

Vernon R. Davis Outstanding Community Service Award



The Vernon R. Davis Award for Outstanding Community Service is awarded annually to recognize the contributions of Boston Edison residents who voluntarily initiate activities and projects that promote positive change and/or visual impact that preserves the historic character and quality of life within the Historic Boston-Edison District. **From now through September 24, we are asking for YOUR NOMINATION of a neighbor that exemplifies this type of dedication. Please complete the nomination form on the reverse.**

Background: The late Vernon R. Davis (1949-2008) exemplified the philosophy of “The Power of One”, the impact that one individual action may have upon the whole. Mr. Davis saw a need in the community and took action. The action, perhaps simple in nature- the daily removal of litter, debris and overgrowth from the common areas of Chicago Boulevard from Bryon to Woodrow Wilson - was witnessed by residents within the 36 block area that defines Boston Edison. To honor the legacy of Mr. Davis as a consistent and dedicated volunteer for the pristine maintenance of Boston Edison’s main thoroughfare from 1995 to 2008, the Outstanding Community Service Award was created in his name.

Criteria:

- Self-motivated resident project/activity that does not threaten property values nor the integrity of the HBED as a historic district, but that enhances the quality of life in the area
- The project/activity is conducted independently without financial support from the Historic Boston Edison Association
- The project/activity has long-term potential for benefiting the community at large



Award Celebration: The Award will be presented during the October 20th Fall General Meeting.

2010 Beauty and Elegance Curb Appeal Awards

The Historic Boston-Edison Association Beauty and Elegance Awards seek to recognize those homes and city blocks within the Historic Boston Edison District that exude exceptional standards of “pride of place”. All blocks and residences throughout Boston Edison that meet the criterion are welcomed and encouraged to participate. Homes and blocks that are nominated will possess the following characteristics:

Criteria:

- Home exterior reflects and adheres to historic standards set by the Detroit Historic District Commission
- Litter free surroundings from the middle of the street to the middle of the alley
- Classic yet distinctive and neat landscaping from the middle of the street to the middle of the alley
- Overall appearance of the home reflects standards of excellent maintenance that serve as an example for the entire District



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Nomination Criteria and Forms

Vernon R. Davis Outstanding Community Service Award | Nomination Form

Nominated by (your name):

Address:

Phone:

Email:

I nominate (name):

Address:

Phone:

Email:

For the following reasons (refer to criteria on reverse):

PLEASE SUBMIT BY SEPTEMBER 24TH TO ZENÉ GIBSON AT 829 CHICAGO BLVD.

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Nominated by (your name):

Address:

Phone:

Email:

I nominate (name of person OR block):

Address:

Phone:

Email:

For the following reasons (refer to criteria on reverse):

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