

The Lesly S. Smith Landscape Award

The Lesly S. Smith Landscape Award was founded in 2011 to recognize former Mayor and Foundation Trustee Lesly S. Smith's dedication to the Town of Palm Beach. The award recognizes a landscape design that is both in keeping with the character and traditions of Palm Beach, yet also original and forward-thinking. Preserving the scenic quality of Palm Beach is central to the Foundation's mission and this award seeks to acknowledge how landscapes impact our experience of the built environment.

The Foundation is now accepting nominations for this award. Please nominate **one project** you or your firm has undertaken which you believe reflects the design integrity and styles that made Palm Beach the unique community that it is today.

In making your nomination please be sure your project meets the following criteria:

- The project must be within the Town of Palm Beach.
- The project is for a private residence.
- The project must be a <u>new</u> design, not a restoration, renovation or addition to an already existing garden or landscape.

Please also adhere to the following instructions:

- Nominations are due by April 26, 2020.
- Application for the award must include:
 - a. Letter of application addressed to the Preservation Foundation of Palm Beach.
 - b. Detailed description of the project.
 - c. Photographs and plans no larger than 11" x 17".
- All materials submitted become the property of the Preservation Foundation and will not be returned to applicants.
- Winner agrees to allow the Preservation Foundation to release documents, plans, and photographs of the project to the media, and use said information for future publications of the Preservation Foundation.
- An award presentation and reception will take place at the Preservation Foundation in Spring 2021. The landscape architect will be asked to give an illustrated talk about the project.

We look forward to hearing from you and congratulate you for all of the work that you do to maintain our community's singular sense of place.