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“Party for the Cause” Fundraiser for Three-Day 60 Mile Walk Against Breast Cancer

San Diego-October 17, 2006-The Downtown Women’s Club, local realtors, and other savvy professional men and women will gather downtown Wednesday, October 25 at 7:00 PM at La Strada Trattoria Restaurant, 702 Fifth Avenue.

October is National Breast Cancer Awareness Month known by the colorful pink ribbons. “At this philanthropy, our goal is to raise \$3,000 for the Susan G.

Komen Foundation,” said local organizer and mortgage lender Denise Quan.

Ami Ross, life insurance agent for Prudential Financial, also a planner for this night, will lace up her tennis shoes for the three-day 60 mile walk in San Diego.

“My grandmother was diagnosed with breast cancer and I hear so many stories about people who have lost family members from this disease. Together, I know we can make a difference to combat breast cancer.”

The public is invited to come and join the Downtown Women’s Club members for the annual event. Delicious appetizers, drinks, raffles and a live auction for a date with a handsome man or beautiful woman will be part of the festivities. Six young men and women will be donating their company for an evening of appetizers and drinks. Dates will include a gift card donated by our sponsors,

many who are local realtors and businesses. The \$10 cover charge can be paid with a credit card and includes entry, wonderful appetizers from La Strada, music from our lovely DJ, and raffle tickets for prizes. If people cannot make it that night, they can find more information about the walk, or donate at www.the3day.org/sandiego06/amiross.

About the Downtown Women's Club

Called the DWC, the group is led by Lindsay Newman, owner of Meeka Designs (www.meekadesigns.com), a full-service interactive design firm. Dynamic professional women meet monthly at luncheons and happy hours to network and promote women-owned businesses, hear interesting speakers and share resources. The group meets around San Diego at various female-owned and managed businesses (www.DowntownWomensClub.com).

About Denise Quan

A leader in the Quan-Payne Team, Denise is a mortgage lender with Pacific Capital Mortgage in the Sorrento Valley area of San Diego (www.dqloans.com). Denise is also volunteer with The San Diego Center for Children, A Reason to Survive (ARTS), and to Children's Hospital. At Pacific Capital Mortgage, she not only helps buyers realize their buying potential with educational seminars and materials, but also helps raise awareness in the community about the opportunities for philanthropy by helping to sponsor dynamic community events that benefit women in business and worthy causes.

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