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Diamond Certified Directory

LOCAL COMPANIES RATED HIGHEST IN QUALITY · PERFORMANCE GUARANTEED



INSIDE: Capability Profiles of
Top Rated Diamond Certified Companies
PLUS: Expert Tips in the Back of this Directory

Ratings updated daily at www.diamondcertified.org

2010

American Ratings Corporation conducts accurate customer satisfaction research.



1. APPLY
The company must apply to begin the rating process.



2. SAMPLE
A random sample
of typically 400 past
customers is collected
from all customer files
of the applicant
company.



3. SURVEY
Only real customers
are surveyed in
confidential telephone
research to determine
the company's
customer satisfaction
score based on quality.



4. SCORE
To qualify, the company must score Highest in Quality and Helpful Expertise®, with a score of 90 or above on a 100 scale.

Rigorous standards are enforced.



5. CREDENTIALS
We confirm that the company has required insurances and valid state-mandated credentials.



6. PRACTICES
The company must perform to contract, have customer-friendly business practices and stand behind its work.



Only the highest rated pass.

7. COMMITMENT
The company agrees
to adhere to the
Diamond Certified®
Customer Satisfaction
Principles.



If the company's quality rating, business practices and credentials meet our high standards, it is awarded Diamond Certified.

We require ongoing customer satisfaction and performance.



9. MONITOR

We conduct ongoing surveys to ensure the company is maintaining high customer satisfaction and loyalty.



10. MEDIATE

The company agrees to participate in Diamond Certified mediation if necessary.



11. GUARANTEE

The Diamond Certified Performance Guarantee provides added assurance of the company's commitment to customer satisfaction.



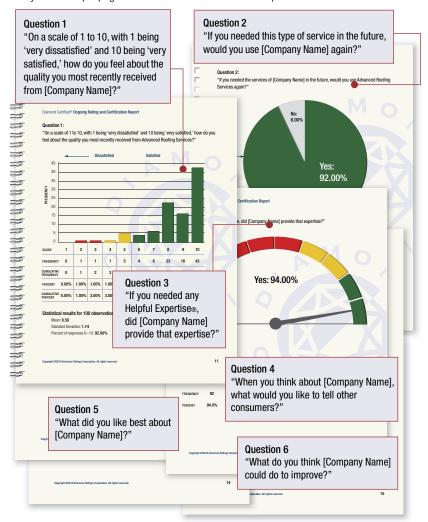
12. QUALITY

Companies that are able to qualify for and maintain their Diamond Certified awards are much more likely to deliver quality to their customers.

2/15/19 was the cutoff date for publishing this directory. Please go to our website to see changes.

Individual Research Reports

Each company, pass or fail, receives a research and rating report with the results of their study. The example pages below show the value of these reports:



Only local companies rated Highest in Quality and Helpful Expertise® earn Diamond Certified and appear in this directory. Each company has undergone at least 30 hours of research and passed every rating step in customer satisfaction, insurance coverage, license, business practices, complaint bureau status and credit for contractors as described on the previous page.

CRIMINAL BACKGROUND CHECKS ARE NOT CONDUCTED: The rating steps that we conduct are described on this page. We do not conduct criminal background checks. If this is important to you when choosing your next service provider, do not hesitate to ask the company representative whether the employees who will be working in your home have passed criminal background checks and if any additional measures will be undertaken to protect your family and your property while work is in process. If you have children, you may also want to review the Megan's Law website. We hope that this information has provided you with an added measure of decision-making power.

Compared to Review Sites

We know review websites can be helpful, but you have to be careful when using them. It's important to understand the key differences between how we conduct research and how review sites collect reviews. While we exclusively conduct telephone surveys from an entire customer base of each rated company, review sites post reviews from any person who chooses to post, which means legitimate, spontaneous reviews are mixed with fake and cherry-picked reviews that come from a company's best customers, family and friends. Due to the accuracy of our ratings, we're able to back your purchases from top rated companies with the Diamond Certified Performance Guarantee, while review sites do not. For these reasons, we naturally encourage consumers to first look to top rated Diamond Certified companies whenever possible.

Most Review Sites Diamond Certified Resource (DCR) Fake Reviews / Multiple Identities **Real Customers** To start each rating, DCR uses a company's Anyone can post an anonymous review, actual customer list. Then DCR only performs whether they were a customer or not. Roughly its surveys by telephone, which allows it 30% of posted reviews are fake. Anyone to verify that each customer has actually can game the system by creating multiple purchased from the company being rated. identities and posting fake reviews to bolster bad companies, or sabotage good ones. Random Sample / All Customers Cherry-Picking Review sites encourage companies to DCR receives all customer names and phone numbers or a large, random sample of ask people to write reviews. Many times, customers (400) from each rated company. owners and employees solicit their families. Company owners can't cherry-pick because friends and best customers to post 5-star of such a large base. Thus, dissatisfied and reviews. This cherry-picking produces satisfied customers are surveyed in true misleading and biased results. proportion to their occurrence. Inaccurate Star Scores Statistically Reliable / Rigorous Each company's "star score" (calculated DCR research is statistically reliable because a large, random sample of customers is by averaging scored reviews) isn't an accurate score for customer satisfaction because pulled from each company's customer reviewers aren't derived from a random sample base. Customers are "interrupted" by phone interviews at home, so there's not a that represents all customers served. Instead, self-selection bias. Ongoing research, customers and non-customers are solicited to write reviews. As such, the results of the review complaint and credentials ratings ensure Diamond Certified companies continue to scoring are not statistically reliable. perform well. Performance Guarantee No Guarantees Should a dispute arise about performance on Most sites don't offer a performance contract. DCR provides mediation and a moneyquarantee. back guarantee per the terms of the Diamond Certified Performance Guarantee (see page 5).

American Ratings Corporation

Who We Are and What We Believe

Our mission is to define excellence and identify for consumers the highest quality local companies. Our team at American Ratings Corporation is the most experienced in the nation in rating and certifying local companies. We are dedicated to ensuring you have confidence in the companies you choose.

We are committed to performing all ratings and ongoing certification work with the highest integrity and accuracy. We believe:

- You the consumer have the right to know which companies are truly performing at the highest level of quality.
- The highest quality companies should be rewarded for their ongoing performance through public recognition.
- Companies should be held accountable for their performance—one customer at a time.



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Your Performance Guarantee

If you're dissatisfied with the performance of a Diamond Certified company and try unsuccessfully to resolve the issue, we're here to help. Initiate mediation within six months of your purchase. If the company fails to honor its contractual obligations, uphold industry standards or participate in good faith to resolve the issue, we will refund your purchase price up to a limit of \$1,000. See the details below or at www.diamondcertified.org.



WHAT WE CAN'T PROMISE—LIMIT OF LIABILITY
The Diamond Certified® symbol is not a promise of a company's future performance or your actual satisfaction with that company. We endeavor to perform the rating process accurately and without bias according to the description supplied by our organization. Furthermore, we believe that the methodology used to ascertain this rating and award Diamond Certified is a fair representation of the qualifying company's high customer satisfaction level during the period of the rating. Since we rely on multiple sources of information and each company's performance can change over time, we cannot guarantee the accuracy of the information provided herewith. The content and materials provided are provided "As Is" and without warranties of any kind, either expressed or implied. Memberships, awards and affiliations are not independently verified. Under no circumstances, including but not limited to negligence, shall we be liable to you or any other entity for any direct, indirect, incidental, special, or consequential damages. The Diamond Certified symbol does not mean that a certified company will meet every individual's subjective markers for satisfaction. We do back our certification with a Performance Guarantee, which is our sole quarantee provided users of any information related to Diamond Certified.

Read Expert Articles Before You Choose

Visit www.diamondcertified.org to find expertly researched articles about shopping for and buying from local companies across a wide variety of industry categories.





Get the basic facts about each Diamond Certified company in a particular industry, including contact information, key services and areas served.

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This photo gallery showcases Diamond Certified companies' staff, facilities, vehicles and work. As you scroll through the photos, detailed captions give you context and enhance meaning.

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EXPERT CONTRIBUTOR PROFILE



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John Gorman: One Man's Journey

By MATTHEW SOLIS, Senior Editor Diamone

John Gorman has been en joying a successful career in the window and door industry for the past 30 years, but the path he followed to get to his current destination wasn't always clear. In fad, a career in windows wasn't even on... Read more

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How to Choose the Right Window Frames

by John Gorman of

PETALUMA — In the past, homeowners who wanted to replace their windows were somewhat limited in their choices. Today, consumers can choose from a wide variety of window options and find a product that best fits their lifestyle, budget and personal preferences. Here's some information about the most popular styles of window frames on the market today:

Vinyl Window Frames

Vinyl window frames were originally created to replace aluminum, which were the most common frames installed in houses throughout the 1950s, '60s and '70s. Here are a few attributes of vinyl windows:

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EXPERT VIDEO TIP



Video: Three Window Frame Options

with John Gorman of

Complete Video Transcription:

PETALUMA — Host, Sarah Rutan: If you're shopping for windows, you'll need to decide whether to have wood, vinyl, or fiberglass frames. So, we're in staluma with Diamond Certified Expert Contributor, John Gorman of Save Energy Company to find out.

Diamond Certified Expert Contributor, John Gorman: Today I want to talk to you about window frames. When you replace your windows, you have three different options of different window frames you can use; vinyl, wood, and fibergliass... Read more

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Read text versions of the Diamond Certified Expert Video tips.

Dear Savvy Consumer



American Ratings Corporation

Defining Excellence

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Dear Savvy Consumer,

We've all felt the joy of choosing a good local company and, unfortunately, the pain when we mistakenly choose a bad one. The problem is, every company claims to be good, yet despite these glowing claims some provide inconsistent quality while others are downright unscrupulous.

That's why we're proud to present you with the Diamond Certified solution: a directory of only top rated local companies, each guaranteed. Every profiled company has earned the prestigious Diamond Certified and been rated Highest in Quality and Helpful Expertise® in the country's most accurate rating process of local companies.

You won't be fooled by fake reviews and cherry-picked reviews.

By their own admission, roughly 30% of reviews posted to high-volume review sites are fake. Anyone can game the system by creating multiple identities and posting fake reviews to bolster bad companies. Equally as devastating is the fact that review sites encourage company owners to tell family, friends and selected customers to give them 5 stars. This cherry-picking produces misleading and biased results.

We verify by phone that each surveyed customer is real, not cherry-picked.

When you choose a Diamond Certified company, you'll never be fooled by fake or cherry-picked reviews because we verify only real customers are surveyed from a large, random sample of each company's actual customer base. Company owners can't cherry-pick by telling cohorts to post reviews on our site-we don't allow it. That's why all of the 363,000+ surveys we've conducted are by telephone.

