

# City of Las Vegas

## AGENDA MEMO

**HISTORIC PRESERVATION COMMISSION MEETING OF: FEBRUARY 28, 2024**

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**DEPARTMENT: COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT**

**DIRECTOR: SETH T. FLOYD, ESQ.**

**HISTORIC PRESERVATION OFFICER: DR. DIANE SIEBRANDT**

Action

Report

### **SUBJECT:**

**24-0082-HPC1** - Report by the Community Development Department regarding the 2024 Historic Preservation Month Awards

### **PURPOSE/BACKGROUND:**

Historic Preservation Month was established in 1973 by the National Trust for Historic Preservation. The event is now co-sponsored by local preservation groups, state historical societies, business and civic organizations across the country. During the month of May many events are planned to promote historic places for the purpose of instilling national and community pride, promoting heritage tourism, and showing the social and economic benefits of historic preservation.

Since 2003 the HPC has promoted the importance of historic preservation through the annual "Excellence in Historic Preservation" award program during the month of May. Commissioners can nominate individuals and/or organizations to receive an award in the follow categories: (1) Bricks and Mortar; (2) Preservation Education; (3) Advocacy; and (4) Career Achievement.

Commissioners are given the opportunity to complete nomination forms and submit to Staff by Wednesday, March 20, 2024.

Nominations will be voted on during the April 22, 2024 meeting and awards will be handed out at the May meeting.

### **RECOMMENDATION:**

Report only; No action required

### **BACKUP DOCUMENTATION:**

1. Past Winners
2. Nomination Form
3. Nomination Categories