

THE CITY OF SAN DIEGO

Historical Resources Board

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Historical Resources Board Presents Annual Awards

SAN DIEGO – On Thursday, May 22, 2003, the City of San Diego Historical Resources Board presented its annual Awards of Excellence for Historic Preservation. The awards were given at the Board's regular monthly hearing in celebration of National Historic Preservation Week.

The Historical Resources Board annually gives special recognition to the people and projects that most significantly reflect the best of the year in historic preservation. This year awards in eight categories were presented to the following individuals:

- SUSAN HECTOR, PH.D., in the category of Archaeology for her expertise and commitment to completing the San Dieguito River Valley Inventory of Archaeological Resources. An award for the same project was also presented to LYNNE CHRISTENSON, PH.D., for her initiation of the project and grant, and support throughout the process.
- **KATHLEEN FLANIGAN,** in the category of **Individual Accomplishment** for her many years of dedication and material contributions to the field of historic preservation in San Diego.
- **ANNA TATAR,** City of San Diego Library Department, in the category of **Agency** for her cooperative spirit in supporting historical designation in conjunction with the expansion of the Ocean Beach Branch Library and other library projects.
- **JOHN FRY,** in the category of **History** for his dedication to increasing the body of knowledge about the history of Pacific Beach and sharing it with the public.
- SHARON SMITH, United States Marine Corps, in the category of Cultural Landscape for her cooperative spirit and dedication in ensuring the integrity of the historical Marine Corps Recruit Depot.

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- **KAREN HUFF**, in the category of **Cultural Diversity** for her contributions to the body of knowledge about the history of San Diego's African American community.
- Residents of Burlingame including VICKI GRANOWITZ, JANET RUSSELL, JUDY BROWN, JUDITH O'BOYLE, PETER DENNEHY, AND JERRY DORAN in the category of Community History for their dedication and hard work establishing the Burlingame Voluntary Historical District.
- Community members LOUISE TORIO, DAVID SWARENS, JUAN AND ROSIE
 ULLOA, MARY KELLY, LUZ PALOMINO, JAMES JUSTUS, AND ESTELA
 RUBACABLA-KLINK in the category of Special Award for their voluntary
 commitment to ensure that the new Jack in the Box Restaurant reflects the character of
 the Sherman Heights Historical District.
- Awards for the same project were also presented to MIKE WALTERSCHEID, Jack in
 the Box Inc., for making the necessary corporate commitments to develop the project in a
 manner consistent with the Sherman Heights Historical District design guidelines; to
 Architect TRACY LINDQUIST, for achieving a balance between the Sherman Heights
 Historical District historical guidelines and corporate specifications in designing the new
 restaurant; and to BRIAN SCHOENFISCH, City of San Diego Planning Department,
 for his guidance and dedication as Community Planner to implementing the Sherman
 Heights Historical District design guidelines.

The City of San Diego's Historical Resources Board is a City Advisory Board comprised of 15 members appointed by the Mayor and confirmed by the City Council. Membership is required to represent the following disciplines: architecture, history, architectural history, archaeology and landscape architecture. Other disciplines that may be represented are law, real estate, engineering, general contracting, finance, planning or fine arts, and should reflect diverse neighborhood representation and have demonstrated a special interest in historical preservation. For more information please call Board Secretary Barbara Hubbard at (619) 533-6307.