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2017 Women In Power Honorees Meet with Presenting Sponsor Canandaigua National Trust Company



Standing: Joan Bour, Geri Serot, Paul Tarantino, Lauren Brownstein

Seated: KT Curran, Sue Jacobson, Dr. Lisa Merritt, Bunny Skirboll (not available for picture)

Each year, the National Council of Jewish Women, Sarasota-Manatee Section, honor women from the area whose accomplishments mirror NCJW's focus on social justice by improving lives of women, children and families and by safeguarding individual rights and freedoms.

Three of the honorees for the 2017 Women in Power KT Curran, Sue Jacobson and Dr. Lisa Merritt met with Canandaigua National Trust Company Vice President, Wealth Advisor, Paul Tarantino to discuss their appreciation for the company's Presenting Sponsorship.

"Canandaigua National Trust Company is honored to support the 35th annual NCJW, Women in Power Luncheon. We are especially delighted to recognize Sue Jacobson and Bunny Skirboll, two of this year's honorees, who both serve as Directors of Canandaigua National Trust Company. Congratulations to all" stated Paul Tarantino, VP & Wealth Advisor.

Chair of the event, Geri Serot, was also on-hand to thank Canandaigua. This year is a first for NCJW to offer sponsorships for the event. Geri said, "We are delighted and honored that Canandaigua chose to be our presenting sponsor and I am thrilled to be Chair of the National Council of Jewish Women's upcoming Women In Power luncheon."

"As Director of SOURCE Productions for Planned Parenthood of Southwest and Central Florida, I am deeply committed to our theatre and film work with the young people of our community." - *KT Curran, Honoree*

"The fabric of my faith and family is imbued with a tradition and spirit of giving back and paying it forward" - *Sue Jacobson, Honoree*



"I feel my life has been blessed, both personally and professionally, and it is my responsibility to give back and make life better for others. I truly believe that one person can make a difference!" - *Bunny Skirboll, Honoree*

We at NCJW are advocates for those who cannot speak for themselves." - *Lauren Brownstein, NCJW Co-President*

A central focus of the NCJW is the empowerment of women. The 35th "Women In Power" event is a where we honor the many worthy women who are advocates and champions for social justice." - *Joan Bour, Co-President*

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