Diamond Certified companies are top rated for quality and guaranteed.

Our rigorous rating and certification process starts with the in-depth pass/fail rating of each company's customer satisfaction, license and insurances. Then we continue to monitor each company and complete ongoing customer satisfaction studies. Finally, we stand behind our work by backing your purchase with the Diamond Certified Performance Guarantee (see page 5).

Ratings are updated daily online. Expert advice is there to help you.

We encourage you to visit www.diamondcertified.org, where you can find updated ratings, see verbatim survey responses on each Diamond Certified company, and read thousands of industry-specific expert articles and tips.

Now you can feel confident about your choices. Keep this valuable directory by your phone, and for the best service, let companies know you selected them from the Diamond Certified Directory.

Sincerely,

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- 1 A special **MEMBER HOTLINE** phone number that you'll always call for live help, questions or problem resolution.
- 2 A free subscription to the annual and quarterly **DIAMOND CERTIFIED DIRECTORY** for your county, plus your choice of two additional counties and access to free digital downloads of every directory.



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 Consumer transaction is backed up with a
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Your information is kept completely confidential. We will never sell your name or address to anyone. Diamond Certified Preferred Consumers are members of the Diamond Certified Consumer Group, Questions? Call (800) 480-1978

Frequently Asked Questions

Q: What does a company have to do to earn Diamond Certified@?

A: Each company must undergo a rigorous rating process and earn a customer satisfaction rating of 90 or higher (on a 100 scale). Companies that score Highest in Quality and Helpful Expertise® and pass verifications for insurance coverage, license, business practices, and complaint bureau status earn Diamond Certified. Most companies can't make the grade.

Q: Why do you say your ratings are more accurate than review sites?

A: Unfortunately, many online review sites are plagued with fake and cherry-picked reviews, where anonymous posters pretend to be customers and reviewed companies solicit their favorite customers to post reviews. Conversely, our ratings are based on statistically reliable research that's derived from a large, random sample of each company's verified customer base. We conduct telephone surveys to ensure we survey only real customers of the company being rated, and we require every Diamond Certified company to pass ongoing research and credential ratings in order to maintain their certification.

Q: What if I have a problem with a Diamond Certified company?

A: Contact the senior manager of the company and explain the problem. Use the original service contract for reference. Describe what reasonable measures the company can take to correct the problem. If the issue remains unresolved, please review the terms of the Diamond Certified Performance Guarantee on page 5 and contact us at (800) 738-1138.

Q: Can a company cheat to earn Diamond Certified?

A: It's possible, but unlikely. A company with low customer satisfaction has a problem hiding that fact because most customers don't bother complaining. We survey a large, random sample of past customers, conduct ongoing research and monitor all complaints received. Companies that fail to keep their customers satisfied are disqualified.

Q: Why don't you tell us which companies don't pass your rating and certification?

A: All companies are guaranteed anonymity in the rating process so they're more likely to apply to be rated. To be safe, use a Diamond Certified company.

Q: Who pays for the rating? How does American Ratings Corporation generate money to cover costs?

A: Companies that go through the rating process pay a rating fee and receive a pass or fail research report. Companies that qualify and earn Diamond Certified pay an annual certification fee, allowing us to monitor the Diamond Certified brand, conduct each company's ongoing customer satisfaction research, provide mediation, back you with the Diamond Certified Performance Guarantee, and educate the public.

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ay Area Home Services installs and repairs all types of HVAC systems for residential and commercial clients in Solano, Napa, and Contra Costa Counties. In addition to working on equipment that's designed to improve indoor air quality, the company is qualified to install solar systems, water heaters, electrical systems, windows and more.

Owner Christopher Morimoto attributes much of Bay Area Home Services' success to its honest, customer-oriented approach to each project. "Our clients appreciate us because we're on time, clean and upfront about what they need," he says. "By taking the time to educate them about their systems and showing them the best options for their situations, we're able to ensure their longterm satisfaction."

Bay Area Home Services prioritizes communication throughout every phase of its work, which Mr. Morimoto says is important for establishing trust with everyone involved. "We always call our clients to keep them informed about their projects and follow up to make sure they're happy. That really makes us stand out in this industry-our customers know we truly care about ensuring they have the best possible experiences."

COMPANY PHILOSOPHY

"We're dedicated to providing personalized services and cost-effective solutions that enhance our clients' quality of life. We hold ourselves to the highest standards and strive to exceed our customers' expectations in everything we do. Through honesty, integrity and professionalism, we aim to become their comfort contractor for life."

EXCERPTED SURVEY RESPONSES

Number of Responses

"They were respectful, on time and courteous. They walked us through the steps of the process and returned our phones calls quickly. I really enjoyed the service."-Hugo B.

Less

BAY AREA HOME SERVICES

(707) 200-1320

Serving Solano, Napa and Contra Costa Counties



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MANAGER

Christopher Morimoto, Owner

SERVICES

HVAC Installation and Repair Indoor Air Quality Windows Water Heaters

Electrical Systems Solar Systems

HOURS

Mon - Fri: 8am - 5pm

GUARANTEES

10-Year Warranty on Parts 2-Year Warranty on Labor

BRANDS

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EMPLOYEES

DIAMOND CERTIFIED COMPANY REPORT

www.dccert.org/2514

DIAMOND CERTIFIED RATINGS DASHBOARD based on 10 random customer surveys since January 2019 CUSTOMER SATISFACTION CUSTOMER LOYALTY **HELPFUL EXPERTISE®** 10 I 9 🛮 8 More Satisfied

"Would you use this

company again?"

"Did the company provide Helpful Expertise® if needed?"

- Workers' Compensation
- Liability Insurance
 - State License No. 903443
- - **Current Complaint File** Legal & Finance
- **Business Practices**

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SERVICES

Collision Repair Insurance Claims

HOURS

Mon - Fri: 8am - 5pm Sat: 9am - 2pm (Estimates Only)

CREDIT CARDS

MasterCard Visa

GUARANTEES

Limited Lifetime Warranty

BRANDS

Standox, PPG

EMPLOYEES

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CERTIFICATION/TRAINING

I-CAR Gold Class Certified

Number of Responses

DIAMOND CERTIFIED COMPANY REPORT

www.dccert.org/1541

merican Canyon Collision Center provides a wide variety of collision services for all types of foreign and domestic vehicles, including frame straightening, wheel alignment, color matching and detailing. The family-owned and operated company uses state-of-the-art equipment (including a Chief Velocity laser frame measuring system), employs estimators who speak both English and Spanish, and backs its workmanship with a lifetime warranty for as long as customers own their vehicles.

Owner Joel Ramos Diaz, who has more than 20 years of collision repair experience, founded American Canyon Collision Center in 2005. Mr. Diaz says his estimators, repair technicians, painters, and detailers take pride in doing everything they can to make the repair process straightforward and fast for customers. The company's staff members also help clients with their insurance claims, including loss management.

American Canyon Collision Center features an Ozone Waterborne Refinishing Paint Booth that's energy-efficient and environmentally friendly, and it uses German-engineered Standox paint to provide precise color matching. The company is also a direct repair facility for AAA, State Farm, Farmers Insurance Group, Kemper Corporation, Wheels Insurance and LeasePlan Insurance.

COMPANY PHILOSOPHY

"We're dedicated to providing the highest quality workmanship and customer service possible. We deliver our services with a sense of warmth, friendliness, pride and company spirit. We know the collision repair process can be stressful, so we work hard to make it uncomplicated for our customers."

EXCERPTED SURVEY RESPONSES

"They were very friendly and they had everything done when they said it would be done. Also, the quality of the work was top-notch."—Brenton B.

DIAMOND CERTIFIED RATINGS DASHBOARD based on 163 random customer surveys since June 2009 CUSTOMER SATISFACTION CUSTOMER LOYALTY **HELPFUL EXPERTISE®** 10 8

"Would you use this

company again?"

More Satisfied

Less



"Did the company provide Helpful Expertise® if needed?"

- Workers' Compensation
 - Liability Insurance
- State License No. 246220 Current Complaint File
- Business Practices

President David Cook, with more than 20 years of experience in the construction industry, says he has developed a keen eye for detail and a reputation for excellence that attracts all types of qualityseeking clients. "Our aim is to take the guesswork out of kitchen and bathroom remodeling. Most people have never been through the process and have no idea what to expect or what things cost. Our job is to guide them through the process step by step so they know exactly what's happening."

Cook's Kitchen & Bath, Inc. is an authorized dealer of Huntwood Custom Cabinets and Bestbath, a leading manufacturer of curbless showers, slide-in bathtubs and walk-in bathtubs. The company also works closely with clients who have special needs, helping to retrofit their bathrooms for both safety and comfort. Mr. Cook invites potential customers to visit Cook's Kitchen & Bath's Benicia showroom (by appointment only) for more information.

COMPANY PHILOSOPHY

"Remodeling is a relationship business! With so many variables involved, it's up to us to educate clients about the process. To be successful, we take full responsibility, managing every aspect of every project from start to finish. Our ultimate goal is to provide results that exceed our customers' expectations and are completed on time and within budget."

EXCERPTED SURVEY RESPONSES

"I liked that they were very punctual, and their timeline was very accurate."-Mike D.

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SERVICES

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HOURS

Mon – Fri: 8am - 5pm Showroom: By Appointment Only

GUARANTEES

2-Year Warranty on Workmanship Manufacturers' Warranties on Materials

DIAMOND CERTIFIED COMPANY REPORT

www.dccert.org/1166

DIAMOND CERTIFIED RATINGS DASHBOARD based on 69 random customer surveys since November 2007

CUSTOMER SATISFACTION 8 More Satisfied Less

Number of Responses

CUSTOMER LOYALTY



"Would you use this company again?"



"Did the company provide Helpful Expertise® if needed?"

- Workers' Compensation
- Liability Insurance
- State License No. 835584
 - Current Complaint File
 - Legal & Finance
- **Business Practices**

JC CARPET & UPHOLSTERY CLEANING

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Serving Solano and Contra Costa Counties



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Oriental, Persian & Other Area Rugs Carpet Stretching Carpet Repairs Emergency Water Extraction

HOURS

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CREDIT CARDS

MasterCard Visa

GUARANTEES

30-Day Money-Back Guarantee on Every Job

EMPLOYEES

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DIAMOND CERTIFIED COMPANY REPORT

www.dccert.org/2245

C Carpet & Upholstery Cleaning provides carpet, upholstery, and tile and grout cleaning services for residential and commercial clients in Solano and Contra Costa Counties. The family-owned and operated company also has the training and equipment to clean and restore heavily soiled carpet and remove stains caused by pets. Its technicians are available 24/7 to handle cleaning emergencies.

