HISTORIC KANSAS CITY FOUNDATION HONORS 2011 PRESERVATION AWARDS RECIPIENTS

December 8, 2011  On Wednesday, December 7th the Historic Kansas City Foundation honored the recipients of the 2011 Preservation Awards. The reception and awards presentation were held in UMKC’s Katz Hall at 5005 Rockhill Road from 5:30pm -7:30pm. Scott Lane, President, and Amanda Crawley, Executive Director, presented the awards. Over 100 people attended, including community groups, developers, project architects, project consultants, HKCF members and members of the public. This year the award categories covered a vast array of preservation issues in order to celebrate efforts from a wide range of professions and disciplines. Eligible projects and activities must have taken place in the calendar year 2010 or 2011.

Recipients are as follows:

Rehabilitation:  Awarded to a project that successfully incorporates the Secretary of the Interior’s Standards for rehabilitation

Honorable Mention: Grand Boulevard Lofts, 1006 Grand
Merit Award: Chatham Apartments, 3701 Broadway
Excellence Award: St. Mary’s Parish Hall, 1307 Holmes

Restoration:  Awarded to a project that successfully incorporates the Secretary of the Interior’s Standards for restoration

Excellence Award: Oppenstein House, 3727 Holmes

Adaptive Reuse:  Awarded to a project that is an exemplary example of a creative, innovative and appropriate reuse of a historic structure.

Honorable Mention: Katz Hall, 5005 Rockhill Road
Merit Award: Courthouse Lofts, 811 Grand
Excellence Award: Todd Bolender Center for Dance and Creativity, 106 W. 14th Street

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

Merit Award: Reeves Wiedeman Co. Headquarters, 3635 Main St.
Excellence Award: Roanoke Park Conservancy Project

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

Honorable Mention: Green Impact Zone of Missouri
Merit Awards: Friends of the Plaza: Use of Social Media
Johnson County Museum: Master Plan for the Museum of Suburbia and Suburban Policy Forum
Excellence Award: KC Modern

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

Merit Award: Elmwood Cemetery: Stories of Kansas City
Excellence Award: Pendleton Heights: Then and Now

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.

Sally Fullerton Schwenk

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.”

Dan Cofran
Vicki Noteis

Lifetime Achievement Award:

Ted Seligson, FAIA

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