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MILWAUKEE INTERMODAL STATION RECEIVES MAYOR'S URBAN DESIGN AWARD

MILWAUKEE — Milwaukee Mayor Tom Barrett has honored the Milwaukee Intermodal Station, designed by Greg Uhen of Eppstein Uhen Architects (EUA), with a 2007 Mayor's Urban Design Award. The Mayor presented the award at a ceremony held on May 28, 2008 at the UW-Milwaukee School of Architecture and Planning.

The Milwaukee Intermodal Station was nominated in the "Best Face Forward" category, which recognizes outstanding projects with new or remodeled facades, unique signage and/or inviting windows.

While it looks like an entirely brand new building, the Milwaukee Intermodal Station was actually renovated by removing the skin of the old structure. The new atrium, which spans the full length, width and height of the structure, extended the building 30 feet north to St. Paul Avenue and added 7,500 square feet of space to create a 3-story glass waiting area. The 50-foot-high room features crisscrossing white beams and a glass curtain wall that fills the Milwaukee Intermodal Station with natural light during the day, and also gives the building a luminous street presence at night.

The annual Mayor's Urban Design Awards honor public spaces that complement Milwaukee's neighborhoods and enhance the City's image.

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