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Gachina Landscape Management named to the 2011 Healthiest Employers list by the Silicon Valley/San Jose Business Journal and San Francisco Business Times

Creating a culture where good health practices are encouraged and pays dividends through the attraction and retention of a quality workforce.

Menlo Park, CA - October 13, 2011 Gachina Landscape Management was named one of the 2011 Healthiest Employers of the Bay Area by the Silicon Valley / San Jose Business Journal and the San Francisco Business Times. As the only landscape company to make the prestigious list, Gachina joins leading employers in supporting healthy environments for employees to thrive and succeed in the of the San Francisco Bay area. The list also includes: Stanford University, Safeway, Chevron, Charles Schwab, Bebe Stores, KLA-Tencor, Cliff Bar and Kaiser Permanente.

Gachina Landscape Management has been encouraging healthy employee wellness programs since they were founded in 1988. "Happy and healthy employees are key to our success in the landscape management business. We began the Viva Gachina Wellness Program to support our employees with exercise, healthy eating choices at work and support of local charities" stated John Gachina, owner of Gachina Landscape Management. Viva Gachina Wellness programs include: employee benefits programs, weekly group exercise, annual health fairs, and walking club. Our annual Gachina Family picnic features soccer, children and adult competitive runs and is "soda free". Since 2005 Viva Gachina has participated in the Making Strides for Breast Cancer walks in San Francisco and San Jose. Advocacy for early detection and healthy lifestyle are promoted during company events leading up to the 3k and 5 mile walks. Since 1988 Gachina has focused on the success of our clients by creating a healthy work environment for our team.



The Viva Gachina team at the Making Strides Against Breast Cancer Walk - San Jose 2009

Gachina is a licensed landscape management contractor that delivers the power to grow through a collection of professional landscape maintenance services. Serving the greater San Francisco Bay area and Silicon Valley regions for two decades, Gachina enhances and maintains the appearance of our customers' property through our comprehensive landscape maintenance programs. Gachina works with clients to develop long-term plans and budgets to address their comprehensive landscape management needs. In addition to our routine landscape maintenance care, Gachina provides Integrated Pest Management, Water Management and other Sustainable Landscape practices. Gachina also provides landscape enhancement services to upgrade, enhance and repair existing landscape and irrigation systems, installation of new landscape and irrigation systems, seasonal flower design & planting, tree management and plant healthcare. Gachina has won more local, state and national awards than any other landscape company in the San Francisco Bay Area.

Gachina Landscape Management

We strive for complete customer satisfaction and our experienced staff understands that every customer's landscape environment is unique. We routinely consult with customers to prepare annual budgets evaluating every aspect of a property's landscape. Special consideration is given to every job, regardless of the size. From budgeting to installation through the maintenance and upkeep of your property's custom landscape - **Gachina delivers.**

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