

Celebrate Edmonton's history: Call for nominations

Nominations are now open for the Edmonton Historical Board's Historical Plaques and Recognition Awards. The Recognition Awards honour individuals and groups that have made outstanding contributions to shaping or preserving the history of Edmonton, while the Historical Plaques are presented to historic buildings, building fragments or sites within Edmonton.

The Historical Plaques have been awarded since 1974 to buildings and sites including McCauley School, Strathcona Library and the John Walter House. The Recognition Awards followed in 1975, with previous recipients including the Fort Edmonton Foundation, Legacy Magazine and the Muslim Pioneers of Edmonton.

To nominate an individual, group or building, please completed the Historical Plaque or Recognition Award nomination form <u>online</u>. Deadline for nominations is April 15. Each nomination is reviewed in detail and recommended nonourees will be contacted. The Annual Historical Plaques and Recognition Awards presentation will take place February, 2017.

The Edmonton Historical Board is an advisory board to City Council that promotes and advocates for the preservation and documentation of Edmonton's historical resources and heritage. The group was formed as the Archives and Landmarks Committee in 1947 and later renamed in 1966.

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