



**Massachusetts**

# **Interfaith Power & Light**

*honors*

## **Senator Jarrett T. Barrios**

*with our “Environmental Advocate” Award. Senator Barrios is the lead sponsor of the Environmental Justice Bill, which proposes to identify communities that have borne more than their share of environmental hazards and to provide the resources to clean them up. He also created a first-of-its-kind partnership to enhance open space and improve parkland along the Charles River. Senator Barrios strongly backed the Community Preservation Act, which established regulations for new growth and the protection of open space. He also helped defeat anti-environment amendments by Republican legislators. Further, Senator Barrios co-sponsored the Livable Communities Bill, which promoted sustainable development. Because of these brave stands and leadership, Senator Barrios was endorsed by both Clean Water Action and the League of Environmental Voters.*

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Thomas E. Nutt-Powell  
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Co-Founder and Treasurer

*Signed on this Twenty-fourth day of April 2005.*

