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San Francisco Architectural Heritage Advisory 1/13/05

1. Save the Harding -- ACTION ITEM
2. Landscape History & Design Seminar

1. The Board of Supervisors will hear an appeal of the permit to demolish the Harding Theater (Divisadero and Hayes), on Tuesday, February 1, between 4:00 and 6:00 p.m. Heritage is joining other groups in supporting retention of the building. We urge you to appear at the hearing. If you cannot attend, contact the supervisors asking them to save the Harding:

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For photos and more information, go to: <http://www.sfntf.org/>

2. A Garden Conservancy Seminar: Hadrian's Villa and the California Garden
A Two-day Landscape History & Design Seminar March 5 – 6, 2005 Stanford University

Hadrian's Villa, located at Tivoli, outside Rome, was one of the most monumental and lavish gardens created during the Roman Empire. With its rediscovery during the Renaissance, it became an inspiration for art, garden design, and architecture from that period through the twentieth century. This two-day garden history and design seminar, produced by the Garden Conservancy and cosponsored by Pacific Horticulture and the Cantor Arts Center at Stanford University, will explore the legacy that Hadrian's Villa left to modern garden design, and to the California garden in particular. Two estates in California—Green Gables in Woodside and Hearst Castle at San Simeon—will be discussed in detail. The seminar will also explore ways in which the Villa's conceptual ideas and forms can energize and inform the gardens of the present and the future.

Participants will have the rare opportunity to visit Green Gables during the second day of the symposium. Symposium fee: \$195, \$175 for Garden Conservancy members.

To learn more about the speakers and how to register go to <http://www.gardenconservancy.org/calendar.html>