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Cultural Heritage Board Accepting Nominations for Awards of Excellence

(Stockton, CA) – The City's Cultural Heritage Board and Planning Commission are soliciting nominations from the public for the 2011 Awards of Excellence Program. The deadline for nominations is 5:30 p.m., Friday, September 30, 2011.

These awards are bestowed on property owners who have made special efforts in restoring, rehabilitating or improving existing homes and businesses, or in the imaginative design of new construction. The award recognizes single-family and multi-family residences, as well as nonresidential buildings and such features as landscaping and art in public places.

The purpose of the award is to encourage improvement and beautification efforts in our community and to recognize special undertakings by property owners in achieving that goal. Restoration efforts in older parts of the City tend to exert a positive influence on the entire neighborhood and provide an incentive to other property owners in upgrading their property. These accomplishments are sought out by the Planning Commission and Cultural Heritage Board for public recognition.

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Nominations should be submitted to: Cultural Heritage Board, c/o Community Development Department, 345 North El Dorado Street, Stockton, CA 95202. Nomination forms are available online at www.stocktongov.com.

Additional information or nomination forms may be obtained by contacting Planning Manager Richard Larrouy at (209) 937-8627 or via e-mail at richard.larrouy@stocktongov.com.

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