



James Alexander Cox, Jr.

September 21, 1937 - February 12, 2022

A Texas Aggie to the end, Jim passed away under the maroon and white colors of his A&M blanket February, 12, 2022. He was 84.

Jim started practicing architecture in Fort Collins in the early 1970s leaving a legacy of modern buildings (several award winning) across the Front Range and Wyoming. He was also active in the Fort Collins and Loveland Historical Preservation groups helping save buildings, most notably, the Avery House. Jim was a strong supporter of local business and made fast friends with many business owners in Fort Collins and Loveland and was active in both the Fort Collins and Loveland DDA.

An amateur photographer he was always the guy with the big camera around his neck taking pictures at family gatherings, in nature, and of course, of buildings. He was an avid fan of Frank Lloyd Wright and had visited nearly all his built projects at some point.

He is dearly missed by his family, friends, and community.

Tribute Wall

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“ Jim, Bob McGrath, and I were boyhood chums for five or six years, from sometime during Junior High, as it was called in a previous century, until graduation when we went our separate ways. We played baseball together, shagging flies mainly, and enjoyed the comradeship of those at ease in one another's company. We remained in touch from time to time. The last time that we were together was at our fiftieth high school reunion when we were together for a day. The photograph of Jim at Fallingwater Bear Run is iconic. Hail and farewell, good friend.

Jim Togeas - April 06, 2022 at 02:13 PM

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“ Lisa,
Incredibly sad to hear this news about Jim, and I am sorry for your loss. Jim was a true gentleman, intellect, an incredibly talented architect and advocate for great design, and dear friend of Downtown Fort Collins and the Fort Collins DDA. You already know all this about him, but you should know we will miss him tremendously and feel incredibly fortunate to have so many of his contributions in the built environment amongst us everyday. It was an absolute honor to know and work with Jim. Please stay well.
Matt Robenalt
Executive Director, Fort Collins DDA

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