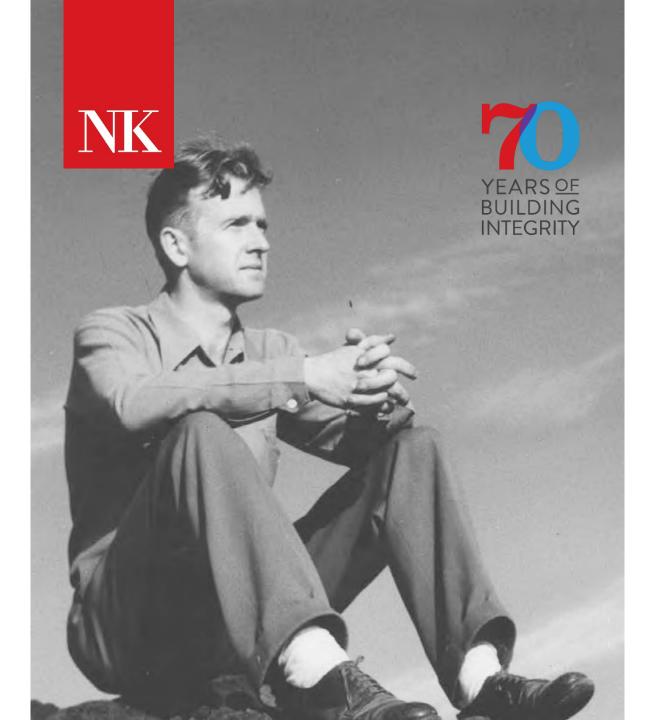


# B CORPS & BENEFIT COMPANIES

Presentation to







## **GOOD PEOPLE CRAFTING GREAT HOMES SINCE 1947**



**DESIGN-BUILD REMODELING** 



HANDYMAN SERVICES



HOME IMPROVEMENT



**SOLAR ENERGY** 



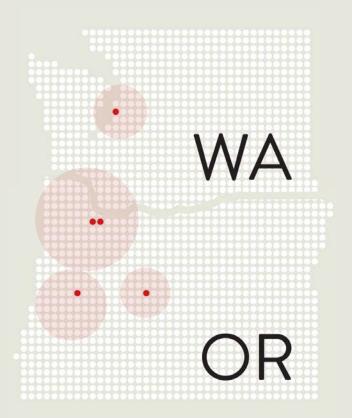
PROPERTY RESTORATION



**CUSTOM HOMES** 

















## NK

1947



Neil B. Kelly starts his company in his basement with a \$100 investment.

1960s



North Portland showroom opens. **Neil Kelly Cabinet** Company established.

1970s



Neil Kelly pioneers the design/build remodeling process, and promotes women to roles in sales, design, drafting and carpentry.

1980s



Neil B. Kelly becomes first president of NARI. Tom Kelly assumes leadership of Neil Kelly Company. Second design center opens in Beaverton, OR. 1990s



**Handyman Services** introduced. Company wins National Better **Business Bureau** Integrity Award.

Lake Oswego Design Center opens in first LEEDcertified commercial building on the West Coast. Eugene and Bend Design Centers open. Home Performance energy services introduced.

2000s

2010s

**TODAY** 



Seattle Design Center opens. Solar energy services introduced.

**NKC** becomes a Certified B Corporation and continues to lead the industry in innovation and award-winning design.















#### Naturally Northwest\*\* Neil Kelly Cabinets

Final Assembly: Portland, OR, USA Life Expectancy: 5 YEARS End of Life Options: Recyclable (90%), Landfill (10%)

#### Ingredients:

Panel: Ligno-Cellulosic Materials, Soy Flour, Hercules CA1100 Resin\* (Klamath Falls, OR); Finish: n-Butyl Acetate, 1-Methoxy-2-Propanol Acetate, Toluene, Xylene, Ethanol, 1-Butanol, Acetone, 2-Methyl-1-Propanol, Methanol, Amorphous Precipitated Silica, Ethylbenzene; Construction Adhesive: Roo Super Bond\*; Case Hardware: Steel, Lubrication Grease, Ethylene-Vinyl Acetate Copolymer























## WHAT IS AN OREGON BENEFIT NK COMPANY?

- Separate from B Corp Certification
- Corporate status for Oregon companies
- Positive social & environmental impact
- Must follow 3<sup>rd</sup>-party standard





# WHAT HAVE WE GAINED FROM BENEFIT COMPANY STATUS?

- Preservation of our values and intent
- Documentation of our commitment
- Promotion of the concept of business as a force for good







"B Corp is to business what Fair Trade certification is to coffee or USDA Organic certification is to milk."

- B Lab (bcorporation.net)







**PEOPLE:** Employees and community

**PLANET:** Environmental sustainability

**PROFIT:** Financial stability, sustainability,

opportunity, and growth



For-profit company certified by **B Lab** to meet rigorous standards of:

- SOCIAL PERFORMANCE
- ENVIRONMENTAL PERFORMANCE
- ACCOUNTABILITY
- TRANSPARENCY























## WHAT IS B CERTIFICATION?

B Impact Assessment

2 Meet Legal Requirement

**3** Biennial Recertification



## WHAT'S INCLUDED IN B LAB **ASSESSMENT?**

### **GOVERNANCE**:

- Corporate Structure
- Board
- Management Team
- Employee Participation
- Policies

B Impact Report			
Certified since: December 2013			
Summary:	Company Score	Median Score*	
Environment	24	7	
Workers	30	18	
Customers	N/A	N/A	
Community	22	17	
Governance	16	6	
Overall B Score	92	55	



## WHAT'S INCLUDED IN B LAB **NK** ASSESSMENT?

### **WORKERS:**

- HR Policies
- Hiring Practices
- Compensation
- Benefits
- Diversity

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# WHAT'S INCLUDED IN B LAB ASSESSMENT?

