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READERS' CHOICE 2026 NOMINATIONS ARE LIVE THROUGH JUNE

IT'S TIME TO NOMINATE YOUR FAVORITE LOCAL BUSINESSES, PEOPLE AND ACTIVITIES FOR THE 2026 BILLINGS GAZETTE READERS' CHOICE AWARDS.

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now through **Thursday, June 25** to nominate your favorites.

Registered users may nominate once per day. The Billings Gazette will tally the results, and the top 5 nominees in each category will move on to the official Readers' Choice ballot.

Voting will be open

Monday, July 27 through Sunday, August 16

on go.billingsgazette.com/rc26.

Registered users may vote in each category once per day. The 2026 Readers' Choice winners will be announced in a special publication on Sunday, October 18 in The Billings Gazette.

Access to the Readers' Choice

Nomination Guide and Results will be available on
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KEY DATES

Nominations: June 8 - June 25

Voting: July 27 - August 16

Winners Announced: Sunday, October 18

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- Best International Food
- Best Italian Food
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- Best Pharmacy
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- Best Surgery Center
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- Best Garden Center/nursery
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- Best Home Furnishing Store
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- Best Mattress Store
- Best Paint Store
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- Best Roofing Company
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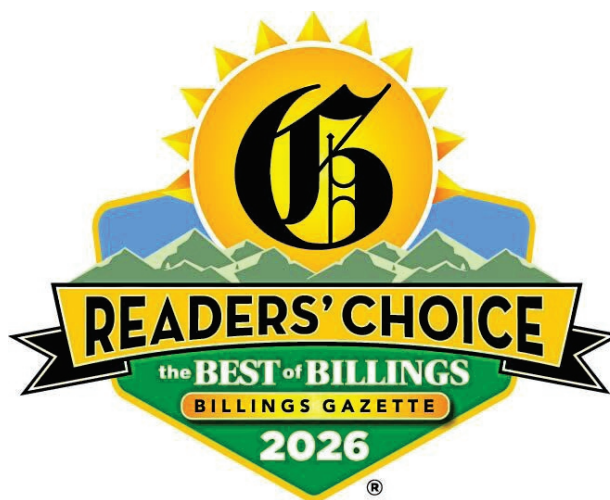
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What makes you stand out from the competition?

Doing taxes is stressful and going into business is a big decision. We work with our clients one on one and make sure we are getting them the help they need, whether it is filing those year-end taxes or starting and growing their business. We offer services that are designed for each client. Not one client's needs are the same as another's, and we recognize that and help them with what they need.

What brings customers back to your business?

We welcome them into the Woods Accounting family. We try to know the name of everyone that walks through the door, because you are not just a number to us. We have a staff that has been around for a few years now, and so people deal with the same staff each time they come in.

What's something your customers may not know about your business?

We love helping people and seeing the business grow. Doing puzzles is what we love to do, that is why the logo was created as that.

What makes your business a good place to work?

We love to laugh, have fun, and enjoy talking to people. We get to meet so many different types of people, and there is always something new each day.

What do you enjoy most about having your business in this community?

I love having a business in the community because there

are so many things that you can do to support each other. Having a small business, I know the struggles of starting out. So being able to help other businesses grow, and support community activities, is a wonderful feeling. I love being able to give back.

What can customers expect when they walk through your doors?

We try to make the office feel like home. We welcome you in and help you with whatever needs you have; whether that is with taxes, bookkeeping, payroll, or just to chat about the newest trends. We always decorate the office for the holidays; we have fun with it.

What does it mean to be voted Best of the Best?

This will be the 10th time we have won Best of the Best. We are so honored that our clients, friends and family feel confident in the work we provide, and that they love what we are doing. We wouldn't be here without all of them. We thank them for their continued support throughout the years.



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What brings customers back to your business?

We greet customers with a smile on our faces and in our voices. We always strive to put our customers first, making sure that we get the job done right the first time, and take time to resolve any customer concerns that may arise.

What's something your customers may not know about your business?

Our Gold Certified status means we are an established business engaged in our community with ASE Certified Technicians. We offer a 36 month/36,000-mile Extended Peace of Mind Warranty on our NAPA parts, as well as NAPA's consumer financing.

What makes your business a good place to work?

We take care of our team members by providing a safe, fun, and challenging work environment. We offer opportunities for training, certifications, and advancement. We want them to be happy and excited to come to work. We have an excellent team that we couldn't be prouder of.

What do you enjoy most about having your business in this community?

We love the Billings community! We have great customers who we love to help. We enjoy giving back to the community that most of our team grew up in, as well as

being able to help others locally. This is an amazing part of running a small local business in Billings.

What can customers expect when they walk through your doors?

A smile and an easy-to-understand explanation of what work may need to be completed. We offer low pricing and exceptional customer service. We offer the convenience of a Digital Vehicle Inspection program that allows us to send estimates and updates on repair progress, along with pictures via text message or email.

What does it mean to be voted Best of the Best?

Being voted Best Automotive Repair Service in the Billings area is an absolute honor. We truly appreciate our customers and community.

What are you most proud of?

We are most proud of our team. They work hard to make sure that the job is done right the first time. They consistently strive to learn more to keep up with changing technology and engineering.

What's your secret to good customer service?

We make sure to take the time to listen to our customers' concerns, provide an estimate of cost, and explain in an easily understood manner. We always make sure that our customers are our number one priority.

How do you build trust with customers?

We are honest, fair, empathetic, and compassionate with every customer. If there ever is an issue, we work very hard to resolve the problem in a prompt and polite manner.



Fifth Time is a Charm!

Kirkness Roofing Captures Fifth Straight "Best of Billings" Championship



Billings, MT — In a performance that looked more like a championship dynasty than a roofing company, **Kirkness Roofing** has officially secured its fifth consecutive Billings Gazette "Best of Billings" title, cementing its place as one of the most dominant teams in the region.

Five straight.

Not a lucky streak. Not a one-season run.

A dynasty.

At the center of the franchise stands **Cybil Carney**, the relentless head coach and CEO, continuing to drive the organization with intensity, discipline, and a commitment to excellence that refuses to let the team coast after a championship season.

"This team refuses to slow down," Carney said after the announcement. "Five in a row doesn't happen without grit, accountability, and people willing to fight for every yard every single day."

The Front Office Playmakers

Every championship organization needs a strong locker room and a dependable operations core, and **Kirkness Roofing** continues to stack talent behind the scenes.

Robert Espinosa remains the defensive anchor of the operation, handling quality control and

field execution like a veteran linebacker reading the offense before the snap. Quietly consistent, dependable under pressure, and impossible to replace.

Joining the operations squad this season is **Larry Green Jr.**, stepping into the Production Coordinator role with energy and focus. Green immediately brought structure, communication, and pace to the production side of the company, helping keep projects moving like a fast-break offense during playoff season.

"Larry came in ready to compete," said Andrew Carney. "No hesitation. No fear of pressure. Just execution."

Meanwhile, **Carter Garsjo** made one of the biggest transitions of the year — moving from operations into sales. The shift looked less like a position change and more like a veteran athlete moving from defense to offense and immediately making plays. His field knowledge and customer-first mentality quickly turned him into a dangerous addition to the lineup.

The Defensive Specialist

Every championship team needs a player willing to do the hard, physical work that rarely makes the highlight reel but wins games consistently over the course of a season.

That role belongs to **Tim Padilla**.

Serving in outside production, Padilla became one of the company's field enforcers — the kind of dependable veteran every championship roster relies on. From final inspections to problem solving in the field, Tim brought toughness, accountability, and composure to every project he touched.

"Tim's the guy you want on the field when the pressure hits," said Robert Espinosa. "He keeps things moving, keeps quality high, and makes sure the job gets finished the right way."

Like a defensive captain controlling the pace of the game, Padilla helped ensure the company's production standards stayed championship-level all season long.

Offensive Explosion

Every championship run needs offensive firepower, and this year's sales roster delivered in a major way.

Leading the charge was **Jerome Miller**, making a massive return to the team and immediately reclaiming his place as one of the company's elite closers. Like a veteran superstar returning from free agency, Jerome stormed back onto the field and captured the sales lead with relentless consistency, aggressive follow-up, and an ability to finish deals under pressure.

"When the lights come on, Jerome shows up," said one teammate. "Big players make big plays in big moments."

But one of the biggest stories of the season belonged to **Zac Carney**.

Once viewed as a promising rookie prospect with upside, Zac transformed into one of the organization's top-performing representatives. His rise from developing talent to full-scale producer became one of the defining storylines of the year.

What started as potential turned into production.

What started as learning turned into leadership.

"Zac put in the work," said Cybil Carney. "You watched him level up season after season, and now he's become one of the players opposing teams have to game-plan around."

And waiting in the wings is rookie sales prospect **Harley Hunter**, the newest young athlete entering the Kirkness system. Raw talent, high motor, confidence, and drive have already started generating buzz around the organization as teammates and leadership look toward the future.

