



MARY ANN TIGHE

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JACK AND LEWIS RUDIN AWARD FOR SERVICE TO NEW YORK CITY

Throughout their illustrious careers, brothers Jack and Lewis Rudin had been some of the foremost agents of positive change in the City of New York.

They carried on a family tradition of philanthropy and public service initiated more than 70 years ago by their father, Samuel, a son of immigrants.

In 2008, the New York Building Congress established the Jack & Lewis Rudin Award for Service to New York City, an annual award, whose recipients have made lasting contributions to the City.

During her remarkable career of more than three decades in commercial real estate, Mary Ann Tighe has been at the forefront of the transformation of New York's skyline. She has played a catalytic role in the rezoning that is strengthening and renewing East Midtown, the westward expansion of Midtown, the rebuilding of Downtown after 9/11, as well as revitalization of Times Square.

Ms. Tighe has conceived, structured and negotiated virtually every form of deal, having been responsible for more than 120 million square feet of commercial transactions. Moreover, her deals have anchored more than 14.4 million square feet of new construction in the New York region.

Ms. Tighe has been CEO of CBRE's New York Tri-State Region since 2002. She is a nine-time winner of REBNY's Deal of the Year Award for ingenious brokerage. For a three-year term starting in January 2010, Mary Ann served as Chairman of the Real Estate Board of New York, the first woman to hold this position in REBNY's then 114-year history.

Ms. Tighe is being honored for the impact she's had on New York City real estate and will continue to make as the city continues to grow.