

HISTORIC KANSAS CITY'S

ANNUAL MEETING



A Year in Review

May 17th 2017



18th & Vine Design Guidelines

Advocacy

- HKC was awarded a \$20,000 grant from the National Endowment for the Arts to prepare design guidelines for the 18th and Vine area of Kansas City. This project is now underway and should be completed by December 2017.
- Formed successful working coalitions with Plaza/Westport Neighborhood avocation, Plaza area groups, West Plaza Neighborhood Association, Rockhill and Southmoreland neighborhoods to advocate for neighborhood issues. Many of these efforts have yielded significant “wins” for historic preservation.
- Formed a dynamic coalition of HKC members and Westport neighborhood activists which raised \$25,000 for a historic resource survey to document its history.
- Successfully lobbied the Kansas City Council to require Plaza area development proposals to conform with recently adopted Midtown Plaza Area Plan (MPAP).



Westport Survey

Policy

- Worked to rescind the destructive Development Code amendments which politicized history preservation decisions and led to the destruction of irreplaceable historic structures.

Historic Structures Saved!

- Rescued 4 historic properties at 100-400 Armour Boulevard with the assistance of Councilwoman Kathryn Shields; these buildings were formerly slated for demolition but are now being restored to high preservation standards.



Armour Boulevard Buildings

Successes

- With the help of the William T. Kemper Foundation, produced an award winning walking tour brochure of the Country Club Plaza which has received public acclaim and is being distributed through Kansas City hotels and visitors centers.
- With our affiliate group the Young Preservationist leading the way, mounted the 3rd annual Old House Expo, which provides workshops, lectures and one-on-one interaction between restoration professionals and old house owners.
- Held our Annual Preservation Awards program to honor the many successful preservation projects that are completed each year in Kansas City. This program honors advocates, developers, financial institutions, construction groups, architects and other preservation professionals and showcases some outstanding projects.



3rd Annual Old House Expo



Preservation Awards

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2016 FINANCIALS



Revenue	2015	2016
Individual Contributions	\$54,318	\$65,909
Corporate Contributions	\$7,475	\$23,990
Programs	\$14,136	\$45,355
Grants	\$10,300	\$45,000
Legacies and Bequests	\$7,491	\$26,175
TOTAL	\$93,720	\$206,429

In-Kind Support

- Board of Directors: 3,000 hours, \$60,000 value
- Volunteers: 2,500 hours, \$30,000 value
- Legal and Professional Services: \$15,000 value
- Office Space: \$17,000 value

Historic Kansas City is a registered 501c3 non-profit organization. HKC contracts with an outside bookkeeping service and a CPA for year-end tax documents. Rates for volunteer hours are standard for the MO State Historic Preservation Office.

Expenses	2015	2016
Advocacy and Personnel	\$64,403	\$51,990
Programs	\$5,165	\$74,710
Contract Specialty Services	\$4,708	\$30,536
Operating	\$18,637	\$18,081
TOTAL	\$92,913	\$174,317

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