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East Coast Landscape is a licensed landscaping company that provides landscape contractor services including landscape design, upgrades and installations. Our experienced landscape designers specialize in peaceful spaces, colorful perennials, garden themes, water gardens and features that are bursting with exciting colors and aromas.

Greetings From Mark

President, East Coast Landscape, Inc.

I hope that you enjoyed your summer and that you were able to keep your home's landscape healthy during a largely dry summer.

Those of you who watered diligently are no doubt glad you did. Chances are you didn't lose any plants or trees, despite the lack of precipitation. For those of you whose plants and trees didn't fare as well, now is the time to remove any plants and trees that didn't survive and replace them straight away.

Autumn and winter are great seasons to do this. In fact, this an ideal season for everyone to take stock of their landscaping needs – and to take action! That's because in the rainy months of fall, the roots of plants and shrubs have plenty of time to strengthen.

In addition to autumn and winter being good times to plant, they are also ideal periods for pruning.

East Coast Landscape can help you take full advantage of this time of year. We offer a wide array of landscape services – all designed to showcase your home to its fullest potential.

We provide everything from creative landscape design, beautiful and functional hardscapes (such as patios, walkways, and retaining walls), pool design and accompanying landscape, to relaxing water features.

East Coast Landscape is proud of the creativity and quality that we provide to our customers, and we're thrilled that our pride is matched by how our clients feel about their home's exterior.

I hope we can meet to discuss your ideas for your home.

Please call East Coast Landscape at 301-421-4141 or check out our Website at www.eclandscapedesign.com.

What Your Neighbors Are Saying

East Coast
Landscape to be
Featured on
HGTV!

I'm happy to report that East Coast Landscape will be featured on an upcoming issue of HGTV's "Curb Appeal"!

As fans of the program know – one lucky homeowner each week is given the opportunity to transform their home's exterior from "so-so" to SENSATIONAL!

If you'd like to receive an e-mail notifying you of when the program will air, please call East Coast Landscape at 301-421-4141, or contact us through our website, eclandscapedesign.com.

Chances are, you wouldn't dream of selecting an interior decorator by randomly choosing a name out of a phone directory, and I hope you would be just as careful selecting a designer for your home's exterior.

Look for someone who has experience, integrity, and former customers who are eager and happy to share their experiences.

As President of East Coast Landscape, I'm pleased to report that we've been transforming landscapes in the Washington, D.C. area for more than 20 years. We've created a lot of beautiful landscapes in that time and, most importantly, have earned the respect, gratitude and endorsement of our customers. I'm pleased to share a small sampling of what your neighbors are saying about East Coast Landscape:

"I cannot tell you too often how beautiful our lot has become since you and your crew completed the redesign of our front yard. The meandering walkway, set off at various points with subtle, richly textured shrubs, plants, and ornamental trees, is a wonder in daylight; and at evening, the drama really unfolds under the well-placed ground lighting. It is a rare experience to find the landscape one imagines pales in comparison with the real thing! We are immeasurably impressed and very happy."

M. and S. Rotbert, North Potomac

"The retaining wall and paver patio was tastefully blended into the back of our house and the contours and seams were impeccable....[T]he field stone terrace garden plots were truly a work of art and science...Thanks again for such a beautiful job."

Dr. E. Bothwell, Olney

[[J]ust wanted to let tell you how incredibly pleased we are with the landscaping you have done for us...We are proudly displaying your sign out front and received numerous compliments from our neighbors...We are enjoying watching everything grown and how much you have changed the curb appeal of our home!"

T. and K. Bauer, Gaithersburg

"[W]e are thrilled with our new stream and pond. We waited a long time, did a lot of research and talked to many landscapers about this work. Although we were expecting you work to be good, it turned out better than our expectations. Your attitude as well as your crew was professional and upbeat..."

K. Ryan and M. Koslow, Washington, D.C.

Spotlight on Landscape Lighting

Landscape lighting enjoys more popularity than ever. It's easy to understand why: Landscape lighting not only adds to security by illuminating pathways and discouraging unwanted intruders, it also showcases architectural and plant features in a beautiful and dramatic fashion.

East Coast Landscaping specializes in designing landscape lighting plans that put your home "in the best light!" Such techniques as uplighting, pathlighting, downlighting, and silhouette lighting can be used to create a mood and to illuminate areas for safety, security and aesthetics.

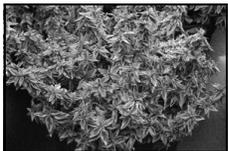
Landscape lighting can transform your home easily and affordably. Today's low-voltage landscape lighting systems are economical and energy efficient.

If you're interested in learning more, please call me at 301-421-4141. I'd be happy to shed more light on the subject!

What's Hot for Planting

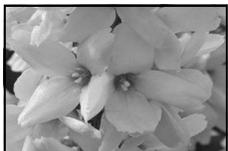
Just as car enthusiasts eagerly await the next season's automobile designs, garden enthusiasts anticipate the hot new plants of the year.

Here are three of our favorites:



Abelia x grandiflora "Kaleidoscope" – It's no wonder why this beautiful name got its common name. It's colors – which include yellow, green and white – change dramatically with the seasons. In the winter season, leaves turn a lovely blend of red, orange, yellow and green.

Euphorbia martinia "Rudolph" – This hardy two-foot plant features clusters of blue-green, rosette-like foliage, each topped in the center by a red splash of color.



Forsythia x intermedia "KolGold" – The individual flowers of this forsythia look wonderful both in the garden and in cut flower arrangements. Simply dynamic!

Featured Plants

Abelia x grandiflora "Kaleidoscope"

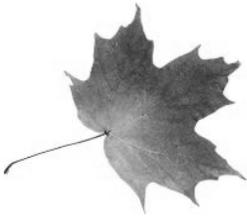
- Full sun or partial shade.
- Well drained soil
- Requires little or no pruning.

Euphorbia martinia "Rudolph"

- Features are a rosette of bright red bracts during winter

Forsythia x intermedia "KolGold"

- Plant in full sun.
- Water regularly, when top three inches of soil is dry.
- Moderate growth, approximately 5x4



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Your Exterior Decorator!

- Waterscapes
- Landscape Design and Planting
- Retaining Walls
- Pathways
- Water Gardens
- Landscape Lighting

Fall is the ideal time for your landscaping project!

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