### **COMMUNITY:**

- Volunteer efforts
- Civic & industry leadership
- Local community support & business partnership
- Diversity in clientele & business partners

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## WHAT'S INCLUDED IN B LAB **NK** ASSESSMENT?

#### **ENVIRONMENT:**

- Sustainability efforts
- Supply chain
- Waste management
- Energy & water conservation
- Trade partner & client education

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### WHAT'S THE INVESTMENT?

- Annual Fee
  - \$500 50,000
  - Based upon annual sales
- Staff Time
  - Program Integration & Coordination
  - Recertification Process
  - Approx. 400 hours/year
- Total Annual Investment: \$25,000



# HOW HAVE WE BENEFITTED FROM B CORP CERTIFICATION?

- Clear & focused self-evaluation
- Renewed energy & creativity
- Community of like-valued companies
- Collaboration & learning opportunities
- Recruitment & retention
- Recognition from clients & partners

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#### THOUGHT LEADER FORUM: B CORPORATIONS



#### ANDREW WELCH PRESIDENT, BOLY:WELCH

Andrew leads Boly:Welch's staff of 40 recruiters, administrative, and operations staff specializing in executive search, recruiting, staffing, and HR consulting.

Andrew began his career with the firm in the '90s, but left to pursue education and experience internationally. Training with a world-class search industry leader rekindled his interest in rejoining Boly-Welch. In 2011 he returned as a contributor in the executive search division and in 2013 was named to the company's board of directors.

His transition to president of Boly-Welch in July 2015 was the culmination of an extensive succession planning process designed to align the agency's vision to maintain local ownership, a unique culture, and reputation for excellence with a sustainable organizational structure.



#### DAVID KAHL FOUNDER AND CEO, FULLY

In 2000, David Kahl was a M&A executive in New York City working long hours at a static desk with an old school task chair. Still in his 30's, he started noticing stiffness, an aching back and bad posture. That's when he first sat in the HAG Capisco chair. Making that simple change in his life, David noticed he felt better, became more focused and was sleeping better.

After 9/11 and growing disillusioned with Wall Street, David set out to build a socially-conscious business around active seating and healthy workspaces.

Now 15 years later, and Portlandbased Fully continues to disrupt the furniture industry by designing innovative, movement-inspired products like the Jarvis Standing Desk and Tic Toc stool, and selling directly to businesses and consumers without a dealer network.



#### TOM KELLY OWNER AND PRESIDENT, NEIL KELLY COMPANY

Tom Kelly is president of Neil Kelly Company, a design-build remodeling and home improvement firm founded by his father in 1947.

A former chair of the Portland Development Commission and current chair of the recently established Oregon Business Alliance for Climate, Tom has been active in trade and civic organizations throughout his career.

Neil Kelly employs 200 people in Bend, Eugene, Lake Oswego, Portland and Seattle, and has a long tradition of environmental leadership and community involvement.

The company earned B-Corp certification in 2013, and was registered as an Oregon Benefit Corporation on January 1, 2014 — the first day for such recognition.



FRED PAYNE
FOUNDER AND CEO,
NORTHWEST CAPITAL
MANAGEMENT INC.

Fred Payne has been in the financial services industry for over 30 years. In 1988, Fred founded Northwest Capital Management Inc., a firm that today provides wealth management and retirement plan consulting services to portfolios whose values exceed \$3 billion. NWCM became a B Corp in July 2016.

In 1995, Fred founded an actuarial and third party administration business, but sold it last year to concentrate NWCM's energies and resources on its advisory services. In 1996, he earned the Certified Financial Planner\* designation to better advise his wealth management clients. Fred is a graduate of the University of Notro Emme.



## WHAT DOES THIS MEAN FOR OUR NK FUTURE?

- Firm foundation for advancing our mission and values
- Growing community of like-minded companies
- Opportunities for learning and growth
- Clearer path for industry leadership
- Stronger communities, economy & environment



## **OUR B CORP 5-YEAR PLAN**

**COMPANY**: Fully integrate B Corp into Neil Kelly

brand and day-to-day operations

**PEOPLE:** Be among top 20 of "100 Best Green

Companies" list

**COMMUNITY:** Be known for our commitment to

community in every local market

**ENVIRONMENT:** Make every facility an example of

sustainable infrastructure.

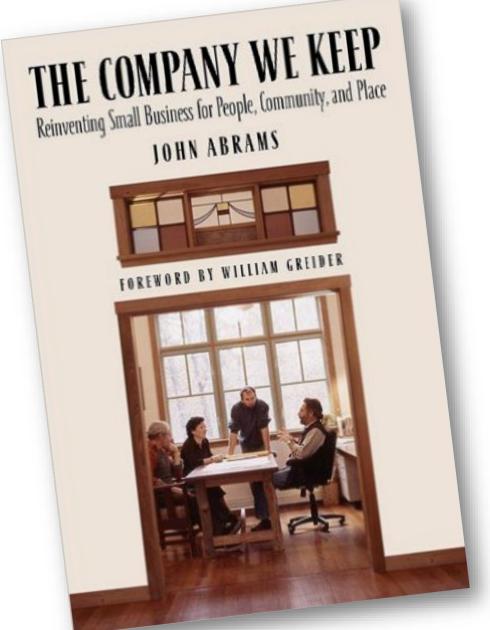
**GOVERNANCE**: Engage business and community

partners in our B Corp goals

## NK









As a Certified B Corp, we strive to make meaningful contributions to the people and communities we serve, and the environment we all share.



"We work for people, planet and profit – in that order."

Tom Kelly, President





















