

# CONSERVATION AREA ADVISORY COMMITTEE 18<sup>th</sup> April 2019

**ITEM 08** 

Report of the Strategic Director of Communities and Place

**George Rennie Conservation Awards for Year 2018** 

#### **SUMMARY**

1.1 The annual award is made by the Conservation Area Advisory Committee in memory of the services of a former long standing Conservation Officer for the city, George Rennie who died in 1999.

The Conservation Area Advisory Committee make the awards in recognition of the care and skill taken in conservation projects and high quality new build projects within conservation areas completed in the calendar year of 12 months (within 2018).

Committee members are asked to consider nominating conservation/ restoration projects for the awards in this meeting and then decide which buildings/development, and therefore the owner and their advisors, will receive an award at the next meeting. The arrangements for the Conservation Area Advisory Committee Awards ceremony will also be discussed.

#### **RECOMMENDATION**

- 2.1 That the name of the awards are considered and discussed.
- 2.2 That the buildings/ projects suggested by the Committee to be nominated for the award and/or a commendation at this Conservation Area Advisory Committee.
- 2.3 That the arrangements for the award ceremony are discussed and agreed

## **REASONS FOR RECOMMENDATION**

3.1 Timetable to organise the nominations, awards and the award ceremony.

#### SUPPORTING INFORMATION

- 4.1 This is an annual award for heritage projects within the city. The committee to suggest projects which will be considered and winners agreed at the next meeting.
- 4.2 As a reminder the buildings shortlisted for <u>2015</u> awards were;
  - Britannia Cafe
  - Friar Gate Shop Fronts 13 15a Friar Gate
  - The Old Bell Hotel
  - Former Boots Building corner of St Peter's Street and East Street
  - The Shot Tower, Morledge
  - Liversage Trust for work at Alice Street, Keys Street and Robert Street.

The committee in 2015 awarded The Old Bell Hotel as the winner of the George Rennie Award and gave a highly commended award for the former Boots building repairs.

The buildings shortlisted for 2016 awards were;

- Marble Hall, Nightingale Road
- Lord Nelson, Curzon Street
- Shooz for Kids, Green Lane
- Jules Shop, 45-46 Sadler Gate
- West Mill Wedding Venue, Darley Abbey Mills

The committee awarded in 2016 The West Mill Wedding Venue as the winner of the George Rennie Award, a highly commended to the Lord nelson on Curzon Street and a special commendation to Derby City Council for Marble Hall (Rolls Royce Nightingale Works), Nightingale Road for the vision to bring the building back to life.

The following buildings have been shortlisted for the <u>2017</u> award were;

- The New School, London Road conversion of Art Deco building
- The Mill Manager's House, Darley Abbey Mills repair and conversion to overnight accommodation to be used in conjunction with the Wedding Venue in West Mill.
- 40 St Mary's Gate conversion to a single residential dwelling
- 35 and 36 St Mary's Gate conversion to single house and flats/office accommodation
- Bean Café, Iron gate
- Liversage Trust work at Nottingham Road Conservation Area replacement timber doors and windows

The committee awarded the Main Award in 2017 to the Historic England and Derby City Council Shop front Grant Scheme, gave a Highly commended award to the Liversage Trust work in the Nottingham Road Conservation Area and commended award to 40 St Mary's Gate.

#### OTHER OPTIONS CONSIDERED

5.1 None

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# This report has been approved by the following officers:

| Legal officer           | n/a         |
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| Financial officer       | n/a         |
| Human Resources officer | n/a         |
| Service Director(s)     | Paul Clarke |
| Other(s)                | n/a         |

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### **IMPLICATIONS**

# **Financial and Value for Money**

1.1 None directly arising from the report.

### Legal

2.1 None directly arising from the report.

#### Personnel

3.1 None directly arising from the report.

# **Equalities Impact**

4.1 None directly arising from the report.

## **Health and Safety**

5.1 None directly arising from the report.

# **Environmental Sustainability**

6.1 None directly arising from the report.

### **Asset Management**

7.1 None directly arising from the report.

### **Risk Management**

8.1 None directly arising from the report.

### Corporate objectives and priorities for change

9.1 The project supports current policies.

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