"Harley's hungry," said Carter Garsjo. "You can see it already. That competitive edge is there."

Field Generals

Out on the production field, **Santos Nava** took command like a championship-caliber field general, leading crews with toughness, consistency, and relentless energy. Whether facing difficult weather, tight timelines, or demanding projects, Santos helped keep the operation moving forward like a team driving downfield in the final minutes of a title game.

"Santos brings intensity every day," said Cybil Carney. "He sets the tone in the field and keeps the standard where it needs to be."

The entire organization operated with the chemistry of a veteran championship roster — sales, production, office staff, and leadership all moving toward the same goal: delivering the best customer experience possible.

And the fans noticed.

Five-star reviews poured in all season long like roaring crowds after a game-winning touchdown. Homeowners across Billings continued rallying behind the red, black, and white as **Kirkness Roofing** defended its title once again.

Eyes on Number Six

Most teams celebrate after a championship.

Dynasties reload.

Kirkness Roofing has already shifted focus toward defending the crown once again and chasing championship number six.

"We're proud of five," said Cybil Carney. "But great teams don't live in the past. We're already preparing for the next season."

Five straight championships.

One team.

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Kirkness Roofing isn't just staying on top.

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What makes you stand out from the competition?

We refuse to settle. Our company has a strong culture of striving to improve on all fronts. Whether that's retail, manufacturing, cultivation, or any of our other departments, we are constantly looking for the best ways to provide quality products and customer services at the best prices.

What brings customers back to your business?

Our incredible staff. These guys are customer service experts and have a strong passion for our products and the people who visit. We believe every shopping experience should be more than just a transaction. It's very important that our customers are greeted with genuine smiles, are helped without being overwhelmed; and we create a comfortable atmosphere where people feel valued.

What's something your customers may not know about your business?

Our stores and facilities have all been designed and built by the owner and a handful of other staff members. We custom tailor all projects to the market's demands or the production goals, to ensure the environments are top notch for our customers, plants, and products. We take the extra step in climate-controlled storage to ensure fresh product at every purchase.

What makes your business a good place to work?

Honestly, it's the company culture. The team is always in great spirits, and we're like-minded individuals who share the same vision and goals—both in our work and in our personal lives.

What can customers expect when they walk through your doors?

They can expect to be greeted by smiling faces, friendly

staff, and a great environment. Bright, inviting displays draw attention, while the layout is clean and easy to navigate, making shopping feel effortless. The selection is unparalleled, and we are constantly striving to provide more products for all types of shoppers. From budget-friendly options to the top-shelf products for the connoisseurs, we have options for everyone.

What are you most proud of?

I'm most proud of watching the evolution of the company and its staff over the last 9 years. This started as a super small dream in my basement, and with the help of our amazing team, we've built one of the premier cannabis brands state-wide, with multiple state-of-the-art facilities at scale.

What's your secret to good customer service?

Genuine care. We have a policy that the budtenders are required to remember the names of their regulars. We want to get to know what you like, what you're looking for, and help you find the best outcome. We want customers to feel like family and know they can always trust us to make their customer experience one they will remember positively.

What makes your business popular?

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What makes your business a good place to work?

We believe in doing everything we can to create a positive work environment for our employees. It's hard to have happy customers without happy employees, and we have had that philosophy for 38 years (since we started in Billings).

What do you enjoy most about having your business in this community?

Billings has been a great business community and regional trade hub and has been very good to us. We have seen it grow and have enjoyed giving back to the community. We are so glad to be in Billings, the people who live here are great.

What can customers expect when they walk through your doors?

They will know that we are glad they came to our business and that we appreciate the opportunity to serve them.

What are you most proud of?

Our employees. They are the backbone of our business; without the great job they do every day we wouldn't be

where we are now.

What's your secret to good customer service?

When your employees are invested in and care about the business, then they naturally strive to give their customers the best experience possible. We try to ensure our employees are working in a positive work environment that allows them to naturally provide excellent customer service.

What are some of the things you do to give back to the community?

We support many local charities including Special Olympics, Billings Education Association, American Cancer Society Relay for Life, Boys and Girls Club, YWCA, and many other local projects.

How do you build trust with customers?

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What brings customers back to your business?

I believe having a consistent, good product and friendly service will always win customers back.

What's something your customers may not know about your business?

We have been in business for 41 years and I still think people do not know that we mix, hand roll, and bake our buns every day!

What do you enjoy most about having your business in this community?

We have an amazing fan base! I have been with Fuddruckers from the beginning. I have seen families grow up, and kids and grandkids still coming in and keeping traditions alive.

What can customers expect when they walk through your doors?

Hopefully greeted with a smile! Clean environment and a consistently great meal.

What does it mean to be voted Best of the Best?

It's an honor to be the best! It helps show my staff that it's worth doing what we do every day.

What's your secret to good customer service?

Try not to make the environment stressful. Keep enough staff on hand to handle the business.

What are some of the things you do to give back to the community?

We sponsor a lot of school sports and food donations to many charities. Gift certificates to golf tournaments, banquets, and other fundraisers throughout the community.

What makes your business popular?

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What does it mean to be voted Best of the Best?

We have received Best of the Best awards for many years. We are grateful. Never, ever do we take this for granted. Receiving this award continually makes us work harder & more efficiently to better serve & satisfy our customers.

What makes your business popular?

Convenience, brands that you know and trust, and exceptional customer service.

What's something your customers may not know about your business?

We have been in business in Billings for over 75 years.



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What brings customers back to your business?

Fantastic, friendly, & knowledgeable customer service! Well-lit, clean, and well merchandised stores. Reliable & relevant brands – the best out there! You can only buy Noble Outfitters in

our stores (our markets). Inventory is replenished daily in each of our stores. How about ... FREE hot & fresh popcorn daily. Also, we service what we sell!

What can customers expect when they walk through your doors?

Customers can expect to find exactly what they need. We have brands that you trust, exceptional service and well merchandised stores.

What are you most proud of?

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What makes you stand out from the competition?

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What are some of the things you do to give back to the community?

We sponsor 7 major rodeos and are proud supporters of 4-H plus much more.

What makes your business popular?

Convenience, brands that you know and trust, and exceptional customer service.

What's something your customers may not know about your business?

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DENNY MENHOLT CHEVROLET

38 YEARS IN BUSINESS

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What makes you stand out from the competition?

Our brand motto is: The right cars and trucks, the right prices, and the right experience. We have a great selection of new vehicles with aggressive prices and the best staff around to provide experience.

What brings customers back to your business?

We have long-term stable employees that our customers keep coming back to because of the service they provide.

What's something your customers may not know about your business?

Denny Menholt has access to many more

brands than just Chevrolet. Because of our other dealerships in Montana, Wyoming, and South Dakota, Denny Menholt can help you with Cadillac, GMC, Honda, Nissan, Ford and Toyota in addition to Chevrolet.

What makes your business a good place to work?

We believe in doing everything we can to create a positive work environment for our employees. It's hard to have happy customers without happy employees, and we have had that philosophy for 38 years (since we started in Billings).

What do you enjoy most about having your business in this community?

Billings has been a great business community and regional trade hub and has been very good to us. We have seen it grow and have enjoyed giving back to the community. We are so glad to be in Billings, the people who live here are great.

What can customers expect when they walk through your doors?

They will know that we are glad they came to our business and that we appreciate the opportunity to serve them.

What are you most proud of?

Our employees. They are the backbone of our business; without the great job they do every day we wouldn't be where we are now.

What's your secret to good customer service?

When your employees are invested in and care about the business, then they naturally strive to give their customers the best experience possible. We try to ensure our employees are working in a positive work environment that allows them to naturally provide excellent customer service.

What are some of the things you do to give back to the community?

We support many local charities including Special Olympics, Billings Education Association, American Cancer Society Relay for Life, Boys and Girls Club, YWCA, and many other local projects.

How do you build trust with customers?

To build trust, you must take care of their needs and, most importantly, deliver on what you promise. That is what we strive to do each and every day.



CUSTOMER SERVICE – RESTAURANT



BISTRO ENZO

26 YEARS IN BUSINESS

1502 Rehberg Ln.
(406) 651-0999
bistroenzobillings.com

What makes you stand out from the competition?

Bistro Enzo is a staple (for 26 years) in Billings, and we have menu items that are desirable to everyone. With fresh seafood, prime grade steaks, pastas, and a variety of small plates and fresh salads, we have something for any occasion.

What brings customers back to your business?

One of the best compliments we receive daily is how consistent Enzo is. From the food to the service, it is something we take a lot of pride in and focus all our attention on.

What can customers expect when they walk through your doors?

The first thing you see is our beautifully designed open kitchen, stunning custom artwork by Kira Fercho, and you will be greeted by our gracious team. When you see the fire from the wood-fired oven and smell the amazing food right when you walk in, you know it's going to be a good evening.

What does it mean to be voted Best of the Best?

