

2022 Award Winners

David Wadsworth and Wadsworth Construction

David Wadsworth and his company Wadsworth Construction has been an integral part of the restoration and rehabilitation of several historic buildings within the City of Waterloo. The company specializes in restoring historic windows and has worked on several projects in the city including the Judge Platt Home and the building at 300 Commercial Street across the street from Singlespeed which was recently renovated. As David would note, restored historic windows do have benefits over mass-produced new windows.



The Walnut Neighborhood Association

The Walnut Neighborhood Association has worked hard to revitalize its neighborhood that has been a victim of abandonment and the loss of its character. The association worked to create a multi-organizational team to bring in new development and restoration of existing homes. The association signed an agreement with the City of Waterloo that saw a consultant hired that resulted in the Walnut Neighborhood being added to the National Register of Historic Places.



Habitat for Humanity

Most people are familiar with Habitat for Humanity's work to bring people together to construct homes so that everyone can have a decent place to live. However, in cooperation with the Walnut Neighborhood Association, JSA, and the city Of Waterloo to not only build new homes that would match the existing historic homes in the neighborhood but have also restored multiple homes that is helping revitalize the entire neighborhood.



JSA Development – Judge Platt Home

JSA Development has also played an important role in the Walnut Neighborhood revitalization. JSA who has been responsible for the restoration of multiple historic buildings in the historic commercial districts took on a new challenge by signing a development agreement with the City of Waterloo to restore and rehabilitate 4 homes that have sat dilapidated for several years in the Walnut Neighborhood with Judge Platt home being the first one completed and work underway on its neighbor.

