



Cabbagetown Preservation Association Volunteer Award

The 2015 *Cabbagetown Preservation Association Volunteer Award* is presented to ***Jenny Davey***

Jenny is recognized, but is a representative of the many Cabbagetown community members who worked on the *Heritage Conservation District* designation project initiated by the late Peggy Kurtin.

The work of designation was 100% volunteer driven that brought together neighbours who donated collectively hundreds, if not thousands of hours of volunteer time to research, document, list, photograph and compile the history, architectural style, original property owner, original purchase price and other information for each of the approximate 2,500 buildings that have now been incorporated into the *Cabbagetown Heritage Conservation District* as we know it today.

Jenny was part of the team that met and worked from the Toronto Archives on Spadina Road for regular weekly visits to research and document each of the buildings, street by street, block by block throughout the neighbourhood. This work bridged a number of years, and Jenny and David Hawkins, who has since moved to Victoria, BC, continued and finalized this undertaking following the passing of Peggy Kurtin in 2009.

Jenny, like others who have followed, found the opportunity to make this community engagement possible after her retirement as a senior executive with the Girl Guide movement.

On behalf of the Cabbagetown Preservation Association, we acknowledge and thank Jenny for her lasting contributions to the Cabbagetown community.

Gilles Huot
Co-Chair

David Pretlove
Co-Chair

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