I say this year after year, but to be voted someone's favorite version of anything, they are paying you the highest compliment. It is something that can't be argued and we are very grateful to win in three different categories this year. – Tyler Samson (Owner)

What are you most proud of?

I am most proud of the entire Enzo Team. Their collective passion for hospitality creates an environment where guests feel not just served but truly welcomed and cared for. From the extremely talented

Kitchen Team to the top-notch service our front of the house gives, it creates the best combination and a great experience for our guests.

What's your secret to good customer service?

We are all about hospitality. How you make someone feel is what hospitality is all about. One of my favorite quotes from Restaurateur Danny Meyer, "Business, like life, is all about how you make people feel. It's that simple, and it's that hard." I think about that quote a lot in the restaurant business, as well as my commercial real estate business every single day. (Tyler is also a commercial real estate agent with NAI Business Properties.) All our managers, servers, and bartenders have different styles of service, which I love, but everyone has the same goal in mind; to give the best customized service and make every guest's experience the best every time they dine with us.

What are some of the things you do to give back to the community?

We are very blessed to be a part of the best community and try to give back as much as possible. Tyler and Chef Alex also donate multiple private dinners annually to various organizations that are auctioned off at fundraising events. Bistro Enzo participates in many charitable events/sponsorships every year, and we are always eager to give back.

Fun fact about your business?

Bistro Enzo is celebrating its 26^{sup}th/^{sup} year in business this year. When I purchased the restaurant over five years ago, we had 24 employees and now have close to 50. A lot of our team members have been with Bistro Enzo over 10 years, and a few over 20 years since day one of the restaurant opening. There is something comforting when you go into your favorite businesses and see the same familiar faces, who over the years become extended family to you and yours.

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BREWER DENTAL CENTER

42 YEARS IN BUSINESS

2900 Central Ave.
710 Main St.
(406) 656-6100

brewerdentalcenter.com

What makes you stand out from the competition?

Consistency, comprehensive care, hours of operations, availability, technology, team approach to your needs under one roof.

What brings customers back to your business?

We discuss the plan and accomplish what we offer. They know that despite our size as a business it is still about individual relationships and trust.

What's something your customers may not know about your business?

We openly focus on the value of your time. We seek to always seat you on time or early and get you out of the office treated properly and efficiently. Time is the great price you pay for good care, and our goal is to gift back as much as we can.

What makes your business a good place to work?

We are great at communicating, achieving, and then elevating expectations.

What do you enjoy most about having your business in this community?

It feels like a trusted business that is well recognized and has a reputation for giving back.

What can customers expect when they walk through your doors?

The best care every time.

What does it mean to be voted Best of the Best?

It means that the many people we treat recognize they matter to the Brewer Dental Family. This creates raving fans. We invite you to come and find out how that feels.

What are you most proud of?

The years of consistently offering high-level care.

What's your secret to good customer service?

We always try to provide more than was expected to whoever walks through our door.

What are some of the things you do to give back to the community?

Dentistry from the Heart, Sealants for Smiles, involvement in the Greater Dental Organizations (ADA, 9th District Dental Society), youth sports, and Eagle Mount.

How do you build trust with patients?

Clear communication and established expectations that we then help them achieve.

What makes your business popular?

Years of trust and great use of technology.

Fun fact about your business?

Since its founding, we have tried new things and adopted what is best for our patients' benefit.



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DENTIST



DR. BENJAMIN HOLLOWAY

BREWER DENTAL CENTER

42 YEARS IN BUSINESS

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710 Main St.

(406) 656-6100

brewerdentalcenter.com

What makes you stand out from the competition?

We provide comprehensive care that is convenient and comfortable for our patients. By providing comprehensive dental care, we can develop a treatment plan that caters to each individual; and one that is in their best interest and allows them to choose the treatment that is right for them. We provide the most basic dental treatment such as cleanings and fillings, but also provide complex dental treatment such as implants, oral surgery, and Implant supported dentures.

What brings customers back to your business?

Let's face it, who wants to go to the dentist? It is inconvenient, it costs money, it is uncomfortable, and the list can go on and on. Unfortunately, dentistry is still needed for most of us even with all the inconveniences. By addressing the troubles of "going to the dentist," we create an environment that allows our patients to get the dental care they need while minimizing the disruption in their day. We create an atmosphere that doesn't make them dread the next time they need to visit the dentist.

What's something your customers may not know about your business?

We have developed a dental treatment model that is intended to provide all needed dental care at BDC. Our doctors have undergone extensive training in order to be confident with the many procedures involved in dentistry such as wisdom teeth extractions, IV sedation, dental implants, root canals, crowns, implant supported dentures, etc. We also have an orthodontic specialist and a pediatric clinic in order to provide for those unique dental needs. By providing all these dental needs at BDC, it makes it easier to communicate treatment between specialties, which saves time and money for our patients.

What makes your business a good place to work?

At BDC, it truly feels like a family. We struggle together and succeed together. I have been privileged to work with such great people over my 18 years here, and we learn and grow from each other. As each individual does their part, it lightens the load for everyone else, which allows us to provide the best dental care available. BDC is what it is today, because of the team that works here!

What do you enjoy most about having your business in this community?

Since my family and I moved here in 2007, we have enjoyed all that Billings and the surrounding communities have to offer. It has been an awesome place to raise a family with other individuals that share the same values and are as friendly as they come. It has been an honor and privilege to have a

business here in Billings, Montana where the community is so supportive.

What can customers expect when they walk through your doors?

Patients can expect to receive the best dental care possible here at BDC that is truly "Just for You." The front desk team will make you feel welcome when you first arrive and provide a seamless check-in process. Don't get too comfortable in the reception area though, as we strive to get you back to the treatment area as quickly as possible so you can get back to the rest of your day. Time is important to us, and we feel it is just as important to our patients.

What does it mean to be voted Best of the Best?

I personally know many of the dentists here in Billings whom I admire and believe to be some of the best dentists in the country. It is

truly an honor to be voted Best of the Best amongst such accomplished individuals. I am truly thankful for all the support and votes from the individuals that have made this possible.

How do you build trust with patients?

Let them be a part of the decision-making process when it comes to their treatment. Many times, there can be several treatment options when it comes to fixing a tooth problem. I let them know what their options are and even let them know what treatment I would do for myself, or what I would recommend to a family member if they were in a similar situation. After answering all questions and providing all the necessary details of their treatment options, I let the patient choose the treatment they feel is in their best interest. This now becomes a treatment that is truly "Just for You."





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76 YEARS IN BUSINESS

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What makes you stand out from the competition?

Our roots – farm, ranch, and ag. Many of our brands and products also cross over to other lifestyle areas; including clothing fanatics, pet lovers, power equipment users, and the sportsman. Our brands are second to none including DeWalt, Carhartt, Wrangler, Noble Outfitters, STIHL, Husqvarna, Nutrena, Ruger, and Outdoor Revival.

What does it mean to be voted Best of the Best?

We have received Best of the Best awards for many years. We are grateful. Never, ever do we take this

for granted. Receiving this award continually makes us work harder & more efficiently to better serve & satisfy our customers.

What are you most proud of?

Our 76 years of serving our customers; and to be confident knowing there are also many future years to come serving the ag/farm & ranch communities, and everyone else.

Fun fact about your business?

We are one of very few businesses to sell live chicks in the Spring.



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50+ YEARS IN BUSINESS

**713 Main St.
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What makes you stand out from the competition?

Locally owned for over 50 years in Billings and 30 years in Belgrade. Both locations have the same owners from the time we opened to the present day.

What brings customers back to your business?

We strive to make sure everyone has a good experience from the start to finish of the project. The quality and value of the products offered and all the knowledge and resources we have to offer.

What makes your business a good place to work?

The people we work with and get to meet. Great coworkers and the team we make up.

What can customers expect when they walk through your doors?

Friendly and open environment. With a large showroom full of products. From tile, wood, waterproof laminates, waterproof luxury vinyl planks, luxury vinyl tiles and carpet.

What does it mean to be voted Best of the Best?

It means a great deal to the team here at Rich's Flooring. It is nice to see the hard work all the staff and installers put into the everyday tasks be recognized by the community.

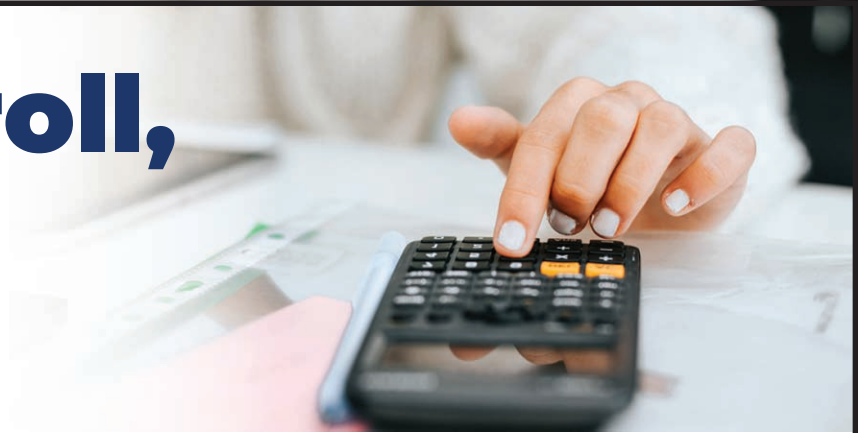
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FLORIST



GAINAN'S MIDTOWN FLOWERS

74 YEARS IN BUSINESS

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gainans.com

What makes you stand out from the competition?