Owner Jorge Clara says much of JC Carpet & Upholstery Cleaning's success is due to its honest business practices, which include clearly communicating with customers about the extent of how soiled their carpet really is and making sure they get the best value. "We never mislead our customers—if we see something that can't be cleaned or restored and is beyond cleaning, we'll let them know right away. They really appreciate how honest we are."

JC Carpet & Upholstery Cleaning uses the hot water extraction method (steam cleaning) to clean carpets, which Mr. Clara says is the best way to ensure high-quality results. "Steam cleaning allows us to keep carpets looking their best without using harsh chemicals and putting our customers' health at risk. No matter what type of foot traffic a home or business gets, we're able to clean or restore the carpet to its original beauty."

COMPANY PHILOSOPHY

"Our number one goal is to provide quality work, and we stand behind that in everything we do. Honesty is crucial to build trusting and lasting relationships with our clients, and the best way to do that is make them feel safe, satisfied, and confident that they've received the best possible service."

EXCERPTED SURVEY RESPONSES

"They are on time and they do a really good job. It seems like they have the customer in mind."—Earl C.



alifornia Concrete - Pump Pros provides a complete range of concrete services for residential and commercial clients throughout the Bay Area. As a specialty contractor, the company focuses on all aspects of concrete, such as design, demolition, forming, pumping, installing and finishing. This includes foundations, walkways, driveways, patios and pool decks.

Owner Charles Lee says being a concrete specialty contractor separates California Concrete - Pump Pros from the competition. "We work with concrete on a daily basis, so we're able to bring this knowledge to our customers and offer them an unsurpassed product. In fact, because of our extensive knowledge and experience, we provide our service to hundreds of general contractors. We're their 'go-to guy' when it comes to concrete."

California Concrete - Pump Pros is known for its steadfast dedication to quality control, which Mr. Lee says is the most important aspect of being successful in the concrete industry. The company owns all its own equipment, which means it can pass those savings to its customers. "Having reasonable pricing isn't the only reason our clients keep coming back-it's because we focus intently on quality in every aspect of our work," says Mr. Lee. "We concentrate on what we do best, which is concrete, and provide a high-quality product every time. We really are the pros of the industry."

COMPANY PHILOSOPHY

"We strive to do every job right the first time. We don't cut corners, and we don't hold back on the quality of our materials or workmanship. Our customers are very important to us, so we always treat them the way we would want to be treated. We work very hard to ensure our customers are completely satisfied."

EXCERPTED SURVEY RESPONSES

Number of Responses

"They're very helpful and knowledgeable."—Douglas W.

Less

CALIFORNIA CONCRETE - PUMP PROS

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Serving Solano County and the East Bay



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SERVICES

Concrete Services Foundations Walkways Driveways

HOURS

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CREDIT CARDS

MasterCard Visa

GUARANTEES

1-Year Warranty on All Work

EMPLOYEES

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DIAMOND CERTIFIED COMPANY REPORT

www.dccert.org/2133

DIAMOND CERTIFIED RATINGS DASHBOARD based on 125 random customer surveys since February 2014 CUSTOMER SATISFACTION CUSTOMER LOYALTY **HELPFUL EXPERTISE®** 8 More Satisfied

"Would you use this "Did the company provide Helpful Expertise® if needed?" company again?"

- Workers' Compensation
- Liability Insurance
- State License No. 898584
- **Current Complaint File**
- Legal & Finance
- **Business Practices**

PENNY PINCHING CONSTRUCTION & REMODELING (707) 968-7930





Penny Pinching Construction & Remodeling recently completed work on this house and garage project.

WEBSITE

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MANAGER

Rick Gudgel, Owner

SERVICES

Residential & Commercial Remodeling & Rebuilding Demolition, Site Excavation & Earthwork

Doors & Windows

Plumbing Carpentry

Painting Fire Restoration

HOURS

Mon – Fri: 8am - 5pm 24-Hour Emergency Service

CREDIT CARDS

Discover, MasterCard, Visa

GUARANTEES

1-Year Warranty on Craftsmanship & Workmanship

Manufacturers' Warranties on Products

DIAMOND CERTIFIED COMPANY REPORT

www.dccert.org/2100

enny Pinching Construction & Remodeling provides a wide range of construction services for residential and commercial clients throughout Solano and Napa Counties. The company utilizes its diverse capabilities to handle every aspect of the remodeling and rebuilding process, from plumbing work to finish carpentry.

Owner Rick Gudgel says his hands-on involvement in Penny Pinching Construction & Remodeling makes a significant difference in terms of quality and customer satisfaction. "I don't just own the company; I work right in the field. I also work closely with my clients and communicate clearly with them so I can make sure I'm keeping my promises."

In addition to building, Penny Pinching Construction & Remodeling offers demolition, site excavation, fire restoration and earthwork services. Regardless of the type of work that's being performed, Mr. Gudgel says customer satisfaction is his number one priority. "I really enjoy pleasing my customers and seeing how happy they are with the end results of my work."

COMPANY PHILOSOPHY

"My clients can count on me to provide highquality work, clear communication and friendly service. I utilize my industry knowledge to ensure a positive experience for every customer. No job is too big or small-if a client can dream it, I can build it."

EXCERPTED SURVEY RESPONSES

"He was capable of doing all the work we presented to him and he was a master at all of it. We were very satisfied."—Peggy K.

"He's a real craftsman and he has done wonderful carpentry in my home. He's done a beautiful job in a very difficult situation."-Linda P.



CUSTOMER SATISFACTION CUSTOMER LOYALTY **HELPFUL EXPERTISE®**









"Did the company provide Helpful Expertise® if needed?"

- Workers' Compensation
- Liability Insurance State License No. 952820
- Current Complaint File
- ✓ Legal & Finance
- **Business Practices**

Dr. Porteous graduated from UC Berkeley and then earned his dental degree from Case Western - Reserve Dental School in 1980. He completed a general practice residency at Olive View Medical Center in Van Nuys and received specialized training in oral surgery. Dr. Porteous also obtained additional training in the areas of cosmetic dentistry, root canal therapy and gum surgery. He regularly attends continued education meetings on the advancements in the dental profession.

Larry Porteous Family Dentistry is a true family practice-Dr. Porteous' wife, Linda, is the dental hygienist, and the office welcomes patients of all ages. For more information, Dr. Porteous invites people to visit www.porteousfamilydentistry.com.

COMPANY PHILOSOPHY

"Our motto is, 'Let our family be your family dentist.' We give each person the same respect, concern and care that we would want to receive as patients. We make it our main priority to put our patients at ease and treat them in a friendly, caring environment. We take the time to explain their dental conditions and clearly outline their options for treatment. We encourage our patients to ask questions because we want them to fully understand and be comfortable with any procedures we recommend."

EXCERPTED SURVEY RESPONSES

Number of Responses

"I like the personalities of all the employees. They treat you like a personal friend rather than a patient."-Elisa H.

Less

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HOURS

Mon - Thu: 9am - 8pm 9am - 7pm Fri: Sat: By Appointment

CREDIT CARDS

Amex. Discover. MasterCard. Visa. CareCredit - Financing

CERTIFICATION/TRAINING

UC Berkeley Graduate (1975) Case Western - Reserve Dental School Graduate (1980)

DIAMOND CERTIFIED COMPANY REPORT

www.dccert.org/156

DIAMOND CERTIFIED RATINGS DASHBOARD based on 380 random customer surveys since August 2002 CUSTOMER SATISFACTION CUSTOMER LOYALTY **HELPFUL EXPERTISE®** 10 I 8 I 7 I More Satisfied

"Would you use this "Did the company provide company again?" Helpful Expertise® if needed?'

- Workers' Compensation
- Liability Insurance
- State License No. 29191 **Current Complaint File**
- Business Practices

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MANAGER

Juan Caballero, Owner

SERVICES

Garage Doors & Openers: Sales & Service, Installations & Repairs, **Broken Springs**

HOURS

Available 24/7

Showroom:

Mon – Fri: 2pm - 5pm 10am - 2pm Sat:

CREDIT CARDS

Discover, MasterCard, Visa

DIAMOND CERTIFIED COMPANY REPORT

www.dccert.org/2380

C Garage Door Center provides, installs and repairs garage doors for residential clients in Solano, Napa, and Contra Costa Counties.

The company's Suisun City showroom features a wide variety of door products made by industry leaders like LiftMaster and Carriage House Door Company, and its technicians are available 24/7 to handle emergency repairs.

Owner Juan Caballero says JC Garage Door Center's customer-oriented business practices have allowed it to maintain a loyal clientele base that's quick to refer the company to others. "We don't just try to sell doors to our customers—we take the time to educate them about the products they have in their homes and show them how to keep them in good shape. Our clients know we're not going to push them toward things they don't need, and they really appreciate that type of honesty."

JC Garage Door Center's meticulous approach to quality control includes providing every job with the hands-on expertise of Mr. Caballero himself. "My sons do all the installations and repairs, and they're well-trained and know how to do the job correctly, but I still recheck everything to make sure it's perfect," he says. "By going the extra mile, we're able to ensure the long-term satisfaction of our customers."

COMPANY PHILOSOPHY

"Our clients always come first, no matter what. They keep our business alive, so we do everything we can to meet their needs and accommodate their schedules. Ultimately, we want them to think of us as a great company that always does a great job."

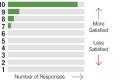
EXCERPTED SURVEY RESPONSES

"They were very knowledgeable, helpful, and they worked around my schedule."

–Alfredo H.

DIAMOND CERTIFIED RATINGS DASHBOARD based on 151 random customer surveys since August 2016 CUSTOMER SATISFACTION 10 ■

CUSTOMER LOYALTY





company again?"



HELPFUL EXPERTISE®

"Did the company provide Helpful Expertise® if needed?"

- Workers' Compensation
- Liability Insurance
- State License No. 937158
 - Current Complaint File Legal & Finance
- **Business Practices**

oor Pros provides a wide range of garage door services for residential and commercial customers throughout the Greater Bay Area and the Greater Sacramento Area, handling everything from spring, cable and hardware repairs to automatic door opener installations and door panel replacements.

Owner Josh Camilleri credits Door Pros' success to its highly experienced and dedicated technicians, all of whom are trained to use the latest industry technology and techniques. "We've been growing steadily over the past few years, but our employees still have the same attitudes and business ethics as when we started," he says. "Our goal has always been to keep our customers happy by providing excellent services that exceed their expectations, and that's what we continue to do."

Door Pros is known for its comprehensive same-day repair services, which are designed to maximize turnaround time without compromising quality of workmanship. "Our ability to quickly handle problems is an important asset," confirms Mr. Camilleri. "When customers see we're able to expertly fix their doors and install new hardware in one day, they feel confident about calling us again and referring us to others."

