



## 2013 Fort Lauderdale Historic Preservation Commendation Awards

The City of Fort Lauderdale would like to congratulate the winners of the 2nd annual Fort Lauderdale Historic Preservation Commendation awards. Presented by the City's Historic Preservation Board, the awards were created to honor outstanding historic preservation achievements by individuals, students, organizations and businesses. The awards are intended to celebrate and encourage the preservation, restoration and adaptive use of Fort Lauderdale's historic buildings, sites, and resources.

The awards ceremony took place on May 30<sup>th</sup> at the Fort Lauderdale Woman's Club and was hosted by the City's Historic Preservation Board and staff from the Department of Sustainable Development, Division of Urban Design & Planning.

### Award Winners

#### Continued Preservation or Use

For any actively preserved historic structure still used for its original or similar function. The building must be well maintained, has retained its original appearance, and has had no major alterations to its original fabric. Eligible examples include, but are not limited to, schools, stores, diners, factories, firehouses, banks or ecclesiastical buildings.

*Winner: Progresso Plaza*

#### Rehabilitation or Restoration Project

For the successful rehabilitation or restoration of a historic resource for original or public use. Eligible examples include, but are not limited to, buildings, bridges, cemeteries, historic landscapes, monuments, or the excavation of an archaeological site. Projects on portions of a historic building, such as the restoration of a wing, will also be considered.

*Winner: The Chimney House Grill and Café*

#### Sustainable/Green Rehabilitation

For the successful rehabilitation or restoration of a historic resource utilizing LEED principles. Eligible examples include, but are not limited to, buildings, bridges, cemeteries, historic landscapes, monuments, or the excavation of an archaeological site. Projects on portions of a historic building, such as the restoration of a wing, will also be considered.

*Winner: West Side School; Williams House; Gilda's Club Garden*

### Adaptive Use/Reuse

For the successful rehabilitation of a historic structure for a new use while maximizing the retention of the structure's distinctive materials and architectural integrity.

*Winner: Williams House/Gilda's Club*

### Historic Preservation Leadership

For individuals, groups or agencies who have exhibited outstanding leadership in historic preservation in the City of Fort Lauderdale.

*Winner: Mount Hermon AME Church*

### Historic Preservation Education

For specific educational programs, publications, media projects, exhibitions or other efforts that specifically contribute and increase our knowledge about historic preservation in the City of Fort Lauderdale.

*Winner: Helen Landers*