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Call for Nominations on the 2nd Annual Richard H. Driehaus Foundation Bungalow Awards

*\$750 Cash Awards, City Council Recognition, CAF Photo Display
For 2006 Winners*

(Chicago) April 20, 2006 – The historic Chicago bungalow has gained national recognition, and it's time for individual owners of these Chicago gems to garner recognition of their own. Nominations are now open for the 2nd Annual Richard H. Driehaus Foundation Bungalow Awards which honor outstanding work by individual owners in five categories:

1. Interior Restoration: Accurately recovers the details and forms of the Chicago bungalow.
2. Interior Rehabilitation: Demonstrates a contemporary use while maintaining significant features.
3. Exterior Rehabilitation: Demonstrates appropriate rehabilitation and or additions that are compatible with the Historic Bungalow style.
4. Small Scale Project: Improvement that was completed with \$5,000 or less.
5. Landscape Design: Demonstrates creative design solution.

The deadline for the 2006 Richard H. Driehaus Foundation Bungalow Awards is June 15, 2006.

First place winners in each category will receive \$750 cash awards, with honorable mentions joining them in receipt of a City Council resolution, a brass HCBA plaque for their homes and a photo display and reception at the Chicago Architecture Foundation.

Nominations, which are due on June 15, 2006 can be made by owners, neighbors, neighborhood associations, elected officials or civic leaders but all nominees must be

certified historic Chicago bungalows and rehabilitation must conform to HCBA Design Guidelines. Certification is free and both certification and Design Guidelines can be obtained by contacting the HCBA at the number or website listed below.

Nominations will be judged by an independent panel of architects, neighborhood leaders and journalists. Their considerations will include 1) the nature of the challenge faced; 2) the project that ensued; and 3) how well the restoration or landscaping supports the integrity of the fundamental Bungalow design. Please do not forget to include 3-5 photographs of your project upon submitting your application.

For more information on the 2nd Annual Richard H. Driehaus Foundation Bungalow Awards and nominating your bungalow please visit www.chicagobungalow.org for an application or call 312.642.9900.

The Historic Chicago Bungalow Association is an the non-profit affiliate of Mayor Daley's Historic Chicago Bungalow Initiative and works in partnership with the City of Chicago's Department of Housing to maintain vital and affordable housing choices in Chicago.

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