



ReVitalize St. Louis

exists to promote
revitalization efforts
in the City of St. Louis
through
education,
support of progressive
civic projects, and
strengthening
communities.

write us!

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ReVitalize St. Louis is a 501(c)(3) non-profit organization.

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OUR MISSION *ReVitalize St. Louis is a diverse coalition of citizens committed to revitalization in the city of St. Louis through historic preservation and sensitive, planned development. We will address social, political and economic issues as they impact each of St. Louis' neighborhoods.*

OUR VISION *Through partnerships, education, outreach, and support, we hope to create positive change in the urban St. Louis community with an eye towards preserving and rejuvenating the city's physical landscape and inspiring progressive civic action.*

What We Do ~ The Big Picture

We are citizens committed to the revitalization of St. Louis city through historic preservation and sensitive, planned development. Through partnerships, education, outreach and support, we hope to create positive change with an eye toward preserving and rejuvenating the city's unique physical landscape while inspiring progressive civic action.

How We Do It ~ Our Many Facets

■ **St. Louis Rehabbers Club** — A terrific, FREE networking resource for anyone interested in renovation advice and information [www.rehabbersclub.org]. This **open e-mail listserv** connects hundreds of members who enjoy fielding questions and trading tips about rehabbing in the city; and a popular **monthly get together** often involves tours of a rehab project or city neighborhood, offering a behind-the-scenes look. A unique **series of classes** are offered to the general public each fall that help educate attendees on the finer points of rehabbing as well as timely issues of urban living. Finally, an annual **used book sale** enables participants to share and recycle their retired tomes and the proceeds go to help support on-going restoration efforts at the historic Chatillon-DeMenil Mansion.

■ **The Big BIG Tour** — An annual **city-wide open house** began in 1999 and has grown into St. Louis' premier real estate event. Free and open to the public, we partner with real estate agents to showcase hundreds of for-sale city properties throughout St. Louis. A **homebuyer's fair** on the same day brings together real estate-related services, neighborhood organizations and other non-profits in an effort to provide quality information to attendees.

■ **RVSTL Committees** — Our members have a wide range of interests — from architecture to preservation, and green building to neighborhood stabilization. **Organizing and implementing active committees** dedicated to education and outreach on these issues are vital to connecting the dots, ultimately affecting positive change.

How You Can Do It Too ~ Fitting In

The St. Louis urban community is coming together, and *now is a great time to get involved with RVSTL!* We invite you to join us at an event, committee meeting or Rehabbers Club tour. No reservations required, just sign up and we'll keep you in the loop!

Claralyn Bollinger

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2008-2009 President, ReVitalize St. Louis



MEMBERSHIP LEVELS

BASIC: \$20
RVSTL e-mail listserv membership, copy of the Annual Report, invitation to attend annual membership meetings.

BUILDER: \$35*

RENOVATOR: \$60*

REVITALIZER: \$100*

CORPORATE: \$250*
Special acknowledgement in the Annual Report, a copy of the Annual Report, one vote at annual membership meetings, and up to four membership cards with benefits at the Basic level.

*All membership levels at \$35 and above receive a RVSTL t-shirt in addition to basic level membership benefits.

OUR MEMBERS SERVE AN IMPORTANT ROLE in providing energy and enthusiasm as well as sustaining current projects and being integral in developing new ones. We invite you to join ReVitalize St. Louis at one of our membership levels. Upon joining, a membership card, welcome packet and other level benefits will be sent in about four weeks.

LAST NAME

FIRST NAME

ADDRESS

CITY / STATE / ZIP

PHONE NUMBER

ALTERNATE PHONE

EMAIL ADDRESS

SIGN ME UP FOR THESE LISTSERVS:

RVSTL Updates Rehabbers Club

Mail form with payment to:

ReVitalize St. Louis, 4204A Virginia Avenue, St. Louis, Missouri 63111

At any membership level, another household resident at the same address may be added at the Basic level for an additional \$15. Under financial hardship, a Basic membership may be earned through five hours of volunteer work for the organization.

I am most interested in helping with:
 Public relations, press and marketing
 Preserving St. Louis building heritage
 Organizing programs and education
 Fundraising and grant writing

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