

# City of Lakewood

# SUSTAINABILITY AWARDS

2010

DEFENDER OF THE PLANET

**Jalil W. Lassey-Burdeen**



**Jalil W. Lassey-Burdeen** gave up both his spring break and summer vacation last year in order to work on volunteer projects at Bear Creek Lake Park. Over the past two years, Jalil has donated more than 100 volunteer hours to various natural area volunteer projects across Colorado. Jalil has endured early morning start times, adverse weather conditions, and tough physical labor to accomplish his goals.

Volunteer project leaders who have worked with Jalil appreciate his thoughtfulness, enthusiasm, and passion for Colorado's public lands. The City of Lakewood is proud to recognize Jalil as a 2010 Defender of the Planet.

## Project Achievement Area

- Preservation of Ecology & Biodiversity
- Community Engagement

