Laurel Bernstein Receives 2012 Beacon of Light Award from NJAWBO

Laurel Bernstein, of Executive Coaching in Bloomfield, has received the 2012 Beacon of Light Award from the New Jersey Association of Women Business Owners (NJAWBO) on behalf of the Essex Chapter.

The Beacon of Light Award recognizes Bernstein for inspiring and motivating others to support NJAWBO. "Laurel is so supportive of NJAWBO members and their desire to grow their businesses", states Judy Bennett, President of NJAWBO Essex and President of Grove Baskets and Gifts in West Caldwell. "She often provides one-on-one feedback for any member who feels the need for help. She engenders relationship building. Laurel makes us all feel valued, engaged and inspired".

Bernstein is an experienced business coach. Laurel Bernstein & Associates is a consulting and training firm focused on enhancing the performance and leadership skills for leaders in both the corporate world and for small business owners.

The New Jersey Association of Women Business Owners, Inc. (NJAWBO) is a not-for-profit organization whose mission is to provide tools for women business owners to compete in any marketplace, enabling them to operate a financially successful business. NJAWBO is the largest statewide women business owners' organization in the United States. Its primary objective is to support and encourage business ownership by women. Networking, partnering, leadership, education, and political advocacy are the hallmarks of the NJAWBO experience.

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Caption: Judy Bennett (left), president of NJAWBO Essex and president of Grove Baskets and Gifts in West Caldwell, congratulates Laurel Bernstein, a resident of Bloomfield, on her selection as the recipient of the 2012 Beacon of Light Award from the New Jersey Association of Women Business Owners (NJAWBO) on behalf of the Essex Chapter.

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