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CITY OF PATERSON
HISTORIC PRESERVATION COMMISSION'S
HISTORIC PRESERVATION AWARDS 2019

WHEN: WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 25 AT 6:30 – 9:30 PM

WHERE: THE BROWNSTONE
351 WEST BROADWAY
PATERSON, NJ 07522

The City of Paterson Historic Preservation Commission invites the public to celebrate and honor notable individuals and organizations at the **20th Annual Historic Preservation Awards Dinner on Wednesday, September 25, 2019 at 6:30 PM at The Brownstone in Paterson.**

Each year, the Commission recognizes those institutions and individuals that have sustained historic preservation through stewardship of public and private historic sites. **Mr. Brian Drost, Jr. and Drost Properties** will be honored with the “Stewardship Award for Outstanding Historic Rehabilitation of a Paterson Historic Commercial Building” for their outstanding efforts to preserve a monumental historic commercial building at 111 Washington Street. **Mr. Maurice Levy and Paramount Assets** will also be honored with the “Stewardship Award for Outstanding Historic Rehabilitation of a Paterson Historic Commercial Building” for the rehabilitation of 148 Main Street and 162 Main Street. The Commission will also present **The City of Paterson** with the “Stewardship Award for Outstanding Public Project in Historic Rehabilitation” for completion of the Overlook Park and Hinchliffe Stadium façade rehabilitations. The award will be accepted by **Mayor André Sayegh** on behalf of the city. The recipient of the 2019 Good Graces Award is **Ms. Maria Mazziotti Gillan of the Passaic County Cultural and Heritage Council** for her lifetime of outstanding community leadership in the stewardship and promotion of Paterson through the arts.

The 20th Annual Historic Preservation Awards dinner is open to the public. Seats are \$70 per person, for a buffet dinner and dessert. Profits realized from the event will be dedicated to the Historic Markers Fund administered by the Commission. The Fund is used for the fabrication of historic markers and their installation in the City of Paterson.

If you are interested in purchasing seats for this event or for further information, please contact the Division of Historic Preservation at (973) 321-1220 ext. 2263 or thenderson@patersonnj.gov