good standing with the NM Drinking Water Bureau having no current violations of Bacteriological or Chemical monitoring**

WINNER CRITERIA

- Taste
- Bouquet
- Clarity

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