

CALL FOR NOMINATIONS

2015 Preservation Awards



Historic Kansas City is accepting nominations for our annual Preservation Awards. Award categories cover a broad array of preservation issues in order to encourage nominations from a wide range of professionals and disciplines. Students are also encouraged to nominate.

Nominations are due Friday January 29th 2016. The nomination process is very simple—it will just take a few minutes of your time. The awards ceremony will occur on Monday, March 14th at Boulevard Brewery.

Awards:

Best Adaptive Re-Use: Awarded to a project that is an exemplary example of a creative, innovative and appropriate re-use of a historic structure. The current use of the building must differ from its historical use.

Best Preservation Practices: Awarded to a project that has undergone work in preservation, rehabilitation, restoration or reconstruction. For more information visit www.nps.gov/hps/tps/standguide/

Contemporary Design in a Historic Context: Awarded to a project that displays appropriate and innovative contemporary design in a historic context.

Community Catalyst: Awarded to a project, individual, business or group that has greatly contributed to the reinvestment in or revitalization of a historic neighborhood.

Innovation in Preservation: Awarded to a person, group, project or idea that displays innovation in the field of preservation.

Preservation and Sustainability: Awarded to a building, idea, group, publication, film or other project that goes above and beyond to promote preservation as a green activity.

Richard Nadeau Award: Awarded to an individual or group willing to go the extra mile and be a tireless advocate for preservation. Embodies and embraces the idea that “advocacy is the willingness to annoy people.”

Jane Flynn Award: Awarded to an individual or group whose actions have greatly impacted preservation in Kansas City--has fought a preservation battle, worked tirelessly to preserve a structure or neighborhood, or has promoted preservation through planning and public policy.

George Ehrlich Award: Awarded to a group or individual for an outstanding publication in preservation, history, urban design or a related topic.

Nomination Criteria and Guidelines:

- The individual, group or project must be located in the greater Kansas City area.
- The project must have been completed or the activity must have taken place in the calendar year 2015.
- HKC will accept both self-nominations and nominations without the knowledge of the nominee.
- Awards may not be given in all categories and, in special cases, more than one award per category may be made.
- Students are encouraged to apply.
- Nominations will automatically be considered for all applicable categories.
- Awards are chosen and conferred at the discretion of the Historic Kansas City Foundation Board of Directors.

To Nominate:

Nominations are due January 29th, 2016. Nomination fees are as follows:

- Corporate/For-Profit Projects: \$250, waived for HKC Business Members
- Nonprofit and Individual Homeowner Projects: \$50 per project, waived for HKC Members
- Student Work: Free

Email acrawley@historickansascity.org the following:

- Nominee (also include whether it is an individual, group, project or other)
- Nominee and Nominator contact information
- Project location, if applicable
- Paragraph describing why the project, individual or group is deserving
- Up to 10 pictures, as applicable
- Category for consideration (optional)

Submit nominations as a slideshow (PDF or Powerpoint) with copies of JPEG pictures attached to the email or mailed on disc. The jury will review the slideshow presentation. If selected for an award, the JPEG pictures will be used in the awards presentation.

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