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**LEUKEMIA & LYMPHOMA SOCIETY HONORS WALTON CONSTRUCTION**

KANSAS CITY, Mo.(September 2007) – The Kansas City and Springfield Divisions of Walton Construction Company, LLC., were recently awarded Corporate Rookie Team of the Year for the Light the Night Walk, an annual fundraiser sponsored by The Leukemia & Lymphoma Society, Mid-America Chapter during its annual Volunteer Recognition Awards Reception.

Walton is a national partner for the Light the Night Walk. Each of the five divisions – Kansas City, St. Louis, and Springfield, Mo.; New Orleans and Dallas – are conducting fundraising efforts and participating in the local walks.

The Kansas City Division walked in the Light the Night walk on Friday, September 14. Also, Walton hosted a BBQ to raise money as well as has a pancake feed with approximately 250 employees participating. Through these efforts as well as Walton's walking team's individual fundraising, the company came very close to reaching their fundraising goal.

*Walton Construction Co., LLC, which maintains full-service offices in Kansas City, St. Louis, Springfield, Mo., Dallas, Texas, and New Orleans, La., is ranked among the top contractors in the United States by Engineering News Record. Established in 1985, Walton Construction has grown steadily to become a leader in pre-construction, general contracting, design-build and construction management services.*

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