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Trigiani Awarded Top Industry Honor

Alexandria, Virginia (June 16, 2013) . . . The Community Associations Institute (CAI) presented Lucia Anna "Pia" Trigiani, a principal with MercerTrigiani law firm, with the 2012 President's Award during the organization's 2013 Annual Conference and Exposition this past spring.

According to immediate past president, Kathryn C. Danella, CAI's most prestigious honor was presented to Trigiani in recognition of her exemplary service to CAI and the instrumental role she has played in supporting CAI and the 63-million-plus Americans who live and work in community associations.

Trigiani has been a major contributor to CAI for 20 years, providing her talents as an advocate, advisor and educator on both the chapter and national levels. She is a member of CAI's College of Community Association Lawyers, served on the Foundation for Community Association Research's Board of Directors from 2006-2012 and acted as chair of CAI's National Government and Public Affairs Committee from 1996-2008.

She also is past recipient of other CAI awards including the Rising Star Award, Award of Excellence in Government and Public Affairs, Distinguished Service Award and Award of Excellence in Designations.

"I would venture to say Pia Trigiani has contributed more to raising the public awareness of CAI than any one other individual...she is an unreserved, no hold bars champion of women in this industry... whether a Chapter CED, support staff in a law firm, or a woman serving in one of our Institute's leadership positions, she never misses an opportunity to say just the right words to instill faith in one's own abilities thereby giving us the strength to push out of our comfort zones," said Danella.

About Community Associations Institute

An international trade organization dedicated to building better communities, CAI provides information, education and resources to all community association stakeholders, including community managers and homeowner leaders.

About MercerTrigiani

MercerTrigiani is a boutique real estate law firm providing corporate, litigation and public policy legal counsel to more than 500 condominium, property owner, real estate cooperative and timeshare owner associations, real estate developers and individual owners located throughout Virginia and Washington, D.C. The firm currently serves clients at 112 South Alfred Street in Alexandria, Virginia.

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