



*Sault Ste. Marie
Municipal Heritage Committee*

Municipal Heritage Committee 2007 Heritage Award

**Dr. Timothy Best &
Dr. Marilyn Leahy**

Dr. Timothy Best and Dr. Marilyn Leahy have worked hard to restore their home to its original grandeur. When they purchased the home, it had been previously clad in white metal siding, hiding the existing deteriorated wood cladding. Due to this, they brought in an expert in heritage restoration to research appropriate colors. With dedication, they replaced its aging roof and provided the appropriate care and attention to the building.

With their commitment to its restoration and preservation, the Leahy/Best family has shown vision and understanding of their home's significance as a heritage legacy. They have shown leadership by demonstrating that owning a heritage building also represents a responsibility to protect and preserve it. They are an excellent example of the benefits of participation in the Tax Rebate and Designated Property Grant Programs.