“I worked with Kim Shope for 10 years on many different projects and events. She can put together anything from a small intimate event all the way to a major gala with “A” list celebrities. When Kim commits to a project you can count on her to do the job right. She is an honest businesswoman with the integrity and morals to match.”

**Jerry Dawson, President & CEO, The ALS Association – Jim “Catfish” Hunter Chapter**

“Northgate Associates was a sponsor of The ALS Association – Jim “Catfish Hunter Chapter Annual Field of Dreams Gala for several years when Kim Shope was the Event Coordinator. I had the pleasure of working with Kim on securing additional sponsors, gift items for the silent and live auctions and selling tickets. Kim was very organized, detail oriented, and efficient in working with the volunteers in all aspects of the event. Being a true professional, Kim was respectful of everyone’s time and always gracious in her communications. She has a wonderful sense of humor with the ability to make everyone around her enjoy what they are doing!”

**Ginny Bowman, Managing General Partner, Northgate Associates, LLP**

“Kim handled our entire ground breaking event while I was at Eli Lilly. She was very professional, diligent and recruited an amazing amount of elected officials to attend the ceremony. At DPS Consulting, I immediately thought of Kim and hired her team to organize the open house reception. I’d highly recommend Kim & From The Ground Up for any event or project management venture.”

**Tim Vickers – Principal, DPS Consulting, Inc.**