COMPANY PHILOSOPHY

"We take great pride in the craftsmanship and dedication we put into every project. Our attention to detail has always made us stand out in our industry and has allowed us to develop a positive reputation with our clientele. Ultimately, we want each customer to have a positive experience that extends throughout every phase of their garage door project."

EXCERPTED SURVEY RESPONSES

"The price was right and the quality of their work was superior."—Jenn R.

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SERVICES

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CREDIT CARDS

Amex, Discover, MasterCard, Visa

EMPLOYEES

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DIAMOND CERTIFIED COMPANY REPORT www.dccert.org/1785

DIAMOND CERTIFIED RATINGS DASHBOARD based on 228 random customer surveys since November 2011

CUSTOMER SATISFACTION C 10 9 More 7 Satisfied 5 Less 4 Satisfied

Number of Responses

CUSTOMER LOYALTY



"Would you use this company again?"

HELPFUL EXPERTISE®



"Did the company provide Helpful Expertise® if needed?"

- Workers' Compensation
- ✓ Liability Insurance
 - State License No. 958861
- State License No. 958861
 Current Complaint File
- ✓ Legal & Finance
- Business Practices

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HOURS

Mon – Fri: 8am – 5pm Weekend/After Hours: By Appointment Only at Client's Convenience Available by Phone 24/7

CREDIT CARDS

Amex, MasterCard, Visa

EMPLOYEES

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DIAMOND CERTIFIED COMPANY REPORT

www.dccert.org/1420

avid Bianchi Home Repair, Inc. provides a variety of home improvement and residential remodeling services for clients throughout Solano County. The company works on projects of all sizes (including multi-dwelling properties) and handles everything from flooring and tile installations to carpentry, interior and exterior painting, plumbing, and dry rot and termite damage repair.

President David Bianchi entered the construction trade more than three decades ago at the urging of his father-in-law. Mr. Bianchi says he's proud to have cultivated long-standing relationships with his clients over the years, many of whom remain his friends today. "I have a deep connection with this area, and I'm honored to deliver promptness, professionalism, quality workmanship and superior service on every home improvement project."

For the convenience of its clients, David Bianchi Home Repair is available by phone 24/7 and can schedule weekend and after-hours services to accommodate work and home schedules. "We do everything we can to make the process simple and stress-free for our customers," says Mr. Bianchi.

COMPANY PHILOSOPHY

"Our business approach is simple: If we take care of our customers, we know they'll take care of us. A small job this year may lead to a big job next year, and one happy customer can result in many referrals. As such, we treat every client and every job with equal importance."

EXCERPTED SURVEY RESPONSES

"They were sensitive to what I wanted and willing to make accommodations. They helped out in any way that I needed additional assistance. I thought it was a very personable business."—Steve B.

"They are reliable and they respond quickly."

—Ann M.



DIAMOND CERTIFIED RATINGS DASHBOARD based on 107 random customer surveys since October 2008

CUSTOMER SATISFACTION



CUSTOMER LOYALTY



"Would you use this company again?"

HELPFUL EXPERTISE®



"Did the company provide Helpful Expertise® if needed?"

- ✓ Workers' Compensation
- Liability Insurance
- ✓ State License No. 788269
- Current Complaint File
- ✓ Legal & Finance
 ✓ Business Practices

dvanced Instruments Hearing Aid Center offers a variety of hearing services at locations in Vacaville, Fairfield and Sonoma. The company performs comprehensive hearing evaluations and uses a verification system called Live Speech Mapping to ensure hearing aids are properly adjusted for each individual patient. The company fits and repairs hearing instruments from many top manufacturers, including Signia (Siemens), Starkey, Oticon, Unitron, Widex, Phonak. GN ReSound and more.

Owner and Audioprosthologist Eric Stratton has had more than 33,000 appointments to help people hear better, and he takes great pride in improving the quality of life for each person he sees. "We take a patient-centered approach," he says. "Our staff thoroughly evaluates each person's hearing needs and works diligently to find the best solutions."

Advanced Instruments Hearing Aid Center provides a variety of products designed to help hearing-impaired patients in their everyday lives, including amplified telephones and wireless listening systems. The company also makes custom earmolds for musicians, shooters and others exposed to high levels of noise.

COMPANY PHILOSOPHY

"We help people hear better. We improve their ability to communicate with others and the world around them. Our product is a person who hears and understands better."

EXCERPTED SURVEY RESPONSES

Number of Responses

"They were friendly, prompt and knowledgeable." -Leo F.

"I like their attitude. They are very nice and thorough in what they do. They are very consistent in the quality of their services." –Betty P.

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WEBSITE

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MANAGER

Eric Stratton, Owner

SERVICES

Hearing Aids, Hearing Testing, Fitting & Repair, Hearing Protection Devices, Tinnitus Treatment, Occupational Hearing Testing, Assistive Listening Devices, Wireless Listening System Installation

HOURS

Fairfield & Vacaville

Mon - Fri: 9am - 5pm Available By Appt. Other:

Sonoma

Mon: 9am - 12pm Tue & Thu: 9am - 5pm Wed: 9am - 3pm 9am - 1pm Fri: Other: Available By Appt.

CERTIFICATION/TRAINING

Certified Audioprosthologist National Board Certification in Hearing Instrument Sciences Certified Occupational Hearing Conservationist

DIAMOND CERTIFIED COMPANY REPORT

www.dccert.org/943

DIAMOND CERTIFIED RATINGS DASHBOARD based on 472 random customer surveys since August 2006 CUSTOMER SATISFACTION CUSTOMER LOYALTY **HELPFUL EXPERTISE®** 10 ▮ 8 More Satisfied 6

"Would you use this "Did the company provide company again?" Helpful Expertise® if needed?"

- Workers' Compensation
- Liability Insurance
- State License No. HA-3785
- State License No. HA-7523 **Current Complaint File**
- **Business Practices**

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HOURS

Mon – Fri: Sat:

8am - 5pm By Appointment

CREDIT CARDS

Amex, Discover, MasterCard, Visa

GUARANTEES

100% Money-Back Guarantee on HVAC Installations

CERTIFICATION/TRAINING

Bay Area Green Business, Certified Bryant Heating & Cooling Systems Dealer, Energy Upgrade California Participating Contractor, NATE Certified

DIAMOND CERTIFIED COMPANY REPORT

www.dccert.org/1249

More Satisfied

Less

Satisfied

-1 Guaranteed Heating & Air, Inc. is a family-owned and operated HVAC business that serves residential and commercial clients in Solano, Napa, and Contra Costa Counties. The company installs, replaces, repairs and maintains a wide variety of HVAC systems, including furnaces, evaporator coils, compressors, vents and ducts. A-1 Guaranteed has also recently partnered with Energy Upgrade California to increase its customers' overall energy efficiency and achieve even greater savings by upgrading their homes. Currently, the company has been converting homes to Zero Net Energy homes, resulting in major utility savings and in some cases even eliminating the electrical portion of the bill.

Owners Richard and Krissy Hiteshew established A-1 Guaranteed Heating & Air 23 years ago, and they've since expanded to serve thousands of Bay Area customers. The company's efforts have also translated to community recognition-it has received 13 awards for "Best HVAC Company in Solano" from the Vallejo Times Herald, the "Spirit of Solano" award and KRON 4's coveted "Best of the Bay" award for four years.

A-1 Guaranteed Heating & Air is a factoryauthorized dealer of Bryant HVAC systems. A new "Kasey's Klub" membership program was created in 2017, which offers discounts and optional levels for the maintenance of existing HVAC systems.

COMPANY PHILOSOPHY

"We're honest and upfront with our customers, and we make sure they get exactly what we promise. If there's ever a problem, we'll do everything we can to make it right, whether that means removing a system or completely refunding an investment. The happiness and comfort of our clients is the most important aspect of our business."

EXCERPTED SURVEY RESPONSES

"They are committed to customer satisfaction."—Bill P.

DIAMOND CERTIFIED RATINGS DASHBOARD based on 276 random customer surveys since January 2008 CUSTOMER SATISFACTION 10 9 🔳 8 7

Number of Responses

CUSTOMER LOYALTY



"Would you use this company again?"

HELPFUL EXPERTISE®



"Did the company provide Helpful Expertise® if needed?"

COMPANY CREDENTIALS

- Workers' Compensation
- Liability Insurance State License No. 719381
- **Current Complaint File**
- ✓ Legal & Finance **Business Practices**

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ALL WEATHER HEATING & AIR CONDITIONING INC. (707) 200-1319



Gil Medrano Jr., Owner

working condition." All Weather Heating & Air Conditioning matches every client with an HVAC system that meets their particular needs—an honest approach that Mr. Medrano Jr. says isn't a given in the industry. "We never try to oversell our customers or recommend systems that don't make sense for their situations. For example, high-efficiency HVAC systems are great, but they don't always fit every individual, so if a customer has different

ll Weather Heating & Air Conditioning

Inc. provides services that include the installation and repair of heaters, furnaces,

and air conditioners; HVAC maintenance plans;

ventilators, and electronic air cleaners made by industry leader Bryant. The company serves

residential and commercial clients in Solano, Napa, Sonoma, Yolo, and Contra Costa Counties. Owner Gil Medrano Jr. says All Weather Heating & Air Conditioning's ability to solve complicated HVAC problems has been an important aspect of its success. "We really enjoy the technical challenges that come with this type of work, and we draw upon our expertise to fix most problems relatively quickly. Our customers know we won't leave until their HVAC units are in excellent

duct cleaning; and the installation of humidifiers,

COMPANY PHILOSOPHY

"Everything we do is based on three principles: integrity, honesty and fairness. We do whatever it takes to find solutions to our customers' HVAC problems. At the end of the day, we want them to feel like they got exactly what they asked for."

needs, we'll recommend something else."

EXCERPTED SURVEY RESPONSES

"I like how responsive they are. Any time we have any issues with our system, they come right out and take care of everything."-Cameron S.

WEBSITE

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MANAGER

Gil Medrano Jr., Owner

SERVICES

Indoor Air Quality; HVAC Repair, Installation & Maintenance; Duct Cleaning, Repair & Installation; Solar; Attic Insulation; Water Heaters

HOURS

24/7

CREDIT CARDS

Amex, Discover, MasterCard, Visa

GUARANTEES

Written Money-Back Guarantee on All Services & Repairs

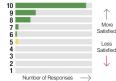
BRANDS

Bryant

EMPLOYEES

DIAMOND CERTIFIED COMPANY REPORT www.dccert.org/2244





company again?"



"Did the company provide Helpful Expertise® if needed?"

