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Connecticut REALTOR® Elected Regional Vice President

CT REALTORS® Past President Joanne Breen will serve as the National Association of REALTORS® (NAR) Region 1 Vice President in 2023.

The NAR Board of Directors elected the 2023 regional vice presidents during the association's midyear meetings in Washington D.C. Regional vice presidents oversee NAR efforts within their region. They also serve as a liaison between the national association and the state and local associations. Region 1 includes Connecticut, Maine, Massachusetts, New Hampshire, Rhode Island and Vermont.

Breen says, "It is a great honor to be selected to hold this position. I look forward to serving NAR and working with REALTORS® throughout the New England region. I am passionate about advocating for our industry and fighting to protect individual property rights."

Breen has been a REALTOR® for more than 40 years, taking an active role in her local, state and national associations. Breen served as CT REALTORS® President in 2020 and president of the Greater Hartford Association of REALTORS® in 2016. She was honored as the 2021 state REALTOR® of the Year and the Greater Hartford Association REALTOR® of the Year in 2018.

Breen is on the CT REALTORS® Board of Directors and chairs the association's Legislative Committee. She also serves on the NAR Board of Directors and sits on the NAR Safety Advisory Committee.

Breen owned and managed ERA Sargis-Breen Real Estate in Newington and Berlin for more than 27 years. She continues to work as a broker associate at ERA Hart Sargis-Breen Real Estate. Breen and her husband live in Old Saybrook, CT.

CT REALTORS® represents more than 19,000 members involved in all aspects of real estate in Connecticut.

Our members work with tens of thousands of buyers, sellers, landlords and tenants annually.