Since 2003 the Ada County Historic Preservation Council has selected properties throughout the County to be honored as County Treasures. These are sites or structures that add to Ada County’s heritage that are maintained through the dedication of caring individuals, groups and businesses. The Council recognizes these people for their efforts in preserving Ada County’s heritage. The award is presented annually during Idaho Archeology and Historic Preservation Month each May.

2014 AWARD WINNER
SALLAZ SPANISH STYLE MANSION
1000 SOUTH ROOSEVELT STREET

Construction of this wonderfully unique Spanish-style home began in 1928. The home was originally part of a 25 acre horse ranch owned by the Schlofman Family. Dennis Sallaz purchased the property for his family in 1971 and has since taken great efforts to preserve its unique historical characteristics.

The property originally had a fish pond, a horse stable, grape arbor, fruit trees and pole fencing. The upper balcony originally hosted square dance parties. Dennis Sallaz has progressed with many updates, but has always maintained the original Spanish-style integrity and appreciated and maintained the beauty of the original light fixtures, windows, antique tile, doorbell chimes, beautiful hardwood flooring and solid wood interior doors. There is extensive iron work throughout the home and there are still working radiators in the rooms.

The exterior of the home is stucco and the roof is covered with hand-made tile. The original rock entrance to the home has been an exquisite landmark for over one hundred years.

The Ada County Historic Preservation Council wishes to acknowledge the efforts of Dennis Sallaz in preserving this Ada County Treasure.

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The Council was created on August 25, 1988 to preserve and enhance cultural and historic sites throughout Ada County and to increase awareness of the value of historic preservation to citizens and local businesses. Currently the Council is composed of nine volunteer members that commit to serve a three-year term and are appointed by the Board of Ada County Commissioners.

This and other publications of the Ada County Historic Preservation Council are available from our website at http://adacounty.id.gov/Historic-Preservation