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Call for Nominations - AASLH Leadership in History Award

Deadline March 1

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This is the time when the American Association for State and Local History collects nominations for the Leadership in History Awards. It goes without saying that this has been a most challenging year, but Missouri's historical institutions rose to meet those challenges by continuing their mission to bring history to the public in so many creative, innovative, and fun ways. The events of the year reminded us more than ever of our need to present good history to our constituents and we've seen it done in some many great ways. Why not consider nominating one of those projects for an AASLH award?

Attached you will find the pdf manual that outlines the guidelines for the nomination process. It will provide you with the steps and forms you need to submit your project for consideration. The awards program is non-competitive (the publications award excepted), so you are not in competition with others for a finite number of awards. Furthermore, membership in AASLH is NOT REQUIRED to apply.

The deadline for submission is March 1, but you can continue to edit and tweak submissions until March 24. As your state representative, I can assist you as needed to guide you through the process.

Please review the attached AASLH Leadership in History Awards Manual 2021 and visit

<https://aaslh.org/programs/leadership-in-history-awards/>

Shuttered Venue Operators Grant FAQs

The Shuttered Venue Operators (SVO) Grant program was established by the Economic Aid to Hard-Hit Small Businesses, Nonprofits, and Venues Act, signed into law on December 27, 2020. The program includes \$15 billion in grants to shuttered venues, to be administered by the SBA's Office of Disaster Assistance.

Eligible applicants may qualify for SVO Grants equal to 45% of their gross earned revenue, with the maximum amount available for a single grant award of \$10 million. \$2 billion is reserved for eligible applications with up to 50 full-time employees.

<https://www.sba.gov/document/support-shuttered-venue-operators-grants-faq>

<https://www.sba.gov/funding-programs/loans/coronavirus-relief-options/shuttered-venue-operators-grant>

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