- Liability Insurance
- State License No. 949796
- Current Complaint File Legal & Finance
- Business Practices

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HOURS

Office:

Mon – Sun: 5am - 5pm

CREDIT CARDS

Amex. Discover. MasterCard. Visa

GUARANTEES

10-Year Warranty on Insulation 1-Year Warranty on Garage Doors

BRANDS

Clopay, Owens Corning, Pabco, LiftMaster, Johns Manville

CERTIFICATION/TRAINING

BPI Building Analyst

DIAMOND CERTIFIED COMPANY REPORT

www.dccert.org/2175

Number of Responses

Ical Specialty Contracting, Inc. installs and removes insulation, replaces garage doors, airseals attics, and provides other energy efficiency solutions for residential and commercial clients throughout Northern and Southern California. In addition to offering services and products that are designed to increase indoor comfort and reduce the year-round costs associated with heating and cooling, the familyowned and operated company is qualified to perform roofing and waterproofing work, install fireplaces and decorative mantels, and more.

Home Services Division Director Gregory Sutliff says much of Alcal Specialty Contracting's success can be attributed to its customer-oriented business approach. "Our clients are very important to us, so we take the time to communicate clearly with them and make sure they know what's going on with their projects at all times. If there's ever an issue with our work, we'll do whatever it takes to make it right."

Alcal Specialty Contracting's staff members are trained on industry-best installation procedures, and they utilize their extensive product knowledge to help clients make the right decisions for their particular situations. "Our technicians know what it takes to deliver excellent products on time and within budget," affirms Mr. Sutliff. "They take a lot of pride in their work, and that translates to high-quality results for our customers."

COMPANY PHILOSOPHY

"We're committed to quality and customer service in everything we do, so we always stand behind our products and make sure each job fulfills the client's specific needs. From the time we provide the bids to the time we leave their properties, our customers can expect to receive focused, professional service."-Darren Morris, Alcal President/CEO

EXCERPTED SURVEY RESPONSES

"They were willing to go the extra mile."—Brian L.

DIAMOND CERTIFIED RATINGS DASHBOARD based on 146 random customer surveys since June 2014 CUSTOMER SATISFACTION CUSTOMER LOYALTY **HELPFUL EXPERTISE®** 10▮ 8 More Satisfied

company again?"

Less



"Did the company provide Helpful Expertise® if needed?"

COMPANY CREDENTIALS

- Workers' Compensation
- Liability Insurance
 - State License No. 815286
- Current Complaint File
- ✓ Legal & Finance
- **Business Practices**

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President David Cook, with more than 20 years of experience in the construction industry, says he has developed a keen eye for detail and a reputation for excellence that attracts all types of qualityseeking clients. "Our aim is to take the guesswork out of kitchen and bathroom remodeling. Most people have never been through the process and have no idea what to expect or what things cost. Our job is to guide them through the process step by step so they know exactly what's happening."

Cook's Kitchen & Bath, Inc. is an authorized dealer of Huntwood Custom Cabinets and Bestbath, a leading manufacturer of curbless showers, slide-in bathtubs and walk-in bathtubs. The company also works closely with clients who have special needs, helping to retrofit their bathrooms for both safety and comfort. Mr. Cook invites potential customers to visit Cook's Kitchen & Bath's Benicia showroom (by appointment only) for more information.

COMPANY PHILOSOPHY

"Remodeling is a relationship business! With so many variables involved, it's up to us to educate clients about the process. To be successful, we take full responsibility, managing every aspect of every project from start to finish. Our ultimate goal is to provide results that exceed our customers' expectations and are completed on time and within budget."

EXCERPTED SURVEY RESPONSES

"I liked that they were very punctual, and their timeline was very accurate."-Mike D.

> More Satisfied

> > Less

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HOURS

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GUARANTEES

2-Year Warranty on Workmanship Manufacturers' Warranties on Materials

DIAMOND CERTIFIED COMPANY REPORT

www.dccert.org/1166



Number of Responses

CUSTOMER LOYALTY



"Would you use this company again?"

HELPFUL EXPERTISE®



"Did the company provide Helpful Expertise® if needed?"

- Workers' Compensation
- Liability Insurance
- State License No. 835584
- - **Current Complaint File** Legal & Finance
- **Business Practices**

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CREDIT CARDS

Amex, Discover, MasterCard, Visa

GUARANTEES

Cost Will Not Exceed Estimate

DIAMOND CERTIFIED COMPANY REPORT

www.dccert.org/9

etropolitan Van & Storage, Inc. has been providing local, national, and international relocation services for residential and commercial clients throughout Northern California since the 1940s. The company takes a full-service approach to moving, offering everything from packing and crating to modular furniture installations. It also provides long-term and in transit storage at three convenient locations in Benicia, Sacramento, and Mountain View.

In addition to moving and storing its customers' belongings, Metropolitan Van & Storage offers record storage services, including box, file and document retrieval; certified document destruction and shredding; medical record purging; document/microfiche imaging conversion; and more. The company's facility is equipped with a state-of-the-art Early Suppression Fast Response (ESFR) system, and BayAlarm provides 24/7 monitoring for both security and fire prevention.

COMPANY PHILOSOPHY

"We take pride in offering old-fashioned customer service. We understand that moving a home or office is often a stressful experience for our customers, so our goal is to provide personal touches and extra attention to detail to make the process go as smoothly as possible. Everyone at our company shares the same mission, from the people who answer initial phone calls to the estimators to the moving crews."

EXCERPTED SURVEY RESPONSES

"I was so impressed with their top-notch crew. I couldn't have asked for a better experience. When they moved my antique furniture, they handled it like it was their own. Nothing was scratched or broken...my comfort level with them was very high."-Dee S.

"They were quick, they knew exactly what to do and they needed only minimal direction."-John T.

DIAMOND CERTIFIED RATINGS DASHBOARD based on 329 random customer surveys since February 2002 CUSTOMER SATISFACTION 10 ▮ 8 More Satisfied 6

Number of Responses

CUSTOMER LOYALTY



Less

"Would you use this company again?"

HELPFUL EXPERTISE®



"Did the company provide Helpful Expertise® if needed?"

- Workers' Compensation
- Liability Insurance State Lic No. MTR-0095137
- Current Complaint File Business Practices

Owners Derrick and Kully Barker are journeyman craftspeople with a mutual desire for creating beautiful work and providing exceptional customer service. The Barkers lead a team of like-minded employees who love their work and take personal pride in every job. "Our team members have years of experience, which allows them to work rapidly without ever rushing or taking shortcuts," says Derrick Barker.

COMPANY PHILOSOPHY

"We take great pride in our work and really care about what each customer wants. We're accessible and always return calls promptly. If something isn't right, we'll fix it immediately. Our goal is to make the entire home improvement process a positive experience for everyone involved."

EXCERPTED SURVEY RESPONSES

"I have used them for quite a while and their quality control is excellent. They also have exceptional communication and responsiveness."-Larry J.

"They are very thorough, upfront, honest, and they make sure the job is done correctly. They check with me to make sure I don't have any complaints or issues."-Lisa S.

"They are timely, always available and very customer-oriented."-Laurie

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Property Management

SERVICES

Painting Specialists Interior & Exterior Painting Texture **Tub Refinishing** Acoustic Removal & Repair Deck & Fence Staining Power Washing Line Striping

HOURS

Gutter Cleaning

6am - 6pm Mon - Sun:

EMPLOYEES

DIAMOND CERTIFIED COMPANY REPORT

www.dccert.org/1399



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CUSTOMER SATISFACTION

More Satisfied Less

Number of Responses

CUSTOMER LOYALTY



"Would you use this company again?"

HELPFUL EXPERTISE®



"Did the company provide Helpful Expertise® if needed?"

- Workers' Compensation
- Liability Insurance
- State License No. 821352
- Current Complaint File Legal & Finance
- **Business Practices**

CASTLELITE **OUTDOOR**

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MANAGER

Jay Magstadt, Operations Manager

SERVICES

Paver Manufacturing & Installation Masonry Units Green/Design

HOURS

Danville Showroom:

Tue – Sat: 10am - 5pm

CREDIT CARDS

MasterCard Visa

GUARANTEES

5-Year Warranty on Installations Lifetime Product Warranties

DIAMOND CERTIFIED COMPANY REPORT

www.dccert.org/1902

astleLite Outdoor manufactures and installs paving stones, masonry units, and Green paying products for residential and commercial clients throughout Northern California. In addition to its onsite installation capabilities, the company maintains a factory showroom in Danville so customers can see firsthand applications of its products.

Operations Manager Jay Magstadt says one of CastleLite Outdoor's most important attributes is its ability to handle both the manufacturing and installation sides of paving stone work. "As a manufacturer-installer, I'm able to control my products from beginning to end, which allows me to maintain excellent customer satisfaction. Being a paving stone manufacturer who sells directly to clients makes a big difference in terms of the quality and appearance of my installations."

CastleLite Outdoor works with licensed, highly experienced subcontractors who are trained in a variety of cutting-edge installation techniques, including the use of filter fabrics and extra base materials to keep driveways from settling, the use of concrete borders to prevent edge pavers from shifting, and more. "These methods ensure my clients are completely satisfied with their new backyards, patios and driveways," says Mr. Magstadt. "I don't just sell paving products— I sell experiences."

COMPANY PHILOSOPHY

"I want my customers to be completely satisfied with every aspect of my work, and everything I do revolves around that. I take care of my clients throughout each step of their projects, and I always do what I say I'm going to do."

EXCERPTED SURVEY RESPONSES

"Jay was very impressive. He did everything he said he was going to do."-David L.

DIAMOND CERTIFIED RATINGS DASHBOARD based on 159 random customer surveys since August 2012 CUSTOMER SATISFACTION 10 9 8 7

Number of Responses

CUSTOMER LOYALTY

More Satisfied

Less



"Would you use this company again?"

HELPFUL EXPERTISE®



"Did the company provide Helpful Expertise® if needed?"

COMPANY CREDENTIALS

- Workers' Compensation
- Liability Insurance
 - State License No. 1013134
 - Current Complaint File
- Legal & Finance
- Business Practices

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iking Pavers installs interlocking pavers for residential and commercial driveways, patios, walkways, and pool decks throughout the Bay Area. The company also installs segmented retaining walls, outdoor kitchens, barbecues and fire pits.

Viking Pavers prides itself on being a professional company at every level-its employees receive ongoing training on the latest materials and proper installation techniques, and it controls each project from beginning to end without using subcontractors, which allows it to ensure high levels of customer satisfaction.

Standing behind the quality and longevity of its work, Viking Pavers offers a lifetime warranty on pavers and a 25-year warranty on labor. More information about the company's services and a vast portfolio of past work can be found at www.vikingpavers.com.

COMPANY PHILOSOPHY

"Our primary goal is to treat our customers the way we'd want to be treated. We work closely with each client throughout every step of their project so we can educate them about our services and explain what to expect from the finished product. Our crew members have collectively worked on more than 1,000 projects, and they use their years of experience to ensure excellent results."

