

Heritage Awards Nomination Information

NOMINATION GUIDELINES

Preservation Utah is seeking nominations for its annual Heritage Awards honoring excellence in historic preservation throughout Utah. The purpose of the Heritage Awards is to recognize projects, organizations, agencies, and individuals that exemplify the highest standards within the preservation movement. If you know of a project, individual, or group deserving of statewide recognition, <u>fill out the digital nomination form</u> and send the required supporting materials listed below to Preservation Utah. If you have questions, please contact Preservation Utah Associate Director Kelsey Maas at kelsey@preservationutah.org.

AWARD CATEGORIES

Rehabilitation and Restoration

Historic buildings or sites that have been stabilized, rehabilitated, or restored. Residential, commercial, civic, and religious projects are eligible. Projects must be completed in order to be eligible.

Adaptive Reuse Projects

Projects that have successfully adapted a historic building for a new use. Residential, commercial, civic, and religious projects are eligible. Projects must be completed with the past five years.

Individual or Organization

Those who have made a significant contribution to historic preservation in Utah in the past five years or exemplified the value of stewardship by preserving the historic character of a historic building or site over time through regular and appropriate maintenance. The individuals and/or organizations that receive this award may represent a variety of disciplines and may be volunteers, grassroots activists, craftsmen, government agencies or paid professionals. Residential, commercial, civic, and religious properties are considered.

Legacy Businesses and/or Heritage Organizations

Includes small businesses and non-profit and/or community organizations that are thirty years of age or older and have made a significant impact on the history and culture of their community. They must be active and be able to show their contributions and impact on their community.

NOMINATION DEADLINE

Online application must be submitted and corresponding materials must be sent by March 1, 2022.

THE JURY

Preservation Utah invites preservation experts to review each nomination for Heritage Awards. Individuals serving on the jury change yearly and include representatives from the various organizations such as the State Historic Preservation Office, Preservation Utah Board of Trustees, National Trust for Historic Preservation, City Landmarks organizations and grassroots preservation groups. The jury will review all nominations submitted by the deadline and reserves the right to change the nominated category to best suit the project.

AWARDS PRESENTATION

Heritage Awards recipients will be notified by early summer. All recipients will be honored at Preservation Utah's Heritage Awards & Gala ceremony in Salt Lake City.

APPLICATION MATERIALS

- A completed <u>online application</u> (required).
- Visual materials documenting the project. These photos are to be used in the program. We recommend at least 10 different images. All visuals must be labeled or accompanied by a key. They should relate to the narrative and should depict the project before and after completion. Any visuals given to Preservation Utah may be used in publicity associated with the Heritage Award program (required).
- A list of all parties involved who should receive recognition in the form of a certificate acknowledging their work on the project (optional).
- Up to two letters of support are encouraged but not required (optional).
- If applicable, architectural drawings, site plans, or feasibility studies may be included (optional).

Application materials beyond the online application should be sent to kelsey@preservationutah.org.

