

8th annual Real Estate Rockers in Relief concert raises over \$150,000 for NECHAMA – Jewish Response to Disaster

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Shown (from left) are: Rick Wolf, Graystone; Adam Metzger, L&L Holding Co., Efrat Sharon, 48 Capital; and Kristian Amato, L&L Holding Co. of The band KRANE.

New York, NY Real estate professionals rocked out for charity at the 8th annual Real Estate Rockers in Relief concert, which drew over 750 guests to the city's Irving Plaza. The June 6th concert raised over \$150,000 for NECHAMA - Jewish Response to Disaster, a volunteer organization providing natural disaster response, rebuild and preparedness training services nationwide, including efforts in the tri-state area with neighborhoods that were damaged by Hurricane Sandy, as well as several key projects in Texas, Florida and Puerto Rico.

Founded in 2012 by Carl Schwartz, co-chair of Hunton Andrews Kurth LLP's global real estate practice, and David Lowenfeld of DHL Holdings, the event has raised \$800,000 for NECHAMA since its launch.

Shown (from left) are: Mickey Rabina, Rabina Properties; Sally Mendelsohn; and David Lowenfeld, DHL Holdings.

"We appreciate all members of New York City's renowned real estate community who come out each year to support NECHAMA," Schwartz said. "Rockers in Relief reflects our unwavering commitment to aiding communities in need and supporting the volunteers who so generously donate their time and energy to help others."

This year's event featured special performances by Emily Warren and Scott Harris.

The two songwriter-musicians are behind some of today's pop music hits, working together to pen songs by the Chainsmokers, Jason Mraz and Shawn Mendes. Warren, who recently released her

album, "Quiet Your Mind," is the daughter of event co-founder Schwartz.

"It was very rewarding to see the tremendous support shown by our performers and guests at this year's concert," said NECHAMA executive director David Kaplan. "Every generous donation helps Americans across the country rebuild their homes and lives."

Real estate personalities who performed in the show include:

David Lowenfeld, DHL Holdings
Carl Schwartz, Hunton Andrews Kurth
Evan Pariser, HFF
Paul Pariser, Taconic Investment Partners
Howard Glatzer, Cadence Property Group
Adam Metzger and Kristian Amato, L&L Holding Company
Laurent Morali, Karen Zabarsky and Morris Harary, Kushner Companies
Jonathan Ratner, Madison Capital
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