



GOVERNOR ARNOLD SCHWARZENEGGER

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California Wine Celebration

I am pleased to offer my warm greetings to California's winemakers as you embark on the 2006 wine grape harvest with the "California Wine Celebration."

California's rich soil and temperate climate is fertile ground for the hopes and dreams of hard working wine grape growers and vintners. With thousands of vineyards serving more than 1600 wineries, we are proud of our many wine grape growers who contribute to our flourishing agricultural industry.

Your ingenuity and enterprise have established the Golden State as the fourth largest wine producer in the world. I applaud those in our winemaking industry for your steadfast commitment to the highest standards of excellence.

Please accept my best wishes for a fruitful harvest season and every continued success.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, reading "Arnold Schwarzenegger".

Arnold Schwarzenegger