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**Hampton Business District Hosts
LIBI and NARI PAC Event
For Southampton Town Board Special Election**

Westhampton, NY – (January 19, 2016) – The Hampton Business District, a Rechler Equity Partners property located at Gabreski Airport in Westhampton, recently hosted a Long Island Builders Institute (LIBI) and National Association of the Remodeling Industry (NARI) Political Action Committee (PAC) event. The event brought together members from both groups and the Southampton Business Alliance for an opportunity to learn more about the candidates running in the Southampton Town Board special election.



(From left to right): LIBI Treasurer and President & CEO of Alure Home Improvements Sal Ferro, Democrat Julie Lofstad, Republican Richard Yastrzemeski, and LIBI CEO Mitch Pally

Democrat Julie Lofstad and Republican Richard Yastrzemski, both seeking election to the Southampton Town Board, were in attendance and offered insight into their plans to continue improving Southampton and the surrounding areas. Each candidate had 45 minutes to share their thoughts, hear concerns and answer questions from those in attendance.

“We are thrilled to have had the opportunity to host this intimate event with the area’s leading building and remodeling organizations,” said Mitchell Rechler, Managing Partner of Rechler Equity Partners. “The insightful discussions that developed today provide an understanding for the path our industry is on and what our needs are for continued success.”

“We greatly appreciate the hospitality of the Rechler Equity group to host this very important event for our East End members,” said Mitchell H. Pally, Chief Executive Officer of the Long Island Builders Institute. “The event was a great opportunity for our members to discuss the development issues facing the Town of Southampton with the two special election candidates.”

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