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**S.L. LEONARD & ASSOCIATES TO MANAGE DEVELOPMENT OF
AMERICAN CANCER SOCIETY'S HOPE LODGE IN LOS ANGELES**

LOS ANGELES —Camarillo-based S.L. Leonard & Associates recently announced that it will be the project manager for the site acquisition, design and construction of the American Cancer Society's newest Hope Lodge. Already in existence in 20 states across the U.S., Hope Lodges provide a safe and comfortable place for people with cancer and their companions to stay while they are receiving treatment.

Since many treatment cycles can last several weeks or months, the Los Angeles Hope Lodge is designed to be a home away from home for people fighting cancer throughout the state who need to travel to one of the premier treatment centers in the Los Angeles area. The \$22 million facility will include 30 private suites, social areas, meditative space, computer stations, a garden and fully equipped kitchen.

"The Hope Lodges provide a much needed service and support for those battling cancer," said Sean Leonard, president of S.L. Leonard & Associates. "It is a privilege to participate in the American Cancer Society's efforts to provide hope to all facing this disease."

S.L. Leonard & Associates is a comprehensive development project management firm that is also working on the construction of the California Endowment Offices and Community Conference and Resource Center, the Camarillo Public Library, The University of Judaism Library and Chapel expansion, Fuller Lofts and Pacific Court Housing. The firm just recently completed work on the City of Hope Replacement Medical Center. Prior to starting his firm, Leonard was senior vice president of project management for Walt Disney Concert Hall. For more information about the company, call (805) 445-4668 or visit sll@slleonard.com.

For more information about Hope Lodge in Los Angeles, call Gail Berlant at (310) 348-0306.

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