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City of Fort Pierce Awards 2012 Treasure Galleon Historic Preservation Awards

The City of Fort Pierce recently presented over 30 awards of recognition to individuals, businesses and organizations that have given new life to their community through preservation. These efforts include citizen attempts to save and maintain important landmarks, as well as architects, craftspeople and developers whose exemplary work restores the richness of the past. The awards were presented by the City's Historic Preservation Officer, Leslie Olson on May 31, 2012 at the Sunrise Theatre's Black Box in the following categories:

Commercial Rehabilitation-Exterior Rehabilitation

Exemplary Achievement: Whimsy Boutique: 521 North 2nd Street
Meritorious Achievement: 405 South 7th Street
Honorable Mention: Granny's Kitchen: 901 Avenue D

Residential Rehabilitation- Exterior Rehabilitation

Exemplary Achievement: 1503 Boston Avenue, Philip Grindley
Exemplary Achievement: 532 N. 2nd Street, Matt Hurley and Keith Lustig
Meritorious Achievement: 532 N. 2nd Street, Robert Shoemaker

Infill Redevelopment-New Construction High Architectural Quality Design

Exemplary Achievement: 520 N. 11th Street, Cook and Menard Architecture

Non-Profit Rehabilitation- Exterior Rehabilitation to a Historic Structure:

Exemplary Achievement: 1234 Avenue D, Lincoln Park Main Street & Fort Pierce
Redevelopment Agency
Meritorious Achievement: 1007 Avenue D, First Born Church of the Living God;

Adaptive Reuse - Adapting a historic structure for a different type of use than the current use:

Exemplary Achievement: 407/409 N. Second Street, Hill Photography Studio, Charlie Hayek
Exemplary Achievement: 301 S. U.S. Highway 1, Emporium Antiques, Linda Kroon;
Exemplary Achievement: 315 S. 7th Street, Cook and Menard Architecture

Interior Rehabilitation, Commercial - Adherence to standards on the interior of a commercial rehabilitation: Whimsy Boutique, 521 N. 2nd Street;

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Interior Rehabilitation, Residential – Adherence to standards on the interior of a residential rehabilitation

716 S. 10th Street, Kara Wood and Randy Morris

Green Preservation, Residential - Rehabilitation/Restoration of historic structures using green technologies:

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Green Preservation, Commercial - Rehabilitation/Restoration of historic structures using green technologies:

Exemplary Achievement: 148 N. Depot Drive, S&S Takeout Restaurant

Meritorious Achievement: 117 S. 2nd Street, Sunrise Theatre

Unwrapping - Restoring a component of a historic structure which has been covered

Exemplary Achievement: 518 N. 2nd Street, Removing shingles to reveal original bevel clapboard;

Meritorious Achievement: 315 S. 7th Street, re-opening an enclosed front porch

Preservation Education – Neighborhood organization and education of historic preservation through annual Candlelight Home Tour - Oakland Park

Organizational Achievement - A group dedicated to the goals of historic preservation making a significant contribution to the City:

Non Profit: Edgartown Working Group, community organization to pursue zoning change in historic district;

For-Profit: Cook & Menard Architecture, portfolio and history of historic rehabilitation projects

Weekend Warrior - Owner-occupant who has (nearly) single-handedly learned the art of historic preservation: Robert Shoemaker, 532 N. 2nd Street;

Cultural Landscapes - Historic Preservation's lifetime achievement award for historic preservation efforts:

Bud Adams, PP Cobb Building, Adams Ranch, documentation of historic cultural landscapes through photography;

Most Improved Block – Residential 2nd Street, Cedar to Avenue E, Edgartown Historic District

Most Improved Block –Commercial Orange Avenue & 5th Street

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