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# SPONSORSHIP 2026



Landmarks Association of St. Louis

1805 South 9th Street  
St. Louis, MO 63104

# ABOUT LANDMARKS



Landmarks Association of St. Louis has worked tirelessly for over 66 years to preserve and promote the rich architectural heritage of St. Louis. Our organization was founded in 1959 in response to the growing concern over the loss of many of the city's historic buildings. Since then, we've been at the forefront of the fight to protect and celebrate the unique architectural legacy that makes St. Louis such a special place.

Our mission is simple: to preserve and promote St. Louis' architectural heritage. We do this through a range of programs and initiatives, including advocacy, education, and brick & mortar restoration. We work closely with property owners, developers, and city officials to ensure that the city's historic buildings are protected and that new development respects the character and integrity of our neighborhoods. We also offer educational programs and tours that allow visitors to learn more about the city's rich architectural history and the importance of preserving it for future generations. At Landmarks Association of St. Louis, we're proud of the work we do, and we're committed to continuing our efforts to preserve and promote the city's unique architectural legacy.

# WHAT WE DO

## Advocacy:

- Assisting in the development and passage of the State Historic Rehabilitation Tax Credit program which resulted in billions invested in St. Louis regional projects.
- Working with the St. Louis City Cultural Resources Office, providing testimony and context when demolition of significant buildings is proposed.
- Pushing City agencies and representatives for more funding to be allocated for the stabilization and revitalization of historic architecture rather than demolition.
- Advocating for a new citywide grant program (developed by Landmarks' staff) that, if implemented, would jumpstart the creation of new historic districts in disinvested areas.

## Education:

- Since 1992 'What Are Buildings Made Of?' is an acclaimed educational program for students of all ages to learn about the region's architectural legacy while incorporating messages on sustainability, artistic & cultural expression, and career paths.
- The spring Lecture Series is a diverse selection of talks about the history, architecture, and culture of the St. Louis Region.

## Events:

- Most Enhanced Awards: This ceremony honors excellence in historic preservation and adaptive reuse to highlight the remarkable work happening in our community.
- Walking Tours: Highlighting downtown St. Louis landmarks and history during walking tours on Saturdays from April through October.



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**Guy Slay**

H. MEADE SUMMERS, JR.  
HONOREE



**Aaron Williams**

VISIONARY HONOREE



**Julia Allen**

VISIONARY HONOREE



**Thomasina Clarke**

VISIONARY HONOREE

## Saturday, October 10, 2026

6:00 - 9:00 PM

La Verona at the Marketplace

4925 Daggett Ave | St. Louis, MO 63110

Landmarks Association of St. Louis is committed to preserving St. Louis' neighborhoods and architectural treasures. With your valued support, for the past 65 years, we have successfully protected neighborhoods and city landmarks and placed over 14,000 buildings on the National Register of Historic Places. Today, we invite you to take a leading role in our mission by becoming a sponsor of our annual fall fundraiser, Savor the Past, Celebrate the Future.

During the event, we will honor **Guy Slay** with the prestigious H. Meade Summers, Jr. Award, recognizing his lifetime contributions to preservation and revitalization of St. Louis's historic architecture. As a sponsor, you will not only help us celebrate his remarkable achievements but also contribute to the Landmarks Association's vital mission.

The Visionary Award will be presented to **4theVille**, a community-driven organization whose work in the Ville neighborhood exemplifies the transformative power of preservation-led revitalization. Accepting the award will be the organization's three co-founders: **Aaron Williams, Julia Allen, and Thomasina Clarke**. The Visionary Award recognizes individuals or organizations whose forward-thinking approach advances the mission of historic preservation in ways that strengthen communities and inspire broader change.

The event draws 200+ guests annually from across the St. Louis region. Politicians, philanthropists, developers, preservationists, architects, civic and neighborhood leaders, and many others make up our attendees. Food, beverages, and entertainment are provided.

# SPONSORSHIPS

We invite you to partner with Landmarks Association of St. Louis on *Celebrate the Past, Savor the Future* on Saturday, October 10, 2026 from 6:00-9:00 p.m. Your sponsorship demonstrates your commitment to the preservation of the historic assets and heritage that make our community special. It will also show your support for this year's H. Meade Summers, Jr. Award honoree, Guy Slay, for his lifetime contributions to the preservation and revitalization of St. Louis' historic architecture and our Visionary Award honoree, 4theVille, accepted by Aaron Williams, Julia Allen, and Thomasina Clarke.

| FEATURES                    | PEDIMENT<br>\$5,000       | CAPITAL<br>\$2,500 | STRUCTURE<br>\$1,000 | FOUNDATION<br>\$500 |
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For questions or more information, please contact  
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Pediment:  
\$5,000

Press release, podium speaking opportunity, 1/2 page program ad, newsletter logo and description, logo on event signage and publicity materials, and 8 tickets to the event.

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Capital:  
\$2,500

Podium announcement, 1/4 page program ad, logo in the newsletter, logo on event signage and publicity materials, and 6 tickets to the event.

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Structure:  
\$1,000

Printed name in the newsletter, on event signage, and publicity materials, and 4 tickets to the event.

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Foundation:  
\$500

Printed name on event signage and publicity materials, and 2 tickets to the event.

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Donation:  
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For anonymous donations, please write in the dollar amount.

**Payments are due September 25, 2026**

(Deadline to be included in the invitation is August 1, 2026)

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