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LIONSTONE INVESTMENTS AND ORCHARD PARTNERS ANNOUNCE PROPERTY UPGRADES AND LEASING ACTIVITY AT TASMAN TECH

HOUSTON, Texas (March 23, 2016)—Lionstone Investments and Orchard Partners are pleased to announce the completion of property improvements at 700 Tasman Drive, one of the 14 buildings comprising Tasman Tech in Milpitas, California. Houston-based Lionstone and Bay Area-based Orchard acquired the 608,968 square foot office/R&D complex in late 2014. The venture has embarked on a program of site and building upgrades to elevate the campus to a best in class property for tech companies who value outdoor amenities and open, collaborative workspaces.

To date, property improvements have included enhancements to outdoor patio areas, the addition of drought-tolerant landscaping, and architectural updates to 700 Tasman, the first building to become available in the project. This work will serve as a template for future improvements across the 47-acre campus.

"The current generation is looking for office space that fosters creativity, collaboration, and connectivity—places for productive people. We believe that by delivering beautiful outdoor spaces and innovative work environments, Tasman Tech aligns with these trends," states Jane Page, Lionstone's CEO. "The rebranding of the campus as 'Tasman Tech' has been skillfully underscored by Orchard's cutting-edge signage program as well."

Micron Technology, who already occupies 142,000 square feet, has just completed a lease for expansion. The company will grow by an additional 38,318 square feet into the newly-upgraded 700 Tasman building. David Hiebert and Brian Ahearn of Cushman & Wakefield represented Micron, while Orchard Partners was represented by Bob Steinbock and Sherman Chan of CBRE.

"Since the property was acquired, Orchard has renewed leases totaling 62,417 square feet," notes Michael J. Biggar, Managing Partner of Orchard Partners. "The property's prominent location and generous outdoor areas allow tenants to thrive in a campus-like community-oriented work environment."

Interior and exterior updates to 888 Tasman will be completed next, making the 52,812-squarefoot building available and "market ready" by late 2016.





About Lionstone Investments

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About Orchard Partners, LLC

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