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Proposed Beverly A. Cunningham Leadership Award

Dear Marc:

Thank you for your time the other day. I hope three years along you're enjoying your time with Chevron in Bakersfield. I never had the pleasure of living there, finding my time in California limited to Ventura, Santa Barbara and San Diego.

The Blankenship Family Horizon Award is a meaningful way to acknowledge women currently active in the American Association of Professional Landmen (AAPL) but does not recognize the women who preceded them and who opened the doors for today's female land professionals. In that regard it seems fitting to make this request for the Beverly A. Cunningham Leadership Award during Women's History Month. Long before PLMs and CPLs existed, Beverly was a true leader in our industry, who enriched the lives of all those who dealt with her.

I began work as a landman in 1977 with Unocal in Ventura. When I moved to Conoco in 1979, Beverly was my first supervisor there. After working in Alaska and Texas I returned to Ventura in 1985 and had the opportunity to work with Beverly once again. She was always a shining role model, supervisor, mentor and then friend.

If requested, I can provide a myriad of letters supporting Beverly from those who worked with her over the years. I am also willing to provide funding for the award.

I am humbled to propose this award to AAPL recognizing all Beverly and others did during their long careers for so many of us.

Respectfully Submitted,

Dale Hoffman, CPL