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DIGEST OF CAREER AND ACHIEVEMENTS OF
BURNS CADWALADER, AIA, OAKLAND, CALIFORNIA

We nominate Burns Cadwalader for Fellowship in the American Institute of Architects in the category of Public Service for the dynamic leadership he has provided in improving the quality of urban life in his community.

Mr. Cadwalader attended UC Berkeley, entering the field of architecture in 1946 under the apprenticeship system, after a management career in banking. He has been a registered architect since 1957, and a principal in The Ratcliff Architects, formerly known as Ratcliff, Slama & Cadwalader since 1961.

In 1965, under Mr. Cadwalader's leadership, Berkeley's first activist environmental organization influenced the City decisions to preserve the Berkeley Waterfront as public open space, to publicly finance undergrounding the BART tracks and to downzone neighborhoods in order to maintain residential character.

As co-chairman of a citizen's advisory committee appointed by the Port of Oakland, Mr. Cadwalader was instrumental in preserving, as a park and wildlife sanctuary, 700 acres of San Leandro Bay and shoreline originally intended for industrial development.

Mr. Cadwalader helped develop the direction and purpose of the Oakland Citizen's Committee for Urban Renewal. This group is involved in redevelopment projects, neighborhood preservation and renewals, and administers a federally funded Neighborhood Design Center.

As a member of a task force for a regional open space advocacy organization, Mr. Cadwalader helped establish a regional trails system that uses the Bay Area Rapid Transit system as a recreational connector between local and regional parks.

Mr. Cadwalader represented the AIA in developing the architectural and planning criteria for a \$120 million Oakland Public Schools construction budget.

Mr. Cadwalader's public service achievements and his architectural work reflect a commitment to environmentally sensitive design. For example, Mr. Cadwalader was responsible for the design of a 600 acre winter recreational development, at Bear Valley, California, praised as a design model by the U.S. Forest Service for its environmental quality. Mr. Cadwalader's design for a winter vacation house received the AIA Sunset Western Home Award (1971-72).

As Principal--in--Charge of the restoration and rehabilitation of a 300,000 sq.ft. historic Oakland hotel building, for use as housing for the elderly with ground floor commercial space, Mr. Cadwalader played a major role in revitalizing a significant Oakland building and the surrounding neighborhood.

References:

1. Frank B. Hunt, FAIA 20 Hawthorne St., San Francisco, CA., 94105: Colleague
2. Elmer Botsai, FAIA, 94 Natoma St., San Francisco, CA., 94105: Colleague
3. Jacob Robbins, FAIA, 243 Kearny St., San Francisco, CA., 94108: Colleague
4. Lew Crutcher, AIA, 11500 Skyline Blvd., Oakland, CA., 94619: Colleague
5. Paul Kelly, AIA 1537 Shattuck Ave., Berkeley, CA., 94709: Colleague
6. John Sutter, 721 Rosemount Rd., Oakland, CA., 94610: Friend
7. Sylvia McLaughlin, 1450 Hawthorne Terrace, Berkeley, CA., 94708: Friend

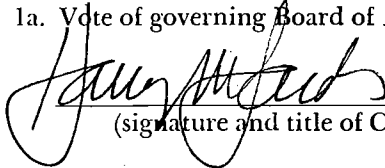
SECTION 2. NOMINATION *(submit in duplicate)*

1. A. Burns Cadwalader, of the East Bay Chapter and corporate member of the AIA since
(name of nominee) (chapter assignment)

1962 is nominated for Fellowship for notable contribution to the advancement of the profession of
(election date)
architecture in the area (s) of Public Service
(areas of distinction, see Principles Underlying the Bestowal of Fellowship for a complete listing).

The nomination is made by:
(check and sign either 1a. or 1b.)

1a. Vote of governing Board of East Bay Chapter
(name of component organization)



(signature and title of Chapter President or Secretary) (date)

1b. Individual corporate members and/or Fellows as follows:

(written signature and date) (typed signature and chapter):

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2. The nominators designate the following member to be the sponsor of the nomination:

Name Ian Mackinlay, FAIA

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SECTION 3. PROFILE

(Additional sheets may be inserted, but please be concise.)

TYPEWRITING ONLY

1. Nominee's name: A. Burns Cadwalader
2. Nominee is a natural naturalized citizen of the United States.
3. Nominee's mailing address: 5031 Golden Gate Avenue, Oakland, California 94608
4. Nominee's firm name and address: The Ratcliff Architects, P.O. Box 1022, Berkeley, CA., 94701
5. Nominee is registered or licensed to practice architecture by: California State Board of Architectural Examiners
(name of state board, NCARB, as case may be)
6. Nominee is registered or licensed to practice architecture in the states of: California
7. Nominee is engaged in the profession of architecture as: Burns Cadwalader
8. Nominee's date of birth: November 7, 1914
Place of birth: Paonia, Colorado
9. Nominee's education:
(a) High School, College, University, Post Graduate, etc. (chronological order)

Location	No. of Years	Year of Graduation	Degree
King City, CA	4	1932	High School Diploma
University of California, Berkeley	2	--	--

(b) Scholarships held by nominee:
NONE
10. Nominee has traveled in the following countries:
Scotland, England, France, Germany, Belgium
11. Other data concerning nominee's record:

Nominee taught "Planning Today's House" for the University of California Extension, 1967-70

March 5, 1980

Mr. A. Burns Cadwalader, FAIA
5031 Golden Gate Avenue
Oakland, CA 94608

Dear Mr. Cadwalader:

I have the pleasure of informing you that the Jury of Fellows advanced you to Fellowship in the Institute at its recent meeting for your notable contributions to the advancement of the profession of architecture. With this action, you are also admitted to the College of Fellows.

The newly advanced fellows will receive their medals at the Investiture of Fellows which will be held on Monday, June 2, 1980, at the Netherland Hilton Hotel, Hall of Mirrors, Cincinnati, Ohio, where the Institute's Annual Convention will take place on June 1-4. Details about this event will be sent to you in the near future.

The Officers of the Institute and the Jury of Fellows join me in the hope that you will be present to receive this honor. Please send your reply to me at your earliest convenience.

I take this opportunity to express my personal congratulations and good wishes.

Sincerely yours,

Robert M. Lawrence, FAIA
Secretary

Enclosures

cc: Ian Mackinley, FAIA, Sponsor