EXCERPTED SURVEY RESPONSES

Number of Responses

"[I liked] their combination of professionalism and creativity. I think they really overachieved on the job they did for me. The finished job exceeded my expectations."-Andy L.

"They were very precise and the workmanship was really good. They came to my house and worked quickly from beginning to end. They did a very clean and professional job."-Pedro G.

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Serving the Entire Bay Area



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MANAGER

Maurosan Milhomem, Owner Jorge Neukirchen, Project Manager

SERVICES

Pavers

Retaining Walls

Driveways, Walkways

Pool Decks, Patios

Outdoor Kitchens & BBQs

Fire Pits

HOURS

Mon - Sat: 8am - 5pm

BRANDS

Basalite, Belgard, Calstone, McNear

CERTIFICATION/TRAINING

Certified Belgard NCMA Segmental Retaining Wall Installer ICPI Certified on Permeable Pavers Installation

DIAMOND CERTIFIED COMPANY REPORT www.dccert.org/1774



"Would you use this

company again?"

"Did the company provide Helpful Expertise® if needed?"

- Workers' Compensation
- Liability Insurance
 - State License No. 970281
- Current Complaint File
- Legal & Finance
- Business Practices

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MANAGER

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SERVICES

Water Heater Installation, Repair & Service Commercial Water Heaters Tankless Water Heaters Electric & High-Efficiency Water Heaters

HOURS

Available 24/7/365

CREDIT CARDS

Amex, Discover, MasterCard, Visa

GUARANTEES

- 6- to 10-Year Warranties on Water Heaters
- 1-Year Warranty on Installation Labor
- 1-Year Warranty on Plumbing Parts & Labor

BRANDS

Bradford White, Rheem, A. O. Smith, American Standard

DIAMOND CERTIFIED COMPANY REPORT

www.dccert.org/2459

ater Heaters Only, Inc. installs and repairs all types of water heaters (including tankless, electric and highefficiency models) for residential and commercial clients in Solano County, Sacramento County, San Joaquin County, and the Greater Bay Area. The company has been specializing in water heater repair and replacement for more than 50 years, and its employees answer the phones 24/7/365 to help handle emergencies.

Marketing Director Yana Carpenter says Water Heaters Only, Inc.'s ability to quickly respond to its customers' water heater issues has been an important aspect of its long-term success. "Our clients really appreciate that we provide same-day service in most areas. Our goal is to simplify the entire experience for them, and the best way to do that is to make sure our service is as quick and efficient as possible."

Water Heaters Only, Inc. believes in educating its customers about their water heaters so they can maximize performance and avoid potential problems in the future. "By making a variety of information available to our clients, we help them gain a better understanding of their situations," affirms Ms. Carpenter. "They know they can visit our website and use our online tools to troubleshoot certain issues, and they value that resource."

COMPANY PHILOSOPHY

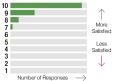
"We strive to provide a great overall experience for every client and leave them in a better situation than when we started. By focusing on our customers' specific hot water needs and performing trustworthy, reliable work, we're able to ensure their long-term satisfaction."

EXCERPTED SURVEY RESPONSES

"They were honest about what I needed and they helped me get my hot water back quickly." –Lois G.



CUSTOMER LOYALTY







HELPFUL EXPERTISE®



"Did the company provide Helpful Expertise® if needed?"

- ✓ Workers' Compensation
- Liability Insurance State License No. 374573
- Current Complaint File
- ✓ Legal & Finance
 - **Business Practices**

ak Plumbing Inc. maintains and repairs plumbing systems for residential clients in Solano, Contra Costa, Marin, Napa, and Sonoma Counties. The company has the in-house capabilities to handle everything from routine drain cleanings to comprehensive water line repairs, and it's also qualified to install, maintain, and repair all types of water heaters, including tankless models.

President Matthew Harris says Oak Plumbing's honest approach to plumbing work has allowed it to build a loyal clientele base. "We tell our customers exactly what's going on and what they need to do to solve their problems, which isn't a given in this industry. We're focused on our clients, not our revenue, and that has been a key factor in our growth."

Oak Plumbing educates its customers about their plumbing systems so they can make informed decisions and prevent certain issues from reoccurring in the future. "We focus on finding causes, not just treating symptoms," affirms Mr. Harris. "Every plumbing situation is different, but since we take an educational approach to each job, we can present our customers with numerous options and make sure they're set up for success."

COMPANY PHILOSOPHY

"Our goal is to bring customer service back to the plumbing industry, so we always put our clients first and do whatever it takes to make them feel comfortable. By keeping them up-to-date and providing them with first-rate service, we're able to ensure their satisfaction."

EXCERPTED SURVEY RESPONSES

"They're great, excellent, prompt, on time and very helpful."-Jessica S.

"They were prompt, courteous, and they did what I needed them to do."-Ronnie W.

> More Satisfied

> > Less

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Oak Plumbing installed this water heater in a customer's garage.

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MANAGER

Matthew Harris, President

SERVICES

Plumbing Maintenance & Repair Water Heater Installation & Repair Drain Cleaning

HOURS

7am - 7pm Mon – Fri:

CREDIT CARDS

Amex, Discover, MasterCard, Visa

GUARANTEES

6-, 9- and 12-Year Warranties on Traditional Water Heaters

DIAMOND CERTIFIED COMPANY REPORT www.dccert.org/2468

DIAMOND CERTIFIED RATINGS DASHBOARD based on 125 random customer surveys since October 2017 CUSTOMER SATISFACTION 8

Number of Responses

CUSTOMER LOYALTY

"Would you use this company again?"

HELPFUL EXPERTISE®



"Did the company provide Helpful Expertise® if needed?"

- Workers' Compensation
- Liability Insurance
- State License No. 1018855
 - **Current Complaint File**
- Legal & Finance
- Business Practices

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Residential & Commercial Real Estate Sales & Purchases Income Property Analysis Short Sales & Foreclosures

HOURS

Mon - Fri: 9am - 6pm Other Times by Appointment

EMPLOYEES

DIAMOND CERTIFIED COMPANY REPORT

www.dccert.org/2423

on Lee works in partnership with RE/MAX Gold to help clients buy and sell residential and commercial properties in Solano, Napa, and Northern Contra Costa Counties. As a full-service broker associate, Mr. Lee is qualified to handle every step of the real estate process for his clients (including specialized aspects like income property analysis), and he uses the latest technology to market their properties as effectively as possible.

Mr. Lee says much of his firm's success can be attributed to his responsive, customer-oriented approach to real estate. "My clients know they can get in contact with me whenever they have questions, and that makes them feel more comfortable with the process. I utilize my expertise to overcome challenges and come up with solutions that lead to positive results."

As a real estate veteran with nearly four decades of industry experience, Mr. Lee draws upon his extensive knowledge of the local area to help clients find properties that meet their specific needs. "For example, I provide community reports that contain useful information about nearby schools and businesses," he says. "My clients really appreciate how much I focus on helping them thrive in their new communities."

COMPANY PHILOSOPHY

"I want my clients to have golden experiences that turn them into lifelong fans. Their needs always come first, and by keeping myself accessible, being a good listener and communicator, and responding quickly to their concerns, I'm able to ensure they get exactly what they're looking for."

EXCERPTED SURVEY RESPONSES

"He was very professional. He knows his business inside and out. He is articulate, a hard worker, and he goes above and beyond."-Ruth C.





CUSTOMER LOYALTY



company again?"

HELPFUL EXPERTISE®



"Did the company provide Helpful Expertise® if needed?"

- Workers' Compensation
- Liability Insurance State Lic. No. 00689373
- State Lic. No. 01820911
- **Current Complaint File**
- **Business Practices**

Owner and longtime Bay Area resident Guy Tigner has more than three decades of experience in the roofing industry. Mr. Tigner says Affordable Roofing's main focus is offering personalized service and keeping its prices competitive by carefully planning the hours, materials, and labor required to effectively complete each job. "To ensure top-rate installations, we only use products from leading manufacturers such as CertainTeed and Owens Corning."

To request an estimate or browse a photo gallery of Affordable Roofing's past projects, Mr. Tigner invites potential clients to visit www.affordableroofing.biz.

COMPANY PHILOSOPHY

"We carefully plan each roofing project so it runs smoothly and stays on schedule. Our highly trained crew members are efficient, professional and safety-conscious; they work with respect for our customers' homes and leave jobsites clean when they're finished. Ultimately, we strive to offer the best products, service and workmanship in the roofing industry."

EXCERPTED SURVEY RESPONSES

"I liked how quick and professional he was. They stripped the roof in record time and put a new roof on. I worked with Guy on a previous house and he was very knowledgeable. I was very satisfied."-Bert C.

> More Satisfied

> > Less

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MANAGER

Guy Tigner, Owner

SERVICES

New Roofs and Reroofing, Including Shingles, Hot Tar Roofing and All Types of Tile Roof Repairs Roof Inspections

HOURS

Mon - Fri: 7am - 5pm

Gutters and Downspouts

CREDIT CARDS

Amex. MasterCard. Visa

GUARANTEES

Lifetime Manufacturers' Warranties on All Shingles 5-Year Workmanship Guarantee

on New Roofs and Gutter Services Limited Lifetime Manufacturers' Warranties on Aluminum Gutters

BRANDS

Malarkey, CertainTeed, Custom-Bilt Metals, Eagle Tile, GAF, Monier Lifetile, Owens Corning

CERTIFICATION/TRAINING

CertainTeed SELECT ShingleMaster

DIAMOND CERTIFIED COMPANY REPORT www.dccert.org/1198

DIAMOND CERTIFIED RATINGS DASHBOARD based on 298 random customer surveys since December 2007 CUSTOMER SATISFACTION 8 -

Number of Responses

CUSTOMER LOYALTY



"Would you use this company again?"

HELPFUL EXPERTISE®



"Did the company provide Helpful Expertise® if needed?"

- Workers' Compensation
- Liability Insurance
 - State License No. 395597
- Current Complaint File
- Legal & Finance
- Business Practices

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HOURS

Mon - Fri: 8am - 5pm 8am - 10am Sat:

CREDIT CARDS

Amex, Discover, MasterCard, Visa

EMPLOYEES

181

CERTIFICATION/TRAINING

GAF Master Elite Roofing Contractor

DIAMOND CERTIFIED COMPANY REPORT

www.dccert.org/1233

uality First Home Improvement, Inc. is an award-winning contractor that sells and installs an extensive selection of name-brand home beautification products, including roofing, windows, patio covers, solar electric, kitchen and bathroom products, Cool Wall® exterior coating, concrete driveways/walkways/patios, seamless gutters, vinyl and fiber cement siding, exterior doors, insulation, garage doors, exterior paint, and more.

