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H-F HIGH SCHOOL'S ALANA HERNANDEZ SERVES ON ABRAHAM LINCOLN HIGH SCHOOL BOOK AWARD READER PANEL

Flossmoor, IL, March 3rd, 2009 – H-F High School's Alana Hernandez served on the Abraham Lincoln High School Book Award Reader Panel on Saturday, March 1st. She met with a group of teachers, librarians, and students from across Illinois to choose the final list of 22 books nominated for the 2010 award.

The Abraham Lincoln Award is awarded annually to the author of the book voted as most outstanding by participating students in grades nine through twelve in Illinois. The award is named for Abraham Lincoln, one of Illinois' most famous residents and himself an avid reader and noted author. The award is sponsored by the Illinois School Library Media Association (ISLMA). The Abraham Lincoln Award is designed to encourage high school students to read for personal satisfaction and become familiar with authors of young adult and adult books (<http://www.islma.org/lincoln.htm>).

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