

# Public Education Service Award

*As a model of service and personal commitment for citizens everywhere,  
the Alameda County Board of Education and  
Alameda County Superintendent of Schools commend*

## *Berkeley Repertory Theatre*

The Alameda County Office of Education acknowledges the Berkeley Repertory Theatre for being a long-time supporter of public education and Alameda County schools. Thank you for your work with the Alliance of Arts Learning Leadership to present the play “No Child...” to leaders and educators in our community. Performances like “No Child...” deepen public understanding of the role of arts in providing a quality education to every child, in every school, every day.

The Berkeley Repertory Theatre is a venerable institution and a great artistic resource to the community. Your commitment to schools reaches beyond the stage to serve some of the county’s most vulnerable students. The Berkeley Rep’s engagement with students in Juvenile Hall for the past nine years to develop the writing and performance skills of detained youth is a demonstration of successful community partnerships supporting arts learning in public schools.

The Alameda County Board of Education applauds your partnership with the Alliance for Arts Learning Leadership and your continued work to expand arts learning at Juvenile Hall—to bring the arts into all classrooms and open windows of opportunity for all children.

Presented on May 27, 2008



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*Fred Sims, President  
Alameda County Board of Education*

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*Sheila Jordan, Superintendent  
Alameda County Office of Education*