Gainan's is committed to offering only the finest floral arrangements and gifts backed by service that is friendly and prompt. All our customers are important, and our professional staff is dedicated to making their experience a pleasant one. We try to go the extra mile to make their gift or occasion perfect.

What brings customers back to your business?

Customers return to our business for generations. Their grandma shopped with us, their dad shops with us, and now they do too! We try to make it a fun experience to walk around and enjoy our stores, from our products to our displays and of course, fresh flowers. We work with each customer on a personal level and help them find exactly what they're looking for. There's

nothing we love more than happy satisfied return customers!

What are you most proud of?

We are the most proud of our grandparents for pursuing their dream of opening a flower shop, for instilling their work ethic in us, and for believing that we could continue to operate their business with their same values and levels of customer service.

What's your secret to good customer service?

Our secret to good customer service is trying to say YES as often as possible. And instead of telling customers what we can't do, we enjoy giving them suggestions for what we can do. We train our staff in plants, flowers & gifts so they are a resource to our customers. We take the time to work with every customer on a personal level so we can ensure their requests are not only fulfilled but exceeded. We want everyone to feel proud to give a gift or flowers from Gainan's.

What are some of the things you do to give back to the community?

Gainan's is committed to the Billings community, and we believe it is of utmost importance to give back. Each year we donate products to many organizations, groups, and individuals in our community. We have a fundraiser card program and partner with organizations such as clubs, schools, and teams who sell the cards to raise money for their organizations. Our website also offers a Helping Hands



program that is designed to give back. With each order, a customer can choose to have Gainan's donate to one of our participating organizations.

How do you build trust with customers?

Our business is to help our customers "Say It With Flowers"!! We partner with our customers in all the seasons of their lives. We understand fully the importance of this business and are eternally grateful for the trust and loyalty that our

customers have put in us for almost 75 years.

Fun fact about your business?

A fun fact is that three generations of Gainans currently work at our stores.



GARDEN CENTER/NURSERY



GAINAN'S HEIGHTS FLOWERS, GARDEN AND PATIO

74 YEARS IN BUSINESS

**1603 Grand Ave., Ste. 140
Heights Flowers Garden and Patio
819 Bench Blvd.
(406) 248-5029
gainans.com**

What makes you stand out from the competition?

Gainan's Flowers is committed to offering quality plants grown to thrive in Montana. Our Grow Pros know flowers and take pride in helping our customers find the perfect perennials and annuals to make their yard an outdoor oasis. We are eternally grateful for the trust and loyalty that our customers have put in us for almost 75 years!

What brings customers back to your business?

The Gainan's Grow Pros care about your garden just as much as you do! A member of our team is often heard encouraging customers to bring back pictures throughout the growing

season to see a plant's progress.

What's something your customers may not know about your business?

We have 35,000 square feet of greenhouse growing space making Gainan's Heights Flowers, Garden, and Patio a year-round haven for growth. Plants are proven purifiers, eliminating toxins from the air, converting carbon dioxide into oxygen, and humidifying the space around them. Studies show that they reduce stress, help us sleep, and even aid in recovery during hospital stays.

What do you enjoy most about having your business in this community?

Together, we have celebrated births, weddings, birthdays, anniversaries, holidays, and mourned with our customers. We are honored to be a part of such important milestones and everyday celebrations.

What can customers expect when they walk through your doors?

Take a deep breath! Our greenhouses are filled year-round with fresh flowers and plant selections, in addition to a wide range of unique gifts and professional dedicated staff.

What does it mean to be voted Best of the Best?

We are so fortunate to be voted the Best of the Best and thank our community of customers beyond measure for

allowing us the opportunity to partner with them in all the seasons of their lives.

What's your secret to good customer service?

As a small business, we take pride in treating each customer as a friend or family member. The Grow Pros enjoy watching our customers' plants and families grow!

What are some of the things you do to give back to the community?

We are your neighbors and your friends. Just like you, we are invested in our community and its future. Each year we donate products to organizations, groups, and individuals in our community.

How do you build trust with customers?

Our professional and knowledgeable staff are dedicated to making each customer's experience a pleasant one. We always go the extra mile to make each plant selection perfect.

Fun fact about your business?

Gainan's has been a family business since 1951. In the 50's, Betty Gainan could be seen zipping around town - kids in tow - making deliveries in the delivery van which earned the name, "Panic Wagon."





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What makes you stand out from the competition?

Gainan's is committed to offering only the finest floral arrangements and gifts backed by service that is friendly and prompt. Because we have been a part of the Billings community for more than 70 years, we treat our customers like our friends and family, and our professional staff are dedicated to making their experience a pleasant one. From gift selection to gift wrap and delivery, we go the extra mile to make each gift perfect.

What brings customers back to your business?

Customers return to our business for generations. Their grandma shopped with us, their dad shops with us, and now they do too! Together, we have celebrated births, weddings, birthdays, anniversaries, holidays, and mourned with our customers. We are honored to be a part of these core memories.

What do you enjoy most about having your business in this community?

We love the Billings community and

surrounding communities because we've been serving them for almost 75 years, and they have supported us every step of the way! We love the people we encounter on a daily basis. We love being able to give back to help this community flourish.

What can customers expect when they walk through your doors?

Fresh flowers and plant selections, carefully curated gift items for all occasions, home decor, kitchenware, and a professional dedicated staff to serve you!

What's your secret to good customer service?

Great customer service starts long before we meet a customer in the shop. Each item is thoughtfully curated and displayed with the customer in mind. Our team is continually trained and educated about our unique collection, so they are able to take time to work with every customer on a personal level; ensuring their requests are not only fulfilled but exceeded. We want everyone

to feel proud to give a gift or a flower from Gainan's.

What are some of the things you do to give back to the community?

Gainan's is committed to the Billings community, and we believe it is important to give back. Each year we donate products to organizations, groups, and individuals in our community. We have a fundraiser card program and partner with organizations such as clubs, schools, and teams who sell the cards. Our website also offers a Helping Hands program that is designed to give back. With each order, a customer can choose to have Gainan's donate to one of our participating organizations.

Fun fact about your business?

Gainan's used to sell tropical fish!



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What makes you stand out from the competition?

We do extensive training on all our products to provide knowledgeable sales staff. We offer a variety of products from multiple manufacturers. Our customer service is unparalleled. We truly care about our clients and getting to know them on a personal level.

What brings customers back to your business?

Our goal is to have a welcoming environment to make our clients feel comfortable shopping with us. We provide a low-pressure sales experience, while providing knowledgeable sales staff to help you make the best decisions for your home

and lifestyle.

What's something your customers may not know about your business?

We are locally owned and operated. The owners hail from South Dakota and moved to Montana 20+ years ago. They come from a long history of Slumberland owners. While we sell a wide variety of mattresses, we also have a huge selection of dining room, bedroom, and living room furniture in all styles.

What do you enjoy most about having your business in this community?

Billings, Montana is a great community. The diversity of the people that have been lifelong residents of Montana, and those that have moved here to enjoy this beautiful state are wonderful. Getting to know their stories and helping them make their house a home is an absolute privilege.

What does it mean to be voted Best of the Best?

It truly means the world to us knowing our clients would give us this honor; it is humbling. Our client base is some of the Best of Billings.

What's your secret to good customer service?

Listening to our clients is #1! Having knowledgeable staff to answer questions that our clients may have, and striving to find the perfect fit for their furnishing/mattress needs. Our delivery staff is exceptional. After the sale we have an in-house service department for any issues that may arise, and to get those issues taken care of in a timely manner. We are also a 3-time recipient from our corporate office for Outstanding Customer Service at our location.

What are some of the things you do to give back to the community?

We donate mattresses every year to a charity that can provide children without mattresses, with a mattress; to get them off the floor. Throughout the year we also donate to local organizations in need of sponsorships or fundraising items.

Fun fact about your business?

Most of our staff have worked here for over 15 years. We have an annual BBQ and corn hole tournament. The trophies of the winners are proudly displayed on our back counter.





HOT TUB/SPA CENTER



MONTANA HOT SPRING SPAS

48 YEARS IN BUSINESS

2217 Grand Ave.
(406) 652-7727
lovethetub.com

What makes you stand out from the competition?

Our expertise, years of experience, and local reputation, combined with 48 years in Billings selling and servicing the No.1 rated hot tub in the world – Hot Spring.

