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EJ Water Cooperative, Inc. Wins Illinois Rural Water Association's Award for "Best Tasting Water"

On Tuesday, February 17, 2015 the Illinois Rural Water Association, the state's largest rural utility association, selected the entry from EJ Water Cooperative, Inc. as its "Best Tasting Water" at their 33rd Annual Technical Conference in Effingham.

The Illinois Rural Water Association's "Best Tasting Water" Award is given to a water supply based on scoring by a panel of unbiased judges in a "double blind" water taste test. Out of all entries, EJ Water Cooperative, Inc.'s entry was decided to be the best tasting overall. EJ Water Cooperative, Inc. received a Certificate from the Illinois Rural Water Association and will be invited to send an entry to the National Rural Water Association's Annual Taste Test at their "Rural Water Rally" in Washington, D.C. in February of 2016.

Accepting the "Best Tasting Water" Award for 2015 at Illinois Rural Water Association's Annual Technical Conference in Effingham, IL was Dean Swingler, the EJ Water Cooperative, Inc.'s Utilities Superintendent.

The Illinois Rural Water Association is a private, not-for-profit association of small water and wastewater systems, and is dedicated to training and technical assistance to those individuals who work in the water and wastewater industry. For more information, visit IRWA's website at www.ilrwa.org.