Quality First has been Diamond Certified for 12 consecutive years and counts more than 26,000 satisfied customers during that period. The company has also been recognized and selected by manufacturing roofing giant GAF as a Master Elite roofing contractor who has won the Triple Excellence Award for the last nine years (only 1) percent of roof installing contractors nationwide have been able to achieve this status), and it received GAF's prestigious President's Club Award in 2014, 2015, 2016, and 2017. Quality First has also earned eight consecutive (2011-2018) awards from Ply Gem for "Customer Excellence" and "Top Window and Door Dealer in California," as well as the "Northern California Dealer of the Year" award from Amerimax, a premier window manufacturer.

Quality First maintains a staff of factory-trained installers and a dedicated solar division to provide Energy Star and environmentally-friendly products for its customers. A new customer service division further emphasizes the company's commitment to quality service and customer satisfaction. Quality First serves customers throughout Northern California and Northern Nevada.

COMPANY PHILOSOPHY

"Our name says it all: We believe in quality first, and we strive to do every job right the first time at an affordable price."

EXCERPTED SURVEY RESPONSES

"They do quality work. I am very pleased."—Bruce M.



Number of Responses

CUSTOMER LOYALTY



More Satisfied

Less

"Would you use this company again?"

HELPFUL EXPERTISE®



"Did the company provide Helpful Expertise® if needed?"

- Workers' Compensation
- Liability Insurance
- State License No. 875772
- **Current Complaint File** ✓ Legal & Finance
- **Business Practices**

Owner Aaron Weiss says much of Roofmasters / Bird Control Services' success is due to its customer-oriented business practices, which include providing emergency repairs during inclement weather and staying in contact with clients after their projects are complete. "We're not just installing and repairing roofs; we're offering a complete service to our customers, and that means being there for them whenever they need us."

Roofmasters / Bird Control Services guides its clients through every phase of the roofing process, from the initial estimate to the finishing touches, which Mr. Weiss says is important for establishing trust. "We take care of our clients, and that sets us apart from a lot of roofers. These types of projects can be expensive and time-consuming, so if we can help relieve stress by taking control of the details, we're happy to do it."

COMPANY PHILOSOPHY

"We treat our customers the way we'd want to be treated, and we do everything in our power to make sure they have positive experiences. We provide the same high-quality services throughout the entire roofing process, and we're always available to answer questions and give advice."

EXCERPTED SURVEY RESPONSES

"They are honest and they have been very reliable. I have used them for a number of inspections for different properties and everything has been good. They met my expectations."—Debbie D.

ROOFMASTERS / BIRD CONTROL **SERVICES**

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Serving Solano, Napa, Yolo, Sacramento and Central Contra Costa Counties

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MANAGER

Aaron Weiss, Owner

SERVICES

Shingle Services; Roof Sealing; Skylight Installation & Replacement; Roof Repair; Grid-Tied Solar System Services: Metal Roof Services: Gutter Cleaning, Repair & Installation; Roof Installation; Flat Roof Services; Leak Repair; Battery Bank Services; Solar Electric/PV System Installation; Roof Inspection; Wood Shake Services: Ground-Mounted System Services; Solar EV Charging System Installation; Solar Panel Installation; Tile Roof Services; Solar Panel Cleaning; Roof Cleaning

HOURS

Mon – Fri: 9am - 5pm

CERTIFICATION/TRAINING

Registered Contractor of Polyglass U.S.A., Inc.; Certified Solar PV Professional, Boots on the Roof (Aaron Weiss); GAF Certified; Owens Corning Preferred Contractor

DIAMOND CERTIFIED COMPANY REPORT

www.dccert.org/2261

DIAMOND CERTIFIED RATINGS DASHBOARD based on 150 random customer surveys since May 2015 CUSTOMER SATISFACTION CUSTOMER LOYALTY **HELPFUL EXPERTISE®** COMPANY CREDENTIALS

10 ▮ 8 More Satisfied 6 I Less Number of Responses

company again?"



"Did the company provide Helpful Expertise® if needed?"

- Workers' Compensation
- Liability Insurance
- State License No. 883362
- **Current Complaint File**
- Legal & Finance
- **Business Practices**

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MANAGER

Matthew Harris, President

SERVICES

Plumbing Maintenance & Repair Water Heater Installation & Repair Drain Cleaning

HOURS

Mon – Fri: 7am - 7pm

CREDIT CARDS

Amex, Discover, MasterCard, Visa

GUARANTEES

6-, 9- and 12-Year Warranties on Traditional Water Heaters

DIAMOND CERTIFIED COMPANY REPORT

www.dccert.org/2468

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COMPANY PHILOSOPHY

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EXCERPTED SURVEY RESPONSES

"They're great, excellent, prompt, on time and very helpful."-Jessica S.

"They were prompt, courteous, and they did what I needed them to do."-Ronnie W.

DIAMOND CERTIFIED RATINGS DASHBOARD based on 125 random customer surveys since October 2017 CUSTOMER SATISFACTION 10 ▮

Number of Responses

CUSTOMER LOYALTY

More Satisfied

Less



company again?"

HELPFUL EXPERTISE®



"Did the company provide Helpful Expertise® if needed?"

COMPANY CREDENTIALS

- Workers' Compensation
- Liability Insurance
- State License No. 1018855
- Current Complaint File
- Legal & Finance
- **Business Practices**

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ot Watts Electric & Solar installs all types of solar electric systems for residential and commercial clients. In addition to its comprehensive solar services, the family-owned and operated company repairs and maintains electrical systems; installs whole house fans, electric vehicle chargers and LED lighting; performs panel and service upgrades; handles the electrical wiring for new construction and remodeling projects; and much more.

Got Watts Electric & Solar services most of Contra Costa County for electrical projects, and its service area map expands to Solano and Alameda Counties for solar work. "We take the same friendly approach to all projects, regardless of size," says CEO Jeremy Carlock. "We have the ability to run projects from the initial site visits to final inspections by the building department. Our quality and attention to detail is superior to the competition."

Got Watts Electric & Solar uses employees, not subcontractors, to install solar panels, and its own in-house electricians handle the electrical aspects. "Not using subcontractors keeps costs down for our customers and minimizes quality issues," says Mr. Carlock. The company can also handle additional electrical projects at the same time as solar installations, and solar customers can take advantage of tax incentives and rebates on solar installations through 2022.

COMPANY PHILOSOPHY

"Our clients are very important to us, so we treat them like family and provide them with exactly what they need. We take the same detailoriented approach on every project, regardless of its size, and we always make customer satisfaction our top priority."

EXCERPTED SURVEY RESPONSES

"I found them to be upfront, straight shooters who were very careful while on the job."-David S.

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Residential & Commercial Electrical Maintenance & Repairs, Solar Installations, Panel & Service Upgrades, Whole House Rewires, LED Lighting. Electrical Troubleshooting, Whole House Fans, Electric Vehicle (EV) Chargers

HOURS

Office

Mon – Fri: 9am - 5pm 24-Hour Emergency Service Available

CREDIT CARDS

Amex. Discover. MasterCard. Visa

GUARANTEES

Up to 25-Year Manufacturer's Warranty on Solar-Related Equipment 15-Year Manufacturer's Warranty on Whole House Fan Motors 5-Year Warranty on Most Other Parts

BRANDS

LG, Panasonic, SolarEdge, Quick Mount PV, IronRidge, Everest, QuietCool, Siemens, Murray, Eaton, Lutron

EMPLOYEES

18

DIAMOND CERTIFIED COMPANY REPORT www.dccert.org/2291

DIAMOND CERTIFIED RATINGS DASHBOARD based on 225 random customer surveys since October 2015



Number of Responses

CUSTOMER LOYALTY

"Would you use this company again?"

HELPFUL EXPERTISE®

"Did the company provide Helpful Expertise® if needed?"

- Workers' Compensation
- Liability Insurance
- State License No. 985920
- **Current Complaint File**
- Legal & Finance **Business Practices**

BONGIORNO TERMITE CONTROL. INC.

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Serving Solano, Contra Costa and Alameda Counties



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MANAGER

Andrew Bongiorno, Owner

SERVICES

Inspections, Treatments & Repairs

HOURS

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GUARANTEES

- 4-Year Guarantee on Drywood Termite Treatments
- 4-Year Guarantee on Subterranean Termite Treatments

BRANDS

Termidor, Premise 75, Tim-bor, Altriset

EMPLOYEES

DIAMOND CERTIFIED COMPANY REPORT

www.dccert.org/1942

ongiorno Termite Control, Inc. is a fullservice termite company that provides inspections, treatments and repairs for residential clients in Solano, Contra Costa, and Alameda Counties. The company's subterranean termite treatment consists of a chemical barrier that protects structures for up to 10 years if left undisturbed. It can also provide local treatments that are designed to eradicate drywood termites, wood-boring beetles, carpenter bees, carpenter ants and fungus/dry rot.

Owner Andrew Bongiorno says his favorite part of the termite control business is interacting with clients and helping them understand the specifics of their infestations. "I always make sure I'm accessible to my clients, which is important for establishing trust. When a customer calls me with a question, they know I'm going to immediately answer it, and they appreciate that type of direct communication."

Bongiorno Termite Control also works with realtors and their clients to ensure their homes are termitefree before going on the market. "We also provide a thorough, comprehensive inspection and report for prospective buyers of a home," says Mr. Bongiorno. "We strive to provide high-quality termite inspections and treatments that make the home selling process as easy as possible for our clients."

COMPANY PHILOSOPHY

"Our number one goal is to provide every customer with good, honest work at a fair price. We've always maintained a high level of honesty and integrity in everything we do, and that has allowed us to build lasting relationships with our clients and gain their referrals."

EXCERPTED SURVEY RESPONSES

"I like their consistently reliable and competent service. They really get the job done right the first time."-Cheryl C.



8 7 Satisfied Number of Responses



"Would you use this company again?"

"Did the company provide Helpful Expertise® if needed?"

- Workers' Compensation
- Liability Insurance State Lic No. OPR-11367
- Current Complaint File Business Practices

amirez Tow provides towing services for medium and heavy duty vehicles throughout Solano and Napa Counties. The family-owned and operated company utilizes its sizeable fleet of flatbed/lowbed trailers and tow trucks to handle a wide variety of towing situations, and it's also qualified to perform overload adjustments on commercial trucks that need to be cleared at weigh stations before reaching their destinations.

Owner Steve Ramirez says Ramirez Tow's ability to effectively communicate with its customers has been a crucial aspect of its success. "We're big on communication-we let our customers know right away if we're able to help them, and we keep them informed of our progress so they can plan accordingly. They know they can always get in contact with us, which makes them feel more comfortable in stressful situations."