What brings customers back to your business?

Our family-like culture combined with friendliness, dedication, and commitment to our customers.

What's something your customers may not know about your business?

We sell wellness products rather than a luxury product.

What makes your business a good place to work?

We compensate our employees at the top of industry standards, plus we offer full benefits including health, dental, and vision insurance along with a retirement plan. The owners are active in the business and work to create a fun culture in which to be a part.

What do you enjoy most about having your business in this community?

Even though Billings is the largest city in Montana, we earn our customers' respect and trust through intimacy of service and follow-up. We were born and raised in the community and enjoy

being able to support Billings through youth sponsorships, charities, and other organizations.

What can customers expect when they walk through your doors?

A friendly greeting and a respectable approach to helping fulfill the needs of our customers whether it be for a new hot tub, sauna, or water care products.

What does it mean to be voted Best of the Best?

We feel very humbled, yet proud of our team, as we strive to serve our customers in the



best ways possible.

What are you most proud of?

The ability to provide jobs for our staff members and the ability to give back to the Billings community; as a retail and service business that provides a wellness product designed to make

every day better for our customers.

What's your secret to good customer service?

Selling the best-built products in the industry and having a great, welltrained team that is experienced in sales, delivery, and service.

What are some of the things you do to give back to the community?

We give to all of the Billings high schools in a variety of ways – sports, dance teams, cheerleading, music programs, etc. We also support Legion Baseball and Little League. In addition, we contribute to various Christian organizations.

How do you build trust with customers?

Taking the time to really listen to what the customer needs and wants and working to

find products and solutions that will serve them best. Many of our customers are more like clients and almost become like family to us.

What makes your business popular?

Families desire time to be together to unplug and unwind. Our wellness products of hot tubs and saunas provide a place to do just that. We have the perfect product for the times we are living in. We call our hot tubs the best for all seasons and all reasons. The

benefits are not just physical, but are helpful mentally and emotionally, and especially socially; providing an

opportunity for families to be together in the great Montana outdoors.

Fun fact about your business?

We have had the honor of winning this award 25 years in a row, ever since The Billings Gazette initiated the Reader's Choice Awards. We are very grateful for our customers!



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MEXICAN FOOD



GUADALAJARA

30 YEARS IN BUSINESS

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1403 Main St.

335 1st St., Havre
guadalajararestaurantmt.com

What makes you stand out from the competition?

We are traditional, trendy, and cater to our home of Montana. We know our neighbors and love what our state has to offer, from traditional skinny margaritas made from fresh-squeezed lime, lemon, and orange to our Flathead cherry and huckleberry margaritas, we love using in-state fresh ingredients to share with our amazing locals and visitors.

What brings customers back to your business?

The quality of our ingredients and trying to be as consistent as possible. We use Montana beef for all our beef recipes. We are lucky to live in a region with some of the best beef in the world.

In our opinion, that elevates our dishes. Then, when mixed with our spices from Mexico, it makes it that much better.

What's something your customers may not know about your business?

At our King Avenue location, we have a nice patio area out front and an entire wall of TVs inside the bar. We play all the NFL games and fans can expect fun new tequila drinks, food pairings, and special tequila tasting events.

What makes your business a good place to work?

It consists of our wonderful family and local staff. Montana made and raised, having people from our community allows us to be aware of what is going on, and how we can help those in need. It's very special to feel like you work with family, for family.

What do you enjoy most about having your business in this community?

They have supported and helped us evolve for over 25-plus years. We couldn't do it without them, and our neighbors are our biggest motivation!

What can customers expect when they walk through your doors?

A hardworking, friendly face from their



community.

What does it mean to be voted Best of the Best?

It means everything! What an act of support and validation from the people we love serving. Such an honor!

What are some of the things you do to give back to the community?

We do our best to help in every way, anytime someone needs anything. I love that they are comfortable enough to come and ask us for help.

How do you build trust with customers?

Like every business, we have times when something goes wrong, and it is especially important to not just listen, but try to resolve it by listening. We then take the initiative to improve and fix the issue to the best of our ability.

What makes your business popular?

We have been here for so long; enjoying and evolving WITH our community.

Fun fact about your business?

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What brings customers back to your business?

A lot of our patients have a close, personal relationship with our physicians and providers that have gone on for many years. The excellent care our providers give, and the relationship they develop with our patients is what keeps them coming back.

What's something your customers may not know about your business?

We have 7 physicians and 6 clinicians including a Psychiatric Mental Health Nurse Practitioner.

What makes your business a good place to work?

We are in the business of taking care of people. We strive to not only take great care of our patients, but also each other. Apart from the many breakfasts and lunches provided, we also have lots of contests like our famous Halloween costume contest and our Valentine box contest.

What do you enjoy most about having your business in this community?

We LOVE being in Billings. We try to recruit providers that are from Billings or Montana and have ties back to the community. All our physicians and providers are either from

Billings, somewhere else in Montana, or have some connection to the area. Over half of our staff are from Billings or the surrounding area.

What can customers expect when they walk through your doors?

Our wonderful patients can expect to be greeted with a friendly smile and excellent customer service. In person or on the phone, we strive to always provide the best care possible.

What does it mean to be voted Best of the Best?

We are proud to be voted the best OBGYN clinic. We have the best physicians and providers in the area, and they are fantastic with our OB patients as well as our GYN patients.

What are you most proud of?

We are super proud of the excellent patient care we provide to all our patients. We deliver about 150 babies a month. We are proud of all our clinical and non-clinical staff and the way they care for not only our patients, but also for each other.

What's your secret to good customer service?

We don't have any secret sauce. Just good friendly people that enjoy their jobs, and love taking care of people.

What are some of the things you do to give back to the community?

We recently saw that there was a blood drive at the mall, so we gave every person 4 hours of paid time off if they went and donated blood. We were able to have 16 people go give blood. It was awesome.

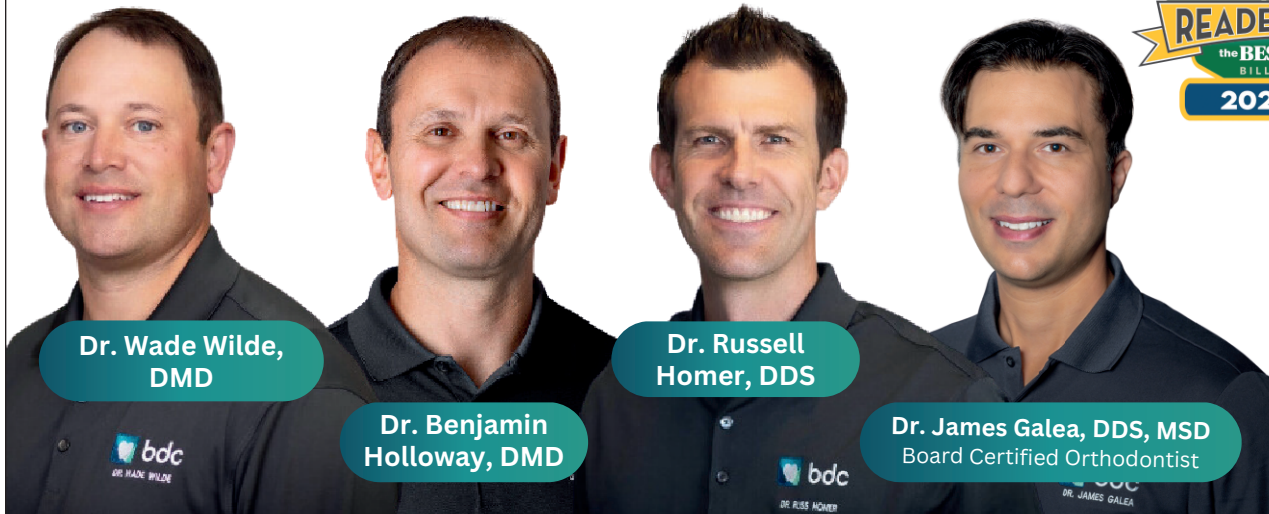
How do you build trust with patients?

One of the biggest ways we build trust with our patients is doing what we say we are going to do and doing it consistently. We are in the business of taking care of people. That's a sacred trust between a patient and their health care provider. We honor and guard that trust.

What makes your business popular?

Well, we deliver about 150 babies a month, so that helps keep us popular. I also think that our quality of physicians and providers keep people coming back.

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What brings customers back to your business?

Great customer service and great products!

What do you enjoy most about having your business in this community?

Being able to get to know the community and seeing their furry friends come in. We love knowing that we are making a positive impact by providing a healthy alternative to the other brands that are found in town.

What can customers expect when they walk through your doors?

You should expect a smiling face and a friendly atmosphere! We do our best to make sure that everyone feels welcome.

What does it mean to be voted Best of the Best?

Being voted Best of the Best means that we do make a difference in people's and their pets' lives. Pets are family to us, and we want to do everything we can to make them happy and healthy.

