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Mike provides leadership for the Business Operations group at GRE, which includes facilities management; supply chain management; fleet and warehouse operations; office services and aircraft services.

Mike was the director for the GRE Maple Grove headquarters project, which was dedicated in April, 2008. He was involved with the design, construction and all aspects of coordinating the Leadership in Energy and Environmental Design (LEED) Platinum certification for the new building. Mike was also responsible for implementing and communicating the building owners' wishes to the various consultants, sub-contractors and general contractors that worked on the facility.

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Member of Building Owners & Managers Association (BOMA)
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