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Two Prominent County Leaders Named to Retail Board
National Retail Organization Selects Holly Sullivan, Bruce H. Lee as Co-Chairs

Rockville, Maryland (April 24, 2015) – Forming a perfect public-private partnership, the International Council of Shopping Centers has named Holly Sears Sullivan and Bruce H. Lee as co-chairs of its Washington regional panel on leadership. Both Sullivan and Lee will serve one-year terms and participate in the annual ICSC conference next month in Las Vegas.

“One of my most important duties as chairman of ICSC is to appoint individuals like you who give your time, talent and experience to positions in our volunteer leadership,” said Robert Welanetz, ICSC Chairman. “ICSC’s volunteer officials make up the heart and soul of our great association.”

In his second term, Lee carried out his duties in 2014 as the Washington DC/Maryland/N. Virginia State Alliance Private Sector Co-Chair. Lee is a highly visible representative of the Montgomery County business community as a respected developer and source of the latest corporate office occupancy and vacancy conditions.

Holly Sears Sullivan, who will be serving as the Washington DC/Maryland/N. Virginia State Alliance Public Sector Co-Chair, is president of Montgomery County’s Business Development Corporation, a public-private business development organization with a mission to advocate for the business community. She is the first president of the MBDC, and has held the post since November 2012. Together, Sullivan and Lee will organize panels and other meetings in the Washington area to maintain a focus on the local retail development marketplace.

Bruce H. Lee is president of Lee Development Group, Inc., a family-owned business specializing for more than 80 years in real estate development and management. LDG owns and manages office, retail and industrial space in Silver Spring, Aspen Hill, Kensington and Mount Airy, Maryland. It is currently developing a new, mixed-use senior community in downtown Silver Spring. It is also redeveloping a new retail project at the former BAE/Vitro office property in Aspen Hill.

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