What are you most proud of?

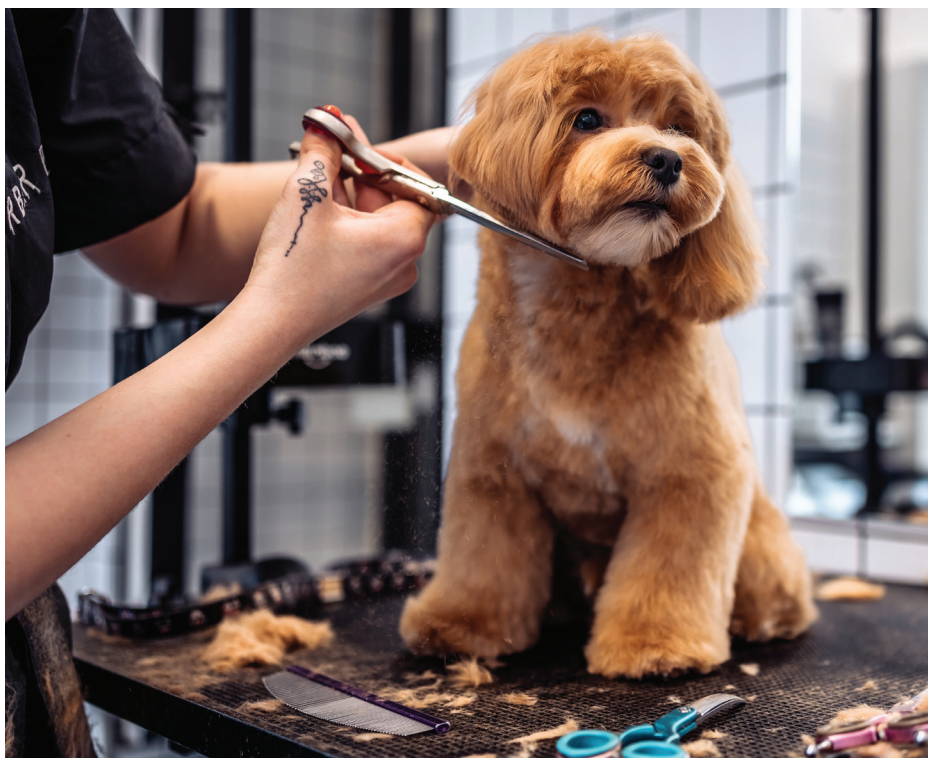
We're most proud of our employees and how much they truly care about the community and their pets.

What's your secret to good customer service?

Our secret to good customer service is getting to know our customers and their pets. A clean and welcoming environment goes a long way in making someone feel comfortable as well.

How do you build trust with customers?

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What makes you stand out from the competition?

Pharm406 is a Montana-owned pharmacy. Through innovation and hard work, we provide better services to our communities compared to the competition. Pharm406 is open 7 days a week, has 3 drive-through lanes and offers free delivery and mail outs across the state of Montana. Pharm406 has brought mobile vaccine clinics to rural communities and provides home visits to those who are home bound.

What brings customers back to your business?

Our customers keep coming back to Pharm406 because our staff works hard to get our customers in and out without all the corporate hassles. Customers who support Pharm406 support local businesses like Pharm406, because local businesses are the heart of a local economy and support local events.

What's something your customers may not know about your business?

Most people do not know that Pharm406

works hard behind the scenes advocating for patient healthcare and access to healthcare in Montana. Pharm406 fights the corrupt insurance companies and works with government agencies to improve quality of life for all Montanans.

What makes your business a good place to work?

Pharm406 takes pride in providing services our competition does not and making a difference in the communities we serve. Working at Pharm406 is like working at home and helping your friends and neighbors.

What do you enjoy most about having your business in this community?

Pharm406 enjoys being part of the Billings community mostly because of the diversity we serve. Pharm406, not being a major corporation, has the ability to be flexible for many groups of patients and the diverse needs of everyone.

What can customers expect when they walk through your doors?

Customers who walk through the front door of Pharm406 will expect fresh popcorn, a wide selection of durable medical equipment, a wide selection of over-the-counter items, and most importantly appropriate staffing to get you in and out quickly.

What does it mean to be voted Best of the Best?

Pharm406 has already been nationally recognized and awarded as the most innovative pharmacy in America. It is a privilege that our hard work and dedication to our local community is finally recognized and voted for by the community we serve. Pharm406 has lots of competition and to win this award proves to the community that small businesses are preferred over large corporations.

What are you most proud of?

I am most proud that the hard work myself and my team provide to the community shines on a regular basis. We continue to make changes and adapt to the needs of our patients and community. As a Montana business owner, I face the challenges of dealing with corrupt insurance companies, corrupt large corporate competitors, out of control government regulations, and excessive local taxes. However, at the end of the day, I still am here fighting for what means the most to me, serving the people of Montana.

What's your secret to good customer service?

The secret to good customer service is listening to the customer.

What are some of the things you do to give back to the community?

Pharm406, as a local business, has provided donations to local events such as youth baseball, Big Sky Speedway, Relay for Life and Fusion Fights. However, mostly, we provide free delivery and home visits for vaccinations to help those who cannot drive.

How do you build trust with patients?

Following through and exceeding expectations.

What makes your business popular?

Pharm406 is popular because we are Montana's Pharmacy.

Fun fact about your business?

Pharm406 originally started as a pharmacy staffing company organized in 2016. When the pandemic hit the United States in 2020, I wanted to step up and help our communities get through the pandemic by providing mobile vaccine clinics to all of Montana. The State of Montana required a brick-and-mortar pharmacy before they would allow me to do mobile vaccines. Pharm406 opened its doors in Billings, MT in August of 2020 when businesses were closing down, not opening. Lots of people thought I was crazy opening a new business in the middle of a pandemic. However, it did not take long to realize that the community needed not just a good pharmacy, but the BEST pharmacy.



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What's something your customers may not know about your business?

Our customers know everything about our business since they have been with us since the start.

What makes your business a good place to work?

Treating each customer like you would your family.

What do you enjoy most about having your business in this community?

We love our customers, and we love to serve the community because being together is what life is all about.

What can customers expect when they walk through your doors?

A great time with familiar faces and a consistently delicious meal.

What does it mean to be voted Best of the Best?

It tells us we are doing the right things for and by our customers. It also tells us all the hard work we put into serving our customers pays off each and every day

What are you most proud of?

Our staff. We think we have the best people in back so we can serve the best people out front.

What's your secret to good customer service?

Treating each customer like you would your family. Personal service with a smile. Our motto is "We appreciate You!"

What are some of the things you do to give back to the community?

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What makes your business popular?

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What makes you stand out from the competition?

Bistro Enzo is a staple (for 26 years) in Billings, and we have menu items that are desirable to everyone. With fresh seafood, prime grade steaks, pastas, and a variety of small plates and fresh salads, we have something for any occasion.

What brings customers back to your business?

One of the best compliments we receive daily is how consistent Enzo is. From the food to the service, it is something we take a lot of pride in and focus all our attention on.

What can customers expect when they walk through your doors?

The first thing you see is our beautifully designed open kitchen, stunning custom artwork by Kira Fercho, and you will be greeted by our gracious team. When you see the fire from the wood-fired oven and smell

the amazing food right when you walk in, you know it's going to be a good evening.

What does it mean to be voted Best of the Best?

I say this year after year, but to be voted someone's favorite version of anything, they are paying you the highest compliment. It is something that can't be argued and we are very grateful to win in three different categories this year. – Tyler Samson (Owner)

What are you most proud of?

I am most proud of the entire Enzo Team. Their collective passion for hospitality creates an environment where guests feel not just served but truly welcomed and cared for. From the extremely talented Kitchen Team to the top-notch service our front of the house gives, it creates the best combination and a great experience for our guests.



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What brings customers back to your business?

Berkshire Hathaway HomeServices Floberg Real Estate Forever Agents® commitment has earned us a 99%+ customer satisfaction rating. Whether it's first-time homebuyers, luxury properties, commercial, ranch, industrial, or investment real estate, our agents are with clients every step of the way – advocating for them and watching out for their best interests.

What's something your customers may not know about your business?

While we carry the Berkshire Hathaway name, we are locally owned and operated by a Montana family. Two of our children now work in real estate alongside us, continuing the tradition of service. Our team is deeply rooted here, and the decisions we make always come back to what's best for our clients and our community.

What makes your business a good place to work?

An Attitude of Abundance. Our agents and staff have access to top-tier training, marketing tools, and leadership support; but more importantly, they know they are part of a family. We celebrate wins together, encourage one another during challenges, and make work something to look forward to.

With our brokerage participating in over 30% of the transactions in our regional market, there's plenty of opportunity left to go after!

What do you enjoy most about having your business in this community?

