



ADDRESS 625 RXR Plaza, Uniondale, NY

SUBMARKET Nassau County,

Nassau County Long Island

SQUARE FEET 1.1 Million SF & rights to develop an additional 350,000 SF tower

DATE ACQUIRED
Summer 2003

DATE SOLD Fall 2005

MAJOR TENANTS

Citibank, Dreyfus, Washington Mutual, Del Laboratories, GMAC

OCCUPANCY 97%

PROPERTY OVERVIEW

EAB Plaza is the largest office complex in Long Island and a highly visible local landmark. This Class A property was 97% leased to several credit tenants when it was sourced and acquired by C&K from ABN AMRO. The property's access, instant recognition, good quality and efficient floorplans helped it achieve consistent above market occupancy. The building has never been less than 95% leased for any length of time.

INVESTMENT STRATEGY

C&K recognized the opportunity to acquire a trophy class office building located in a highly attractive submarket at a significant discount to replacement cost. EAB Plaza was C&K's first major asset purchase outside of New York City during a period when expanding rents were driving large credit tenants to seek quality office space outside of Manhattan. C&K structured the purchase as a joint venture, inviting the Moinian Group to participate as a 50% capital partner. By increasing the building's operating effeciencies and reducing unneeded expenses, C&K added value through the quality asset management style that has become its trademark. Although the property was purchased as a long term hold, the flight to quality among institutional owners and subsequent rise in "core" quality asset prices induced C&K to opportunistically sell EAB Plaza in 2005 after a relatively short hold. By properly timing the sale of this asset, C&K achieved outsized risk adjusted returns considering EAB Plaza's "core" quality, location and occupancy.