Ramirez Tow can also provide temporary storage services at its Suisun City facility, which Mr. Ramirez says is another way the company strives to make emergency vehicle situations as stress-free as possible for its customers. "We're here to help our customers and build positive relationships with them, so if we're able to help them by keeping their damaged vehicles at our shop for a little while, we're happy to do it."

COMPANY PHILOSOPHY

"Our goal is to provide the best customer service in every situation. We want our customers to rely on us any time they need towing services-their needs always come first, and we make every effort to do right by them."

EXCERPTED SURVEY RESPONSES

"Any time I have ever worked with them, they were very quick to respond. They always got me out of a bind when I needed help in a tough situation."-K.E.

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Owner Steve Ramirez secures a customer's vehicle to his flatbed

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EMPLOYEES

DIAMOND CERTIFIED COMPANY REPORT

www.dccert.org/2197

DIAMOND CERTIFIED RATINGS DASHBOARD based on 175 random customer surveys since September 2014 CUSTOMER SATISFACTION 8 **1** 7 **1**

Number of Responses

CUSTOMER LOYALTY



"Would you use this company again?"

HELPFUL EXPERTISE®



"Did the company provide Helpful Expertise® if needed?"

- Workers' Compensation
- Liability Insurance
- State License No. 21678
- Current Complaint File
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CERTIFICATION/TRAINING

First Aid/CPR Certified (Wilbur Orellana, Manuel Morales & Otoniel Martinez), Hispanic Arborist Association Comprehensive Safety Training & Aerial Rescue Training (Cesar Garcia, Mr. Orellana, Mr. Martinez & Mr. Morales), ISA Certified Arborist (Alex Llamas), ISA Tree Risk Assessment Qualification (Mr. Llamas)

DIAMOND CERTIFIED COMPANY REPORT

www.dccert.org/2435

exyTrees.com provides a wide range of tree care services for residential and commercial clients in Solano, Contra Costa, and Alameda Counties. The company has the training and equipment to handle everything from routine pruning and maintenance to stump grinding and tree removal, and it's also qualified to perform risk assessments and evaluations on potentially hazardous trees.

Owner Alex Llamas says SexyTrees.com's artistic approach to tree care has been a key factor in its success. "We consider ourselves landscape artists, so we really enjoy giving trees makeovers that bring out their natural beauty and improve their health and quality of life. Our goal on each job is to create a Zen atmosphere that relaxes the customer's body and mind."

SexyTrees.com's technicians have comprehensive knowledge of every aspect of tree care, which Mr. Llamas says is important for ensuring highquality results. "Not only are our crew members expertly trained in tree work, they're also passionate about making properties as beautiful and healthy as possible. Once they determine what a customer is trying to accomplish with their environment, they do whatever it takes to achieve that goal."

COMPANY PHILOSOPHY

"We want to build long-term relationships with our clients, so we always treat them with respect and give them honest information that helps them make educated decisions about their trees. They know that if they ever have a question, they can call or email and we'll be right there to help."

EXCERPTED SURVEY RESPONSES

"I love the service. They are great. They make the property look wonderful."-S.P.

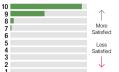
"Alex is wonderful, very customer-oriented, and available to answer questions and solve problems. He is happy to help whenever he can."—June C.



DIAMOND CERTIFIED RATINGS DASHBOARD based on 75 random customer surveys since March 2017

CUSTOMER SATISFACTION

Number of Responses



CUSTOMER LOYALTY



company again?"



HELPFUL EXPERTISE®

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- Workers' Compensation
 - Liability Insurance
- State License No. 980094 Current Complaint File
- Legal & Finance
- Business Practices

Quality First has been Diamond Certified for 12 consecutive years and counts more than 26,000 satisfied customers during that period. The company has also been recognized and selected by manufacturing roofing giant GAF as a Master Elite roofing contractor who has won the Triple Excellence Award for the last nine years (only 1 percent of roof installing contractors nationwide have been able to achieve this status), and it received GAF's prestigious President's Club Award in 2014, 2015, 2016, 2017 and 2018. Quality First has also earned eight consecutive (2011-2018) awards from Ply Gem for "Customer Excellence" and "Top Window and Door Dealer in California," as well as the "Northern California Dealer of the Year" award from Amerimax, a premier window manufacturer.

Quality First maintains a staff of factory-trained installers and a dedicated solar division to provide Energy Star and environmentally-friendly products for its customers. A new customer service division further emphasizes the company's commitment to quality service and customer satisfaction. Quality First serves customers throughout Northern California and Northern Nevada.

COMPANY PHILOSOPHY

"Our name says it all: We believe in quality first, and we strive to do every job right the first time at an affordable price."

EXCERPTED SURVEY RESPONSES

"They do quality work. I am very pleased."—Bruce M.

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HOURS

Mon – Fri: 8am – 5pm Sat: 8am – 10am

CREDIT CARDS

Amex, Discover, MasterCard, Visa

EMPLOYEES

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CERTIFICATION/TRAINING

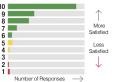
GAF Master Elite Roofing Contractor

DIAMOND CERTIFIED COMPANY REPORT

www.dccert.org/1233

DIAMOND CERTIFIED RATINGS DASHBOARD based on 308 random customer surveys since January 2008

CUSTOMER SATISFACTION



CUSTOMER LOYALTY



"Would you use this company again?"

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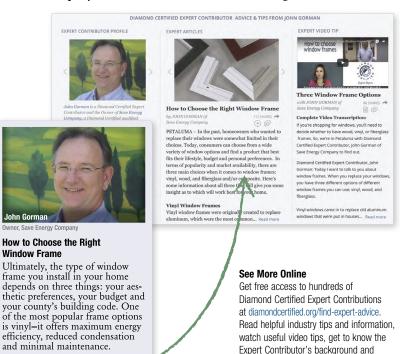
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Preventing Insect Infestations

Factors like firewood piled up against the house, trees and shrubs touching the home exterior, and wall planters with high soil levels can increase the chances of an insect infestation. Remedy these conditions by storing firewood away from the home, keeping vegetation well-trimmed and monitoring the soil levels of wall planters.

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General Manager, Oak Plumbing Inc.

Plumbing Service Agreement Benefits

To keep your plumbing system running at peak performance, consider enrolling in a maintenance membership plan with a trusted plumbing company. For an annual fee, you'll receive complimentary inspections and services, along with other perks. It's a small price to pay for peace of mind–not to mention a healthy plumbing system.

To read full article and more, visit: www.dccert.org/jamesburton



Owner, American Canyon Collision Center

Post-Collision Tip

Following a minor auto collision, be sure to call your insurance company and tell them what happened, regardless of whether or not you were at fault. That way, if the other driver changes their story after the fact, your insurance company will have a recorded account of yours.

To read full article and more, visit: www.dccert.org/joelramosdiaz



Vice President, Vantreo Insurance Brokerage

Digital Insurance Platforms

One benefit of digital insurance platforms is they give employees 24/7 access to health plan information, including coverage, copays and preferred providers. That way, if they forget their insurance card or want to find a new doctor, they can log in online (or better yet, tap on their smartphone app) to get the needed information.

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CEO, Quality First Home Improvement, Inc.

How to Prevent Concrete Cracks

When cracks form in newly installed concrete, it's often the result of accelerated drying from hot temperatures and sun exposure. Since the problem stems from a lack of moisture, the best way to prevent cracking is to apply a liberal amount of water both before and after setting the concrete.

To read full article and more, visit: www.dccert.org/garykluck



Broker Associate, Ron Lee RE/MAX Gold

Buying Extra Time for a 1031 Exchange

A 1031 exchange can be a stressful transaction, especially given the limited time frame you have to complete it. One strategy for buying additional time is to find and reserve your replacement property first, via an option agreement. That way, you can sell your original property without having to rush to find a replacement.

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Owner, SexyTrees.com

Tree Topping Warning

Some tree service companies still offer tree topping (removal of a tree's top or main branches), but according to experts, this doesn't benefit trees—in fact, it can permanently damage and even kill them. For this reason, don't let a tree service company talk you into purchasing this service.

To read full article and more, visit: www.dccert.org/alexllamas



Vice President, Viking Pavers

Paver Installation Warranties

Poured concrete installations rarely come with warranties due to the expectation that they'll form cracks. In contrast, a paver driveway or patio typically comes with a lifetime manufacturer warranty and a 25-year installer warranty. Before hiring an installer, ask what warranties they provide.

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Owner, High Definition Designs

Home Theater Tip

When installing a new home theater, think about who will be using it. If the system is going to be used by various members of your household, make sure everyone knows how to operate the remote control-otherwise, the wrong buttons will get pressed, which could undo your programmed settings.

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Owner, Peter J. Panagotacos, MD

Hair Transplant Caution

Prior to getting a hair transplant, verify that the individual performing your procedure is a qualified, licensed physician. Believe it or not, there are unlicensed frauds offering hair replacement services these days, so you have to be careful. Ask your dermatologist or call your local medical society for a referral.

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President, Knights' Electric, Inc.

The Benefits of LED Lighting

While they may be more expensive upfront, LEDs offer greater value due to their long lifespan. Compared to an incandescent bulb's average lifespan of 2,000 hours, an LED bulb can last up to 60,000 hours roughly 30 times longer. With typical usage, you may not have to change a light bulb for 25 years.

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Modern Water Heater Features

Thanks to ongoing technological innovation, many of today's water heaters offer performanceenhancing features. One example is a self-cleaning feature, whereby the water heater stirs up sediment and debris in the tank to prevent corrosion. There are also "smart" water heaters that maximize convenience and efficiency of use.

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Computer Safety Tip

The easiest way to give your computer a virus is by clicking on a bad link, so if you're unsure about a link, don't click on it. This goes for emails, too-personal email accounts get hacked all the time, so if you receive an email from a friend encouraging you to click on a link, you should think twice.

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Owner, Master's Touch Upholstery

Choosing Upholstery Fabric

When having a piece of furniture reupholstered, you'll need to decide whether to use plain or patterned fabric. Be aware that patterned fabric can require additional labor and yardage, as patterns have to be matched and repeated. You should also consider wearability when making your fabric choice.

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Senior Project Design Specialist, Viking Pavers

Paver Design Tip

Your paver installation may look great, but if it isn't practical, you may wind up with unexpected frustrations. For example, if you have elderly family members who live with you or visit often, a cobblestone walkway isn't a good choice-not only will it make using a walker or wheelchair difficult, it will increase the chances for falls.

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Owner, Creative Window Fashions, Inc.

The Value of Shutters

There are several window covering options to choose from, but only one will substantially add to the value of your home: shutters. This is because shutters are considered a "fixed asset" after they're installed, which puts them in the same league as other permanent fixtures like floors and countertops.

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