Billings and the surrounding communities embody the values we hold dear – trust, honesty, hard work, and genuine care for one another. We love seeing clients turn into friends and friends into lifelong relationships. Living and working in a place where community matters so deeply is an incredible blessing.

What can customers expect when they walk through your doors?

They can expect a warm welcome, attentive listening, and professional guidance based on education and experience from start to finish. We want every client to feel comfortable and confident, knowing they have a dedicated team walking alongside them as they make some of life's most important decisions.

What does it mean to be voted Best of the Best?

What an incredible blessing! To be chosen by our community as the Best Real Estate Brokerage 12 TIMES means people see and value the heart, dedication, and hard work our entire team puts into every client relationship. It motivates us to keep building new relationships, helping more clients reach their real estate goals, and continuing to give back to the community that has given us so much.

What are you most proud of?

We are most proud of the people –our agents, staff, and clients – who make up our story. Over the years, we have built a culture that values integrity, abundance, and connection. Seeing our team support each other, serve clients with excellence, and



invest in the community makes us prouder than any number or statistic ever could.

What's your secret to good customer service?

It's simple: the Golden Rule. Treat everyone as you would want to be treated yourself. Listen first, serve with integrity, and treat every client as though they are family. Real estate can be overwhelming, but when people know you genuinely care and are willing to go the extra mile, trust and satisfaction naturally follow.

What are some of the things you do to give back to the community?

Giving back is woven into our culture. Each year, our agents and staff organize the Sugar Showdown, an auction of baked goods and personalized dinner events that raises thousands of dollars for local nonprofits. This year's recipient was the Ronald McDonald House, where our agents donated over \$19,000 in one evening buying baked goods and dinners that they made and donated! We sponsor local community events, youth programs, wildlife conservation efforts, and regional schools and organizations that make Eastern Montana a better place to live. This fall, Forever Community returns on October 3rd at the United Way of Yellowstone County campus – with over 40 local nonprofits,

music, food trucks, and neighbors coming together for a fun evening. We look forward to seeing you all there!

How do you build trust with clients?

We listen. We're honest, transparent, and reliable advocates for our clients' needs and wishes. We create a clear plan, communicate every step of the way, and most importantly – we do

what we say we're going to do.

What makes your business popular?

Berkshire Hathaway HomeServices Floberg Real Estate is the #1 Real Estate Brokerage in Eastern Montana because of our agents and staff. Clients know they can count on us for proven results, but what truly makes us popular is our culture of integrity, abundance, and community focus.

Fun fact about your business?

Every April, our agents split into two teams – the Banditos and the Federales – for a friendly competition called Steak & Beans. The contest wraps up with our Sugar Showdown fundraiser, where baked goods are auctioned off to raise money for nonprofits. It's a tradition that combines fun, teamwork, and giving back – a perfect reflection of who we are.

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What brings customers back to your business?

It's simple: love, loyalty, and legacy. We've welcomed generations of families – residents whose parents once called Westpark Village home. Our staff stays for decades, and so do our residents. Why? Because here, people feel valued, respected, and genuinely cared for. That kind of connection is hard to find and impossible to forget.

What's something your customers may not know about your business?

We're basically the Hall of Fame of longevity!

- *One resident has lived here for 22 years
- *Our Business Office Director: 26 years
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- *Director of Nursing: 28 years
- *Maintenance Team Member: 21 years
- *Care Giver: 12 years
- *Receptionists: 28 years

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What makes your business a good place to work?

Leadership that lifts you up. From the Goodman Group to our Truly Fabulous Executive Director Megan Brinton, we're surrounded by people who lead with compassion and clarity. Our Platinum Service® Program encourages daily appreciation – handwritten notes, sweet treats, and monthly celebrations. It's not just a job; it's a joy.

What do you enjoy most about having your business in this community?

As Sales and Marketing Director, I get to share our beautiful home and heartfelt service with the Billings community. It's an honor to welcome new residents and families into a place that's truly special. We're not just part of the community – we're a reflection of its warmth.

What can customers expect when they walk through your doors?

A warm hello. A genuine smile. A sense of belonging. And yes – it's absolutely beautiful. You'll know you've arrived somewhere special that cares deeply.

What does it mean to be voted Best of the Best?

It means everything. Being recognized as Billings' Best Independent/Assisted Living Community is a testament to the love, dedication, and excellence that defines Westpark Village. We're honored and humbled.

What are you most proud of?

Our incredible staff and the Platinum Service® they deliver every single day. They're the heartbeat of our community.

What's your secret to good customer service?

It's not a secret – it's our Platinum Service® Model. Every morning, we gather to reflect on our purpose: serving residents with kindness, grace, and dignity. We celebrate each other, lift each other up and never hesitate to lend a hand. It's real, it's consistent, and it's powerful.

What are some of the things you do to give back to the community?

We love a good fundraiser with flair!

*Purse, Scarf & Jewelry Sale: \$2 treasures raised \$7,000 for the Westend Rotary

*Annual Plant Sale: Partnered with Special K Ranch to support Riverstone Homeless Healthcare

*Royal Tea Party: Sold out event raised \$2,000 for Eagle Mount

We believe in giving with heart and having fun while doing it.



How do you build trust with patients?

We keep our promises. We own our mistakes. We treat everyone – staff, residents, families—with kindness and respect. We're open, honest, and always striving to grow. Trust isn't just earned here – it's nurtured.

What makes your business popular?

Happy residents. Exceptional service. Supportive leadership. Devoted staff. That's the magic formula.

Fun fact about your business?

*We had baby bunnies here for Easter!

*We were able to bring a horse to WPV so

that one of our residents who used to ride could get back in the saddle – a dream of his for years.

*Our Wednesdays are “Wonderful Wednesdays” – we celebrate Wonderfulness!

*On occasion one of our front desk team members has been known to sing our morning announcements – in perfect tune!

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What's something your customers may not know about your business?

We have always been a locally owned family business.

What does it mean to be voted Best of the Best?

It means a great deal to the team here

at Rich's Flooring. It is nice to see the hard work all the staff and installers put into the everyday tasks be recognized by the community.

What are some of the things you do to give back to the community?

We try to be a big donor for Habitat for Humanity. Support the local food bank.

How do you build trust with customers?

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What's your secret to good customer service?

We are all about hospitality. How you make someone feel is what hospitality is all about. One of my favorite quotes from Restaurateur Danny Meyer, "Business, like life, is all about how you make people feel. It's that simple, and it's that hard." I think about that quote a lot in the restaurant business, as well as my commercial real estate business every single day. (Tyler is also a commercial real estate agent with NAI Business Properties.) All our managers, servers, and bartenders have different styles of service, which I love, but everyone has the same goal in mind; to give the best customized service and make every guest's experience the best every time they dine with us.

What are some of the things you do to give back to the community?

We are very blessed to be a part of the best community and try to give back as much as possible. Tyler and Chef Alex also donate multiple private dinners annually to various organizations that are auctioned off at fundraising events. Bistro Enzo participates in many charitable events/sponsorships every year, and we are always eager to give back.

Fun fact about your business?

Bistro Enzo is celebrating its 26th year in business this year. When I purchased the restaurant over five years ago, we had 24 employees and now have close to 50. A lot of our team members have been with Bistro Enzo over 10 years, and a few over 20 years since day one of the restaurant opening. There is something comforting when you go into your favorite businesses and see the same familiar faces, who over the years become extended family to you and yours.



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What makes you stand out from the competition?

I really feel it is our heartfelt attempt to make every project seamless and painless for our customers. Customer service is our highest priority.

What brings customers back to your business?

Great customer experiences. If a client is satisfied with the work we have provided, we feel they will be a returning customer.

What's something your customers may not know about your business?

We are a 100% woman-owned company and have been for the last 5 years.

What makes your business a good place to work?

Many companies describe their employees as family. Our company acts and functions as a family every day, we respect

each other, and all have a common goal for our customers. The closeness of our group is amazing, and we rally around any family member when they are in need.

What do you enjoy most about having your business in this community?

The Billings community has been so good to us over the last 47 years and it's easy for us to give back to our friends and neighbors.

What can customers expect when they walk through your doors?

A friendly greeting and a willingness to help them in any way possible.

What does it mean to be voted Best of the Best?

Well, this is the fifth year in a row, and we are always flattered by the support we get from the community; however, this win has to be the biggest so far for us.

What are you most proud of?

The fact that we have been able to continue our high level of customer satisfaction for five straight years. It gives me hope that we will be able to continue performing at a high level for our clients.

What's your secret to good customer service?

Everyone in the company is pulling in the same direction to meet our goals for the best customer experience possible.

What are some of the things you do to give back to the community?

We continue to offer our services to Habitat for Humanity and will donate to specific charitable causes in the Billings community. We also have sponsored many local youth sports leagues.

How do you build trust with clients?

Really, building long-term trust is just doing what is right on every project, it's as simple as that.

What makes your business popular?

I think that it really shows dividends for our entire team to provide great customer service, we are committed to this and strive to continually find ways to improve.

