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## URBAN LAND INSTITUTE MICHIGAN TO HONOR SUSAN T. MOSEY AS FIRST FEMALE LIFETIME ACHIEVEMENT AWARD RECIPIENT

Historic award will be celebrated with a dinner event May 3, 2023, at the Fisher Building

**DETROIT, Dec. 14, 2022** — Urban Land Institute Michigan (ULI Michigan), a nonprofit research and education organization committed to creating and sustaining thriving communities across the state, announced today the recipient of its 2023 Lifetime Achievement Award – Susan T. Mosey, Executive Director of Midtown Detroit, Inc. Mosey will be recognized as the first female to receive the prestigious award at the ULI Lifetime Achievement Award Dinner set for Wednesday, May 3, 2022 at the Fisher Building in the heart of Detroit's New Center. ULI Michigan Co-Chairs Jill Ferrari and Dan Cassidy made the announcement.

The Lifetime Achievement Award was established to recognize leaders in the Michigan real estate community whose achievements throughout their lifetime – including contributions to real estate, civic, charitable and philanthropic endeavors – exemplify the spirit and mission of ULI. In addition, the Lifetime Achievement Award Dinner serves as ULI Michigan's annual fundraiser and supports the many programs and initiatives coordinated by the District Council.

"This is a historic moment for the District Council, and we could not think of a better, more qualified and passionate person to receive this lifetime career distinction than Sue Mosey," said Cari Easterday, a long-time colleague of Sue's as Chief Financial Officer with Midtown Detroit, Inc. and Treasurer of the ULI Michigan Advisory Board. "Sue is a powerhouse leader who has tackled every obstacle she has come across in her career, truly breaking the glass ceiling for women in our industry."

Ms. Mosey joins a prestigious list of award winners, including the late Mr. A. Alfred Taubman (2005), the late Mr. Wayne Doran (2006), the late Mr. Robert Larson (2007), the late Mr. Jerome Schostak (2008), Mr. Edsel B. Ford II (2010), Mr. Peter Karmanos, Jr. (2010), Mr. Sidney Forbes (2012), Mr. Dan Gilbert (2014), Mr. John Rakolta, Jr. (2018), and Mr. David V. Johnson (2022).

Mosey has been a member of ULI Michigan since 2006 and has been recognized with over two dozen awards during her 35+ year career. Most notably, Mosey has been awarded the ULI Global Award for Excellence (2013), the ULI/UM Real Estate Forum – Michigan Real Estate Excellence

Award for Midtown Green Alleys (2015), and was named Crain's Newsmaker of the Year (2011) and Crain's 100 Most Influential Women (2021).

"Sue is a relentless voice for the community, and ULI Michigan is very proud to honor her as the first woman to receive the Lifetime Achievement Award," said Ferrari. "Her dedication to spearheading community development initiatives and programming within the Detroit Midtown district and her unwavering passion for the development and small business communities is truly extraordinary, and we're thrilled to present the award to her in May."

Mosey is a demonstrated community builder who has made significant advancements toward not only Midtown Detroit's vision, but also the vision of others interested in investing capital – human and financial – in the thriving Detroit neighborhood. She has raised over \$100 million for programming grants to support programs that cover a wide array of initiatives including small business support, real estate activities, façade grants, security programs, residential incentive programs, public and private infrastructure improvements, and beautification. In response to the COVID-19 pandemic outbreak in March 2020, Mosey raised over \$1.2 million in less than three weeks to provide much needed financial relief to businesses.

Notable businesses and individuals have the opportunity to sponsor the 2023 ULI Michigan Lifetime Achievement Award Dinner. Stay tuned for future updates to learn more about sponsorship opportunities and to purchase tickets to the event.

## **About ULI Michigan**

The Urban Land Institute (ULI) is a 501 (c) (3) nonprofit research and education organization supported by its members. Founded in 1936, the institute now has more than 30,000 members worldwide representing the entire spectrum of land use and real estate development disciplines, working in private enterprises and public service. The first Michigan-based ULI district council (now ULI Michigan) was formed in 1997. Starting with just a few members, it has grown to more than 450 members statewide. The mission of ULI is to provide responsible leadership in the responsible use of land and in creating and sustaining thriving communities worldwide. By providing educational forums, community outreach programs and industry expertise to community leaders, the opportunity to influence local land use policy continues to be the focus and achievement of each district council.

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