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Dear Rick,

I am pleased to inform you that the University of Texas at Dallas has been nominated for a 2011 Community Revitalization Award. The Richardson City Council established the Awards in 1994 to recognize property owners who have enhanced our community by making significant exterior improvements to properties that have, in turn, had a positive impact on the surrounding area. Both residential and non-residential properties are eligible for consideration, and in the sixteen years since the Program's inception, over 160 properties have been recognized. You can access additional information on the Awards from the City's website at www.cor.net/DevelopmentSvcs.aspx

All nominations will be submitted to our Judging Committee in the next week for evaluation. Should UTD be selected to receive an award, I will contact you in early December.

Regardless of the outcome of your nomination, let me take this opportunity to thank you on behalf of the City Council for choosing to reinvest in our community. Our hope is that your efforts will set a precedent that other commercial property owners and developers will follow, further enhancing our unique community, and helping to maintain Richardson's tradition of attractive and vital neighborhoods and commercial development.

Please forward a copy of this letter to any parties within your organization (and/or contractor, architect, etc.) that you feel should be included in the recognition of this project, and feel free to contact me if you have any questions at (972) 744-4256 or by e-mail at israel.roberts@cor.gov

Sincerely,

Israel B. Roberts, AICP

Development Review Manager

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# Community Revitalization Awards City of Richardson

#### R.S.V.P. FORM

Congratulations on your Community Revitalization Award. In order to assist with the presentation of the awards, please provide the information requested below by mailing or faxing this sheet or by sending an e-mail by Friday, January 6, 2012 to:

Israel B. Roberts, AICP City of Richardson 411 W. Arapaho Road, Room 207 Richardson, TX 75080 (972) 744-4256 phone (972) 744-5804 fax israel.roberts@cor.gov e-mail

Will you and/or your family/associates be able to attend the reception and award presentation on Monday, February 6, 2012? See attached presentation agenda for details.

X Yes, I/we will attend.	☐ No, I/we will not attend.
- ·	nd any family members, associates, architects, ring. Please provide the person's title, company if representing a company.
Richard M. Dempsey, Associ	ate V.P. of Business Affairs for Paalities Management
Will you permit the City to place an avweek? The sign is similar in size to a sr	ward sign on your property for approximately one mall real estate sign.
X Yes.	□ No.
	ou have any questions or concerns, please contact

Israel Roberts during business hours. If you are unable to attend, we will deliver your award certificate in mid-February.



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December 9, 2011

Rick Dempsey
University of Texas at Dallas
Facilities Management
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Dear Mr. Dempsey,

Last month, I informed you that the University of Texas at Dallas had been nominated for a City of Richardson *Community Revitalization Award*. The Judging Committee has reviewed all of the nominations, and it gives me great pleasure to inform you that you have been selected to receive an award.

The City Council would like to extend an invitation to you to attend a reception and the award presentation at the Council meeting on Monday, February 6, 2012 at 6:30 p.m. Please see the enclosed pages for details on the reception and presentation.

In order to assist with the planning of the award presentation, please answer the questions on the attached R.S.V.P. form and return it to me no later than January 6, 2012. If you prefer, you may respond to the questions in an e-mail at <u>israel.roberts@cor.gov</u>. If you have any questions, please contact me by e-mail or by phone at (972) 744-4256.

Once again, let me congratulate you on your *Community Revitalization Award*. Efforts like yours are helping to maintain Richardson's high community standards for development and aesthetics.

Sincerely,

Israel B. Roberts, AICP

Development Review Manager

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# Community Revitalization Awards City of Richardson

# Award Presentation and Reception Agenda February 6, 2012

Congratulations once again on your Community Revitalization Award. The award presentation and reception will be held on **Monday, February 6, 2012** at the Civic Center/City Hall, located at **411 W. Arapaho Road**, at the southwest corner of Central Expressway and Arapaho Road. We look forward to seeing you there!

## 6:30 - 7:30 p.m. - Reception

There will be an informal reception with hors d'oeurves and refreshments prior to the award presentation, and we look forward to meeting each of you personally. The reception will be held in the East Alcove adjacent to the Council Chamber, on the first floor of the Civic Center/City Hall. Please park and enter the building at the west end (adjacent to Civic Center Drive and the Library), and we will have signs posted inside the doors to guide you to the reception area.

## 7:30 p.m. - Award Presentation

The presentation of the 2011 Community Revitalization Awards will be the first item on the agenda of the City Council meeting. We will provide a brief overview of each award-winning project to the City Council. At the end of the briefing for your project, we will ask your group to step forward to accept your award certificate from the Judging Committee. A photographer will be present to take photos as your award is presented. Once you have received your award, please return to your seat until all of the awards have been presented (there are nine recipients). After all of the awards have been presented, we will exit the Council Chamber as a group.

## After the Presentation

After exiting the Council Chamber, we will reassemble for a group photo of the recipients.

If you would like us to recognize other individuals who may be in attendance with you, please be sure to provide us with their names/titles on the attached form. We sincerely appreciate your participation in this exciting program, and we look forward to seeing you on February 6<sup>th</sup>.

Again, thank you for your cooperation. If you have any questions or concerns, please contact Israel Roberts during business hours at (972) 744-4256 or israel.roberts@cor.gov.