



# MISSOURI PRESERVATION

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## **Missouri Preservation Announces 2023 Honor Award Recipients**

Non-profit organization the Missouri Alliance for Historic Preservation (Missouri Preservation) announces their 2023 list of Honor Award recipients.

April 25, 2023

On Tuesday, April 25, 2023 the Missouri Alliance for Historic Preservation (Missouri Preservation) presented its 2023 Honor Awards at a ceremony in Jefferson City in the Capitol first floor rotunda. A luncheon reception followed at the Millbottom Event Center.

This is the 43<sup>rd</sup> annual Honor Awards held by Missouri Preservation. The Awards recognize people and projects that have advanced the field of Historic Preservation in Missouri. This year eleven recipients were recognized for their contributions, including individual building projects, long-term preservation initiatives, published works, and lifetime achievements.

### About Missouri Preservation

Founded in 1976 as the Missouri Heritage Trust, Missouri Preservation has evolved into a respected grassroots network of individuals, organizations, and preservation commissions throughout Missouri. Missouri Preservation advocates for, educates about, and assists in the preservation of architectural and historic landmarks that embody Missouri's unique heritage and sense of place.

This year's award recipients are:

### The Rozier Award

Named in honor of Elizabeth McReynolds Rozier, one of the founding members of Missouri Preservation and a noted Jefferson City Preservationist, the Rozier Award was established to recognize individuals who have made significant achievements in the field of historic preservation in Missouri. This is Missouri Preservation's most prestigious annual award.

### **Susan G. Rehkopf**

University City, Saint Louis County

### Osmund Overby Award

The Overby Award was established to recognize published works that contribute to the documentation and interpretation of Missouri's architectural history. It honors Dr. Osmund

Overby, Art History Professor Emeritus and former head of the historic preservation program at the University of Missouri, Columbia. Dr. Overby was a founding member of Missouri Preservation, lifetime board and advisory member and a nationally recognized leader in historic preservation.

***Coloring St. Louis: A Coloring Book for All Ages***  
**By Andrew Wanko, art by Rori! | Missouri Historical Society Press**  
Saint Louis City

***Lost Jefferson City***  
**By Michelle Brooks | The History Press**  
Jefferson City, Cole County

McReynolds Awards

The McReynolds Awards, named in honor of Elizabeth McReynolds Rozier, are given annually to individuals or groups who have made significant achievements in the field or are in the midst of a long-term preservation project, creating synergy in the field of historic preservation. The McReynolds awards are among the most important awards given out each year by the organization.

**Rise Community Development**  
Saint Louis City

**Jill Aboussie | City Restoration & Revival LLC**  
Saint Louis City

**Ellen & Gary Dolan | Friends of the Thompson House, Inc.**  
Trenton, Grundy County

Preserve Missouri Awards

The Preserve Missouri awards recognize the outstanding efforts and projects around the state. Suggested categories include, but are not limited to: Commercial Revitalization, Institutional/Civic Building Restoration, Neighborhood Revitalization, Residential Rehabilitation, Historic Landscape Preservation, Rural Preservation, and Preservationist-in-Action.

**Woodneath Branch | Mid-Continent Public Library**  
Kansas City, Jackson County

**Oglesby Hotel Apartments**  
Kansas City, Jackson County

**Casa Di Vite**  
Excelsior Springs, Clay County

**Malone Apartments**  
Saint Louis City

**Boots Court**  
Carthage, Jasper County

**Muir-Willard Project**  
Joplin, Jasper County

**Ashcroft Hall Renovation | College of the Ozarks**  
Point Lookout, Taney County

**Cape Girardeau City Hall Restoration & Addition**  
Cape Girardeau, Cape Girardeau County

Follow this link to a complete listing with full text on each of our award recipients:

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