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PATRICK DALESSANDRO NATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF REALTORS® 2017 REGIONAL VICE PRESIDENT

Patrick Dalessandro, a REALTOR® from Prospect Heights, Illinois, is the NATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF REALTORS® liaison for Region 7, comprised of Illinois, Indiana, and Wisconsin.

A REALTOR® for nearly 45 years, Patrick is the president and broker-owner of Coachlight Realty and Property Mgmt., Inc., in Niles, Illinois, specializing in residential and commercial real estate. He is a Graduate of the REALTOR® Institute (GRI) and a Certified Residential Specialist (CRS). He has also earned the At Home with Diversity® certification (AHWD).

At the national level, he has been a member of the Board of Directors since 1994 and a Land Use Property Rights and Environment Committee member since 1996. Patrick has also held positions on the Multiple Listing Service Forum and the Professional Standards Forum.

He was president of the Illinois Association of REALTORS® (IAR) in 1997. Patrick has served on its Board of Directors and chaired the Commercial, Industrial and Investment Committee. IAR named Patrick their REALTOR® of the Year in 2008.

Patrick's local association is the Mainstreet Organization of REALTORS®. He is also a past president of the REALTOR® Association of NorthWest Chicagoland (RANWC) and was named their REALTOR® of the Year in 1988. He is a longtime member of RANWC Board of Directors and has served on numerous committees such as Finance, Legislative, Professional Standards, and RPAC.

Patrick is a member of the Niles 2030 City Planning Committee and the Prospect Heights Architectural Review Committee. He volunteers with Habitat for Humanity and contributes to the Assisi Animal Shelter and The Buddy Foundation Rescue, two no-kill animal shelters.

Patrick is a 1970 graduate of Northern Illinois University (NIU) with a B.S. in Education. He attended NIU on a full-ride, four-year athletic scholarship for gymnastics and became captain of the NIU gymnastics team during his senior year.

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