

## **CALL FOR AWARD NOMINATIONS!**

The CT State Historic Preservation Office (SHPO) is requesting nominations for two awards to be announced at the SHPO's statewide conference on May 18<sup>th</sup>.

### **Municipal Leadership Award**

The Municipal Leadership Award recognizes a municipality for the promotion of a local historic preservation initiative during the last year. The award may be given to a local official, either elected or appointed; to a local commission or commissioner; to a municipal department, team, or staff member; or to an entire municipality. The award is intended to honor municipal leaders who support and encourage historic preservation on a regular basis through their actions.

Achievements may include renewed commitments to support historic preservation through the creation of innovative partnerships, devotion of staff time to preservation issues, integration of historic preservation into community planning, or consistent consideration of cultural resources in planning for development.

### **Progress in Preservation Award**

The Progress in Preservation Award recognizes an individual, group, organization, or university for a specific project achievement that led to a greater appreciation of historic properties and cultural resources in the community. Examples may include, but not be limited to, efforts to promote community or student engagement in historic preservation activities, the creation of historic preservation curriculum or educational programs, the creation of historic preservation advocacy groups, integration of historic properties into local or regional planning data or documents, cultural resources survey programs, successful rehabilitation projects, or changes in local regulations sensitive to historic preservation issues.

**To submit your nomination, please email Jenny Scofield, [jenny.scofield@ct.gov](mailto:jenny.scofield@ct.gov) by April 3<sup>rd</sup>.**

Please include the following information in your email:

1. Your name and contact information
2. For which award you are making the nomination
3. Name of nominee (person, municipality, or organization responsible for the achievement). Please also note who can be present on May 18 to accept an award, if chosen
4. Description of the project or achievement, its impact on the community, and a brief explanation of why you feel the nominee deserves the award (250 words or less)
5. Any other supplemental information that supports the nomination (e.g. photos, articles, videos, etc)

**CT State Historic Preservation Office Statewide Conference**

**May 18, 2017 from 8:30-3:30**

**Nathan Hale Inn, 855 Bolton Road, Storrs**

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