



Lowe named the 2017 Corporate Champion Honoree for the 15th Annual Los Angeles County Walk to Defeat ALS on Sunday, October 15, 2017

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Lowe Striders at the 2016 Walk to Defeat ALS

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The ALS Association Golden West Chapter proudly announces **Lowe** as the **2017 Corporate Champion** Honoree for the **15th Annual Los Angeles Walk to Defeat ALS[®]**. The 1-2 mile walk will be held on Sunday, October 15, at Exposition Park in the heart of Downtown Los Angeles and is open to the public. All funds raised support the mission priorities of the Golden West Chapter in care services, public policy, and research.

Lowe will receive the Walk Corporate Champion Award for its ongoing philanthropy of time and financial resources in support of the ALS community and the search for effective treatments and a cure. Over the past three years, Lowe has raised significant funds and awareness through their Walk team,

Michael Lowe, Co-Chief Executive Officer of Lowe has also been named Honorary Chair of the Los Angeles Walk to Defeat ALS. “The fight against ALS is a personal one for many of us at Lowe. Over the past three years we have dedicated ourselves to bolstering the efforts of the Association in gratitude for the care and support they offer to those battling ALS” said Lowe. “We are very much encouraged by the recent advances in treatment that will improve quality and prolong the lives of ALS patients as the Association continues its mission to find a cure for this horrible disease. On October 15 we look forward to celebrating with all of you the recent successes of the Association and to having some fun!”

Amyotrophic lateral sclerosis (ALS), also known as Lou Gehrig’s disease, is a fatal, neurodegenerative disease that attacks nerve cells in the brain and spinal cord. ALS does not discriminate -- women and men of all ages and backgrounds are at risk, though for unknown reasons veterans are diagnosed with ALS twice as often as civilians. People with ALS lose their ability to move, speak, swallow and eventually to breathe, while all five senses continue to function normally.

To find out more about more about Lowe’s commitment to community, please visit their website www.lowe-re.com. To register for the Los Angeles County Walk, visit LAWalktoDefeatALS.org. To join the Lowe Striders or make a donation in their honor, please visit the [Lowe Striders Team Page](#). For questions, please contact Jessica Partida, Regional Director of Community Outreach, at jpartida@alsgoldenwest.org 818-865-8067 ex. 233.

About Lowe

Los Angeles-based Lowe is a leading national real estate investment, development and management firm. Over the past 45 years, it has developed, acquired or managed more than \$28 billion of real estate assets nationwide as it pursued its mission to build value in real estate by creating innovative, lasting environments and meaningful experiences that connect people and place. Lowe is currently responsible for more than \$8.8 billion of commercial, hospitality and residential assets. In addition to its Los Angeles headquarters, Lowe maintains regional offices in Southern California, Northern California, Denver, Philadelphia, Seattle and Washington, DC. For more information about Lowe, visit www.Lowe-RE.com



Michael Lowe (L)
Co-Chief Executive Officer of Lowe
2017 Honorary Walk Chair

About the ALS Association Golden West Chapter:

The mission of the ALS Association is to discover treatments and a cure for ALS, and to serve, advocate for, and empower people affected by ALS to live their lives to the fullest. We are a member of the National Health Council and the only National organization solely dedicated to fighting ALS on all fronts while directly serving the ALS community. By leading the way in global research, providing assistance for people with ALS through a nationwide network of chapters, coordinating multidisciplinary care through certified clinical care centers, and fostering government partnerships, The ALS Association builds hope and enhances quality of life while aggressively searching for new treatments and a cure. The Golden West Chapter serves people with ALS and their families in 31 counties throughout California and in the state of Hawaii.

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