



TIM JONES OF ROBERT MARTIN COMPANY NAMED FUNDRAISER OF THE YEAR BY MARCH OF DIMES

Elmsford, NY (April 6, 2006) – At a recent award ceremony at the Affinia Manhattan in New York City, Tim Jones, Managing Director and Partner at Robert Martin Company, LLC, (Elmsford, NY) received the 2005 Westchester & Rockland Counties Fundraiser of the Year Award from the March of Dimes. Mr. Jones was recognized for his work as the chair of Westchester fundraising events, as well as his sponsorship of the annual March of Dimes WalkAmerica at Blue Hill Plaza in Rockland County.

Mr. Jones has a strong personal connection with the March of Dimes. “As the father of five children, I think that it is important to make sure kids are born healthy. Children are our future, so a healthy baby is a gift to its parents, its family, and society at large.”

Events chaired by Mr. Jones, including Celebrity Bowling for Babies and Fox Sports Grill Auction, brought in over \$150,000 for the March of Dimes. “It was an honor to present the 2005 award to Tim Jones. His commitment to the March of Dimes helps us to accomplish our mission and look to the day when all babies are born healthy,” says Shelly Siegel, Executive Director of the March of Dimes, New York Division.

At Robert Martin Company, one of New York’s premiere real estate investment companies, Mr. Jones creates and executes the company’s investment and growth strategy. He also manages existing land and property assets in California, Florida and the New York metropolitan region.

The March of Dimes is a national voluntary health agency whose mission is to improve the health of babies by preventing birth defects, premature birth and infant mortality. Founded in 1938, the March of Dimes funds programs of research, community services, education, and advocacy to save babies and in 2003 launched a campaign to address the increasing rate of premature birth. The March of Dimes maintains English and Spanish websites at www.marchofdimes.com and nacersano.org, respectively.

About Robert Martin Company, LLC:

Founded in 1957, Robert Martin Company, LLC has a long, distinguished history in New York real estate. The company and its partners have developed and acquired over 20 million square feet of property. Widely regarded as a pioneer in office park development and mixed-use urban renewal projects, the real estate and investment firm has expanded from its home base in the New York metropolitan region into California and Florida, where it has recently partnered to buy approximately 2,000 apartments and a \$100 million mixed use project in Miami. The company’s holdings and partnerships include over 2 million square feet of office space and approximately 300 acres of developable land. For more information, please call (914) 592-4800 or visit www.robertmartincompany.com.

PRESS CONTACTS:

Stacey Cohen/Mike Dardano
Co-Communications, Inc.
(914)666-0066
mike@cocommunications.com

Photo:

l. to r.

Shelly Siegel, Executive Director of the March of Dimes, New York Division, New York, N.Y.
Tim Jones, Managing Director and Partner, Robert Martin Company, Elmsford, N.Y.

