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PRESERVATION AWARD WINNER: 154 POST ROAD EAST



Among the nine winners of the Westport Historic District Commission 2013 Preservation Awards to be presented in a Town Hall ceremony at 7 p.m. on Wednesday is the building at 154 Post Road East, Westport's former main post office built in 1935. The HDC said the award is being given to Ansley Westport Partners, LLC in recognition of its "adaptive reuse." It said, "While in many cities and towns surplus post office buildings have been torn down or altered beyond recognition, Westport's Art Deco-style building has been given new life. The exterior brick was cleaned, new compatible replacement windows were installed, and the limestone veneer blocks and pilasters retained." The building now houses the Post 154 restaurant. *Dave Matlow for WestportNow.com*