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DIABLO MAGAZINE WINS CRMA AWARDS

Walnut Creek, CA, May 11, 2007 – The City and Regional Magazine Association (CRMA) announced the winners of the 22nd Annual National City and Regional Magazine Association’s awards on Monday, May 7, at the annual conference in Denver, Colorado.

Each year the competition is open to almost 100 members of the CRMA and other non-member city and regional magazines throughout North America that compete for a total of 22 editorial and design categories. Magazine professionals from around the country chose 82 finalists from more than 950 entries—the most in CRMA’s history—for this year’s competition.

Diablo magazine was a finalist in two categories and took home awards in both. *Diablo* received a bronze for Best Cover for its November issue and silver for the Reader Service category for “Sushi 101,” also in the November issue of *Diablo*.

According to the judges “the [Sushi 101] article is a great example of a regional magazine taking ownership of a national and a deep international trend. If this weren’t service enough, this piece was so well written, even folks who aren’t fans of sushi might just rethink their position.” The November “cover is so startlingly simple that its breathtaking and clutter-free approach makes the image pop. Functional and beautiful, the cover works on a newsstand, a coffee table, or in a frame on a wall.”

About Diablo Publications

Diablo Publications celebrates 28 years of creating award-winning publications, including *Diablo* magazine, *Napa Sonoma* magazine, *Design for Living*, *Diablo Arts*, *Concierge* North Bay and East Bay, and *Destination Oakland*. Covering travel, theater, lifestyle, and home design, Diablo Publications celebrates the people, places, and pleasures of the East Bay and North Bay. Diablo Publications’ custom publishing division, DCP, provides complete print and online marketing communications and custom publishing services for corporate clients nationwide. For more information, visit www.diablogmag.com.

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