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**McFarland Cascade to participate in Portland Yard, Garden & Patio Show**  
*Decking experts to help consumers plan outdoor living spaces*

**Portland, Ore.**—Planning your spring deck projects? McFarland Cascade can help you get started during the Portland Yard, Garden & Patio Show at the Oregon Convention Center Feb. 15-17.

The 2008 Show will feature more than 500 unique exhibits and 60 hours of seminars and demonstrations. Exhibitors include nurseries, garden centers and specialty merchants to landscape designers and craftsmen.

McFarland Cascade's 20 x 20 foot booth at number 447 will showcase the company's most popular decking and rail products. People can walk on the deck surfaces, inspect the products, and ask questions of McFarland Cascade staff members and certified contractors.

McFarland Cascade contractors participating in the show include Jason Thorp of Gresham's Thorp Construction; Adrian Petrisor of Aloha's Adrian's Quality Fences & Decks; Jim Hallman of Sandy's Northwest Exteriors; Reese Anderson of Tigard's Northwest Fence & Deck; Romi Botez of Tualatin's American Classic Decks & Fences; and Patrick McCullough of Bank's Northwest Deckscapes.

At the McFarland Cascade booth, consumers can learn how they can get McFarland Cascade's "Do It Yourself" deck design software and pick up product samples and product information. McFarland Cascade Area Sales Manager John Hedges will be on hand to answer questions, provide general estimates, and discuss ideas with customers who want to create customized outdoor living options.

McFarland Cascade's premier decking and railing lines that will be on display at the Portland Home & Garden show includes:

- **Stonedeck™**—Featured in Sunset Magazine in August of 2005 and 2006, these light-weight natural stone tiles backed with a high-strength composite will install on standard above ground deck frames with no additional substructure required. Stonedek can be used for an entire project or as an accent.
- **Extreme Tropical Hardwoods**—When nothing but real wood will do, McFarland Cascade's Extreme Tropical Hardwood line offer richness and durability that choosy customers appreciate. Their dramatic grains and distinctive colors can add value and elegance to any home, while their natural resistance to fungi and termites offer maintenance benefits.

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- **Xtendex®**—A rice-hull-based composite that naturally resists insects and mold, Xtendex features the Quick Clip no-visible-screw building system. This wood-free choice is more stain and scratch resistant than most other composite options and installs in up to half the time. It combines principals of conservation with practical engineering and ease of use.
- **RhinoDeck®**—Recognized as a quality wood alternative in the building industry, this composite decking system is comprised of 50 percent recycled high-density polyethylene (HDPE) and 50 percent recycled wood fibers. People who have used RhinoDeck have helped America recycle more than 1 billion plastic containers a year. It's splinter free, requires no painting or staining and installs like traditional wood.
- **DrySnap and Rain Escape**—Homeowners can maximize outdoor living spaces—even during rainy days—by transforming unsightly under-deck overhangs into dry and attractive usable spaces. Gain an outdoor living room or a dry storage space for lawn and gardening equipment, bikes, and more.

For more information, or to receive McFarland Cascade's catalogue featuring its complete line of products, call (800) 426-8430, or download it online at [www.mcfarlandcascade.com](http://www.mcfarlandcascade.com).

Tickets to the Portland Yard, Garden & Patio Show are \$11 for adults and free for children 12 and under and available at Safeway TicketsWest locations, online at [www.ticketwest.com](http://www.ticketwest.com) or at the Oregon Convention Center ticket box office during the show. Show hours are 10 a.m. to 9 p.m. Friday and Saturday and 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. Sunday.

*At McFarland Cascade, the best outdoor projects start with the best materials. A manufacturer and distributor of pressure-treated lumber, composite decking and other products that are sold through quality retailers throughout the West, the company began as a producer of poles and pilings in Sandpoint, Idaho in 1916.*

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