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Nominations Needed for Walk of Recognition 2010

The annual "Walk of Recognition" award, coordinated by the Boca Raton Historical Society, recognizes individuals who have demonstrated a significant long-term commitment to serving in the interest of Boca Raton and enriching the lives of its citizens. Those interested in nominating individuals for induction into the Walk of Recognition in 2010 should call the Boca Raton Historical Society at (561) 395-6766 ext. 101 or visit www.bocahistory.org to obtain a nomination form. Forms must be returned to the Boca Raton Historical Society by Friday, April 30, 2010. The awards ceremony will take place on May 20, 2010.

Instituted in 1997, the Walk of Recognition award has been presented to 63 deserving members of the community. Each inductee's name is inscribed in a stunning black granite plaque, which is set into a commemorative monument featuring the mission of the program beneath the Mizner statue in Royal Palm Place.

A cornerstone of the community and supporter of numerous organizations in the area, Marta Batmasian originally conceived of the award which has become an annual community program organized and maintained by the Boca Raton Historical Society. The plaques are underwritten by Marta Batmasian as part of her commitment to her community.

Photo caption: Walk of Recognition granite star in honor of Elaine J. Wold, who was inducted into Boca's Walk of Recognition in 2008.

The Boca Raton Historical Society (BRHS) is a non-profit membership organization, founded in 1972. Since its inception, the BRHS has taken on ambitious restoration projects, provided first rate cultural programming, and followed its mission: to collect, preserve, and present information and artifacts relevant to the past and evolving history of Boca Raton, and to maintain a visible role in education and advocacy of historic preservation in our community. For more information about the Historical Society, visit www.bocahistory.org.

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