

Bartlett Historic Preservation Awards

Purpose:

The Bartlett Historic Preservation Commission (BHPC) Awards have been established effective December 2011 to recognize and honor those businesses, foundations and individuals who have displayed consistent and exemplary support of the arts and historic conservation in Bartlett, TN. These awards focus attention on the importance of the arts and conservation as they relate to the quality of life in our community and honor those who have made major creative achievements or significant contributions.

The Bartlett Historic Preservation Awards are presented by the Mayor and Board of Aldermen based on nominations from the BHPC.

General Qualifications:

ELIGIBILITY: Any individual or individuals, business, organization, or institution currently residing in Bartlett, TN and/or involved in arts, cultural activities or historic preservation that benefits the City of Bartlett is eligible to be nominated.

INELIGIBILITY: Ineligibility includes any self-nominations, posthumous nominations and previous BHPC Award winners. If needed, the BHPC will make decisions on any unusual circumstances.

NOMINATIONS: Nominations are accepted from Bartlett, TN citizens and organizations seeking to recognize individual artists, art educators, advocates, organizations, individual patrons, and patron organizations. Nominations may be submitted with or without the knowledge of the nominee.

SELECTION: Award recipients will be chosen from among the nominees by members of the BHPC. At the discretion of the panel, selections may include more than one award. Conversely, the panel may decide not to give an award in every category.

Award Categories:

1. Community Arts and Culture Recognition Award
2. Residential Real Estate Preservation Award
3. Commercial Real Estate Preservation Award

Award Details:

Community Arts and Culture Recognition Award

The BHPC recognizes that a great community demonstrates the value it places on the presence of arts and culture in community life. The purpose of the *Community Arts and Culture Recognition Award* is to promote arts and culture in the Bartlett community by recognizing excellence and initiative in bringing arts and culture into community life.

General Award Considerations:

1. Individual Artist – Given to an artist actively working in such categories as Choreography, Music Composition, Film/Video, Theatre, Interdisciplinary/ Performance Art, Two-Dimensional Visual Art and/or Three-Dimensional Visual Art, who has shown outstanding achievement.
2. Special Project – Given to a neighborhood, business, corporation or group that has provided support for a single event or project.
3. Youth Recognition Award – Given to a high school and/or middle school student who has shown outstanding achievement and development in cultural arts.
4. Business Award – Given to a business or foundation providing broad-based and continued support of cultural arts through its operation.

Residential Real Estate Preservation Award
and
Commercial Real Estate Preservation Award

The *Residential Real Estate Preservation Award* and the *Commercial Real Estate Preservation Award* seek to recognize those residential and commercial real estate owners who have endeavored to preserve and improve historic or prominent properties located within the city of Bartlett. Nomination is open to all individuals, businesses, organizations and institutions that have conserved cultural heritage resources or have demonstrated commitment to the conservation of cultural heritage resources within the City of Bartlett.

General Award Requirements:

1. The conservation project involves a cultural heritage resource and conserves the heritage attributes and values associated with the cultural heritage resource.
2. The conservation project is located within the City of Bartlett.
3. The conservation project is complete.
4. The conservation project obtained all required approvals such as building and heritage permits.
5. The conservation project has not received a previous BHPC Award for the same work or project.
6. The individual, business, organization or institution has made exceptional or long lasting contributions to the conservation of cultural heritage resources within the City of Bartlett.
7. The conservation project is compatible with the original cultural heritage resource and surrounding neighborhood.
8. The conservation project is consistent with recognized heritage conservation standards.

**Bartlett Historic Preservation Commission
Nomination Form
Bartlett Historic Preservation Awards**

Date: _____
Nominee's Name _____
Address: _____
City/State/ZIP: _____
Phone Number: _____

Award:

- Community Arts and Culture Recognition Award
- Residential Real Estate Preservation Award
- Commercial Real Estate Preservation Award

Recipient Category:

- Individual(s)
- Business
- Institution
- Organization

Explain how the individual, business, organization or institution has made an effort to support the arts or has displayed an exceptional and/or long lasting contribution to the conservation of cultural heritage.
Include pictures and/or any relevant supporting documentation.

Nominated By: _____
Address: _____
City/State/ZIP: _____
Phone Number: _____
Wish to remain anonymous: Yes _____ No _____

Please complete and return to:
Bartlett Historic Preservation Commission
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901-385-6417, samharris@cityofbartlett.org

Procedures and Form Approved and Ratified by
Bartlett Historic Preservation Commission: November 21, 2011 (Amended March 2014)