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**Note:** The 2006 EBJ Business Achievement Awards will also be presented in edited fashion in Environmental Business Journal, Volume 19 Numbers 11/12 to be released near the end of January 2007. The annual EBJ Awards are part of EBJ's annual Executive Review issue that also contains Q&As with prominent environmental industry executives. **Awards disclaimer:** Company audits were not conducted to verify information or claims submitted with nominations

## *EBJ's 2006 Business Achievement Awards*

### **About the EBJ Business Achievement Awards**

Between October and December of 2006, EBJ solicited the environmental industry via email, website and word-of-mouth for nominations for the EBJ Business Achievement Awards. Nominations were accepted in 200-word essays in either specific or unspecified categories. Categories or size designations may be altered depending on the volume of nominations or of the number of worthy recipients. The 2006 EBJ awards were determined by a committee of EBJ staff and EBJ editorial advisory board members. The 2006 EBJ awards will be presented in a special ceremony at EBJ's fifth annual Environmental Industry Summit in Coronado, Calif. On the evening of February 28, 2007. The Environmental Industry Summit is an annual three-day event hosted by EBJ February 28-March 2, 2007 and award recipients are invited to attend to receive their award.

### **TECHNOLOGY MERIT AWARDS: WATER/WASTEWATER**

**Cardinal Resources**, an environmental consulting, engineering, remediation firm, for developing a self-contained, solar-powered water supply system and deploying it in the United States and in several other countries. In 2005 Cardinal Resources began development of the Red Bird System, a solar-powered self-contained system for providing drinking water to over 1,000 people/day from multiple sources. Originally developed for emergencies and developing economies, the Red Bird has found its way into industrial applications in the U.S. and Mexico, with pending projects in Brazil, Haiti and Africa. Cardinal Resources continues to work on the combination of sustainable water supply and wastewater treatment with the development of its low-energy Grey Bird System for wastewater treatment. The first Grey Bird is scheduled for deployment in Brazil in 2007.

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