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Northwood Foundation to Honour Ken & Dorothy Rowe

Philanthropists to be celebrated at 20th anniversary gala

HALIFAX, N.S. / February 8, 2018 – The Northwood Foundation is gearing up to present Ken and Dorothy Rowe with a special honour at the 20th annual Live More Awards on Friday, May 4, 2018. The Rowes will be celebrated for their lifelong practice of giving back and their contributions to the community as they receive the 2018 Hedley G. Ivany Live More Award.



Dorothy & Ken Rowe

Ken and Dorothy Rowe are well known for supporting organizations throughout the community including Dalhousie University, the Red Cross, the Mental Health Foundation of Nova Scotia and local hospitals.

“We are thrilled to be honouring the Rowes with this prestigious award,” says Faye LeBlanc, Managing Director of the Northwood Foundation. “The Hedley G. Ivany Live More Award is a distinction reserved for those

who reflect the values that drive Northwood, they bring passion to all they do in life, in work and in giving back to the community. This is a special year for the Northwood Foundation as we mark the 20th anniversary of our awards dinner and this milestone is the perfect time for us to celebrate Ken and Dorothy’s outstanding contributions.”

“I can’t think of anyone more deserving of this award,” says Colin MacDonald, Chairman of Clearwater Seafoods Inc. and recipient of the 2016 Live More Award. “The Rowes are true philanthropists and their commitment to community has been an inspiration to me and so many others. I look forward to celebrating their efforts at the Live More Awards this spring.”

The Northwood Foundation has hosted an annual gala dinner since 1998. The event raises money to support the many programs and services offered by Northwood but not funded by government. Initiatives supported by the Northwood Foundation include mental health programs, a dementia friendly fitness centre and a community garden.

Tickets for the Live More Awards can be purchased online at www.northwoodfoundation.ca or by calling 902-493-3015.

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About Northwood

Since 1962, we have led the way as Nova Scotia's most dynamic continuing care organization committed to innovation and change. We are the largest not-for-profit continuing care organization in Atlantic Canada and are recognized both here at home and across Canada as an extraordinary example of the power of social justice, but we like to call it the power of love! When life changes, and society changes, Northwood leads the way, incorporating revolutionary designed, responsive care. From new ideas to new technologies, we are empowered to do this, because our focus is on people, not on profit margins.

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