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Nelson Voted “Best Job Placement Service” for 8th Straight Year

Multiple Northern California Staffing Branches Work Together to Earn NorthBay Biz Award

SONOMA, California, May 4, 2009 – Nelson, Northern California’s largest independent staffing firm, was recently voted “Best Job Placement Service” for the eighth consecutive year by the readers of NorthBay Biz magazine. Nelson ranks among a select handful of repeat winners. In the 2009 poll, NorthBay Biz received over 2,400 North Bay ballots, representing 40,000 votes across 36 categories.

“We’re truly honored to have once again earned the title of Best Job Placement Service,” says Chairman and CEO Gary Nelson. “Maintaining this rank for eight years in a row is significant. It demonstrates that we have been able to remain consistently successful and stable in the eyes of our community, even during times of great economic change.”

Award winners will be recognized on May 15th at a special invitation only ceremony to be held at Stone Tree Golf Club in Novato. The magazine publishes an annual “Best Of” bonus issue, and a complete list of winners can be found [on the magazine’s website](#).

Nelson has also been recognized by several other highly-regarded regional organizations: Nelson was selected as one of the "Best Places to Work" in the Greater Bay Area for the fifth consecutive year according to the San Francisco Business Times and Silicon Valley/San Jose Business Journal; also named “Best Staffing Agency” in 2009 by the Pacific Sun; selected “Large Business of the Year 2008” by the San Rafael Chamber of Commerce; and chosen as both “Best Place to Work 2008” and “Business of the Year 2008” by the Sonoma Valley Chamber of Commerce.

Nelson will celebrate its 40th anniversary in 2010. To learn more about the company and its various divisions, go to www.nelsonhr.com.

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About Nelson

Nelson was founded in 1970 by Chairman and CEO Gary D. Nelson, and is headquartered in Sonoma, CA. According to Staffing Industry Analysts, the company has grown into the 64th largest staffing company in the United States and is the largest independent human capital solutions company in Northern California. For more information, visit www.nelsonhr.com.

Nelson consists of the following businesses:

- **Nelson & Associates:** Provides full-time and executive search placement, as well as consultant and temporary professionals in the financial area. www.nelsonandassociates.com
- **Nelson Technology:** Provides end-to-end consulting services that include requirements gathering and analysis, project management, product/software development, testing, deployment and maintenance, as well as the placement of software and IT support professionals. www.nelsontechnology.com
- **Nelson Staffing:** Provides consultant, executive, full-time and temporary talent in a broad range of career areas including winery operations, game software testing, legal, office administration, hospitality, customer service, marketing, non-profit, human resources, business development and sales. www.nelsonstaffing.com
- **NelsonJobs.com:** Northern California's premier job board. www.nelsonjobs.com
- **WorkforceLogic:** Is an innovative workforce management company that provides software and services focused on risk mitigation, talent acquisition management and contingent workforce planning. www.workforcelogic.com
- **HRhome:** Is a members-only online resource created by HR professionals for HR professionals. Subscribers have access to proprietary content and customizable features within nine primary sections that allow them to find the information, tools and resources they need to quickly solve HR-related challenges. www.hrhome.com

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