Fun fact about your business?

We have been in business for over four and a half decades. This is in an age when 80% of roofing contractors are out of business within 5 years, and so it is a testament to our commitment to providing the best customer experience. When Kirkness Roofing was founded, there were only 4 roofing contractors in Billings; now it seems like there are 4 new contractors every week.



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What makes your business a good place to work?

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What do you enjoy most about having your business in this community?

Our four markets are Billings, Lewistown, Hardin, and Sheridan, WY. All of these offer a great quality of life. And we get to enjoy & serve all the fine folks/customers that live in these areas.

What does it mean to be voted Best of the Best?

We have received Best of the Best awards for many years. We are grateful. Never, ever do we take this for granted. Receiving this award continually makes us work harder & more efficiently to better serve & satisfy our customers.

What's your secret to good customer service?

We are all about hospitality. How you make someone feel is what hospitality is all about. One of my favorite quotes from Restaurateur Danny Meyer, "Business, like life, is all about how



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What makes you stand out from the competition?

What sets Win-Dor Industries apart from the competition is the experience of our entire team, from sales to the installers and service department, everyone here has a wealth of knowledge in the window and door industry.

What brings customers back to your business?

We do have a lot of repeat customers, and I believe the biggest reason why is the fact that we take care of all our customers from the point of sale until the job is completed. We feel there is

no bigger testament to a business than repeat customers.

What's something your customers may not know about your business?

My father (Toby R. Kline) started Win-Dor Industries in 1986, and it remains family-owned to this day, with the third generation now working for us.

What makes your business a good place to work?

We treat our employees the same as our customers and I believe that's why we have many 20 plus year employees.

What do you enjoy most about having your business in this community?

Billings has grown a lot in the 39 years that Win-Dor Industries has been in business, but it still has that small town feel. We hear quite often from customers that someone they know has had a great experience with us and that's why they decided to work with us; so, the community is very important to us.

What can customers expect when they walk through your doors?

You can expect to be greeted by our friendly staff and work with our knowledgeable sales team that will walk you through our extensive showroom.

What does it mean to be voted Best of the Best?

We have a lot of tough competition in the window and door industry in Billings, so to even be in the running is a big deal, but to actually have been voted "Best of the Best" for the last 7 years feels amazing!

What are you most proud of?

I am most proud of the team that makes up Win-Dor, and that has helped us become who we are today.

What's your secret to good customer service?

I feel like communication is a big part of customer service and we strive to keep communication open with our customers as much as possible.

What are some of the things you do to give back to the community?

Win-Dor Industries has partnered with a multitude of charities like St. Jude's, Homes for Hope, Habitat for Humanity, and has also sponsored locally: the Billings Mustangs, Billings Royals Legion Baseball, and Lockwood Little League Baseball & Lacrosse. Win-Dor is also very proud of all our military and its veterans, and we therefore offer a Military Discount.

How do you build trust with customers?

We are always honest with our customers and try our best to provide them with the best job possible.

What makes your business popular?

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What brings customers back to your business?

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What's something your customers may not know about your business?

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What makes your business a good place to work?

First, it's all about the team culture. People love working in an environment that's supportive, where everyone's got each other's back. G&T is known for that—people feel like family here. Second, the leadership really cares. The owners and managers listen to their employees, invest in their growth, and make sure they're taken care of. Third, the work is rewarding. You're solving real problems for people, and that gives a huge sense of pride and accomplishment. Plus, we have got a great reputation in the community, so we are part of something that people respect. And don't forget the benefits—we are also known for offering competitive pay, solid benefits, and opportunities for advancement. All of that together makes G&T Plumbing a place where people love to work. So, whether it's the camaraderie, the leadership, or the sense of purpose, it all comes together to make it a fantastic place to be.

What do you enjoy most about having your business in this community?

What we enjoy most is the people. Billings is the perfect size, large enough for complex commercial work, small enough that reputation and relationships matter. We see customers at the grocery store, coach their kids, and hire graduates from local programs. That community loop keeps us honest: show up on time, protect the home and/ or jobsite, do it right the first time, and stand behind our work. There is a real pride in driving past a school clinic or home and knowing our team craft is quietly working for our neighbors.

What does it mean to be voted Best of the Best?

It means a lot to us that our community voted us Best of the Best, that we are a leader in our industry. It shows they trust us to be worthy and reliable. We are very thankful to our community for this award and will continue to aim for even better service, as we acknowledge that without them, we would never have received it.

What are you most proud of?

Definitely our employees. You can't run a successful business without having dedicated employees. From our plumbers in the field, to the guys in the shop and our office staff; they are the foundation of our company.

What's your secret to good customer service?

Simply just treating people how they should be treated; with kindness and care. We treat each customer as if they are family.

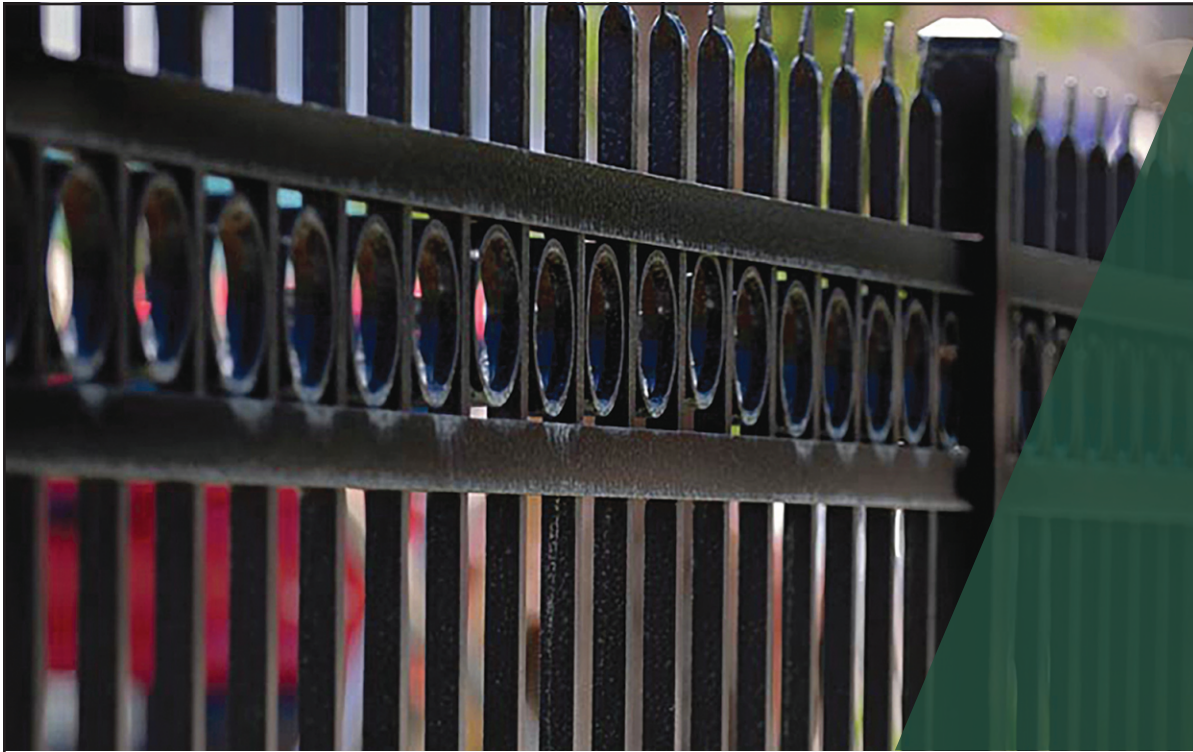
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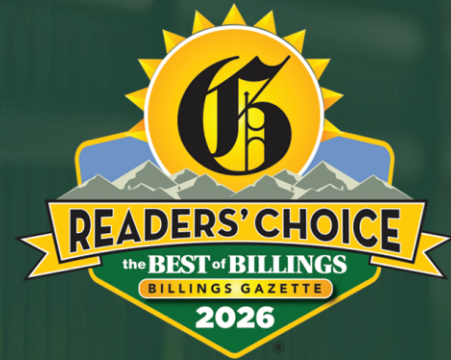




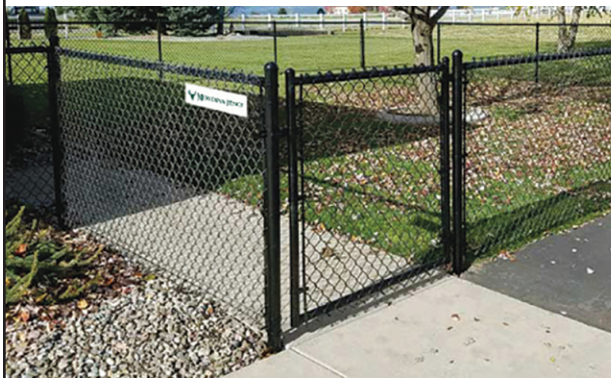
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