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2017 MISSOULA HISTORIC PRESERVATION AWARDS OPEN FOR NOMINATIONS

The annual Missoula Historic Preservation awards honor those who work to preserve and restore the places in our community that lend so much character to our life here. Have you or your neighbor transformed a wreck of a building into a livable wonder? The Missoula Historic Preservation Commission is seeking nominations for the 2017 Missoula Historic Preservation Awards. Nominations are due March 2.

The commission wishes to recognize individuals and organizations for restoring an old house, for designing an addition that is compatible with the historic character of the neighborhood, for carrying out painting projects that emphasize the historic architectural elements of a home or historic business, or for contributing to community preservation as an individual or group. Such recognition has been shown to help inspire new projects that continue to make Missoula a great place to live.

The 25th Annual Missoula Historic Preservation Awards are judged by the Missoula Historic Preservation Commission, with the individuals and groups honored at a public awards event during May, National Historic Preservation Month. Projects must have been **completed** in 2013, 2014, 2015 or 2016.

CATEGORIES

- Commercial & Residential Restoration
- Compatible New Construction and Additions
- Renovation & Rehabilitation
- Maintenance & Repair
- Painted Lady
- Adaptive Reuse

Site & Landscape Preservation
Preservation Information & Education
Individual or Group Contribution
Honorable Mention award for projects completed outside the 2013-2016 period

DEADLINE for Nominations—March 2, 2017

Nomination forms can be downloaded from the City's Historic Preservation web page at
<http://www.ci.missoula.mt.us/1713/Awards>

Nomination forms are also available at Development Services, 435 Ryman St. in Missoula, or by e-mail request to lmeans@ci.missoula.mt.us.

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