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A 20 Year Partnership

This year marks Harrison Contracting Co.'s twentieth year in operation. While there have been too many projects to count over the years, the entire process started with two clients. In early 1995, Benning Construction Company partnered with us on our first contract; the painting of a new Publix Grocery store at Paces Ferry Station. The rest is history. Over the course of the last two decades, Benning and Publix have been an integral part of our success. From new construction and remodels with Benning to painting and facility maintenance directly for Publix, we have completed over 500 jobs for these two valued customers. In fact, we have more than 50 active projects with them today. Loyal customers like these, just to name a couple, have made it possible for us to endure the ups and downs over the last 20 years. We look forward to many more decades of a healthy partnership in the future.



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Dates to Remember:

Feb 14 • Valentine's Day
Feb 16 • Presidents Day
Feb 16 • HCC Anniversary
Mar 8 • Daylight Savings Start
Mar 17 • St Patrick's Day
Apr 1 • April Fools Day
Apr 5 • Easter

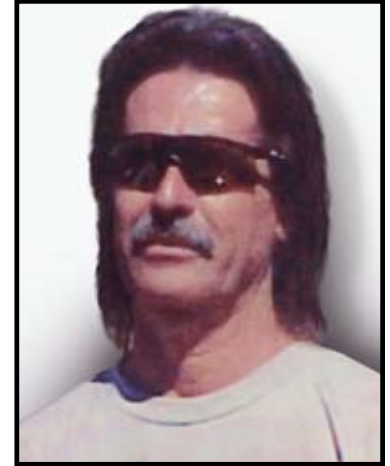
REMEMBERING OUR FOUNDER

- Deryl Harrison -

Deryl started in the painting industry in 1965. There he would continue until the day he passed in December 2000. He had many years of estimating and field application experience from heavy industrial, to commercial and even residential. Needless to say he was quite versed in all aspects of the painting industry. Deryl's goal was to make the painting industry something to be proud of considering the negative reputation that it sometimes carries. He always said...

“WE CAN BE PAINTERS BUT WE DON'T HAVE TO LOOK LIKE ONE”

That same statement holds true today with the way Harrison Contracting presents itself and conducts business with its customers. Another thing that Deryl and his wife Barbara brought to the company was the color Red. Barbara fell in love with the color red and from then on, it stuck with the company. To this day, if it can't be bought in red we will make it red! That means everything from vehicles to equipment and anything that sits still long enough. Red is our brand. Deryl would be pleasantly surprised to see how far we've come.



Today, we honor Deryl, for the vision that started Harrison Contracting 20 years ago.

A LOOK BACK	THEN (1995)	NOW (2015)
Superbowl:	Dallas Cowboys	New England Patriots
Atlanta Hawks Record:	46-36	43-10 (NBA record winning streak)
Price of Gallon of Gas:	\$1.15	\$2.20
Cost of a Dozen of Eggs:	\$1.16	\$2.21
Cost of a Gallon of Milk:	\$2.96	\$3.82
Avg Price of Home:	\$111,000	\$176,500
President:	Bill Clinton	Barack Obama
Vice President:	Al Gore	Joe Biden
US Population:	262,764,948	320,090,857
Dow-Jones		
High:	5,216	18,103
Low:	3,832	15,626
Federal Spending:	\$2.01 trillion	\$3.99 trillion
Federal Debt:	\$217 billion	\$18.62 trillion
Inflation:	2.5%	1.5%
Unemployment:	6.1%	5.7%

WITH A LITTLE HELP FROM OUR FRIENDS 20 Years Ago...

Harrison Contracting Co. became incorporated and signed its first contract with Benning Construction Co. on a new construction Publix Grocery store in 1995. Since then, we have been able to survive and thrive over the last two decades by working with a diverse portfolio of clients. Many of them have partnered with us for over a decade. We would like to thank our friends at Lowes Home Improvement, Autozone, Benning Construction Co. and VCC (Vratsinas Construction Co.) for building strong partnerships that have allowed us to expand and serve a list of clients that include some of the top 100 Retailers and General Contractors in the country. Lowes partnered with us more than 18 years ago, on a new construction painting of their Warner Robins, GA location. Over the course of the first few years, we built a direct relationship with them and have become one of their selected contractors for their new and repaint work throughout the region. Our partnership with Autozone began by painting one or two locations a month, then moved to partnering with their facilities department on refresh repainting projects throughout the country. That relationship has been built to entrusting us with painting more than 200 locations a quarter, throughout the country. VCC has been there to see us grow from the beginning and over the course of our relationship, we have completed all types of work on projects ranging from Atlantic Station in Atlanta to our recently completed Riverwalk project in New Orleans. While the four clients we have mentioned above have been with us the longest, there are many valued customers who have joined the HCC Family over the last two decades. All of our clients have helped us get to where we are today and we're looking forward to seeing where the next 20 years will take us.



FUN FACT: Over the course of 20 years we have applied more than 3 million gallons of paint. That's enough to paint a stripe 1ft wide around the earth more than 5 times!

Safety Day



Harrison Contracting recently held our **Annual Safety Day** – when all employees gather for a day of team building and training in the latest job safety equipment and procedures.

