



A leader in green solutions





## Chairman's Message



Green Works imported its first shipments of plant materials in 2002. By 2009, the production nursery had grown to the extent that it boasted an extensive collection of plant species grown on site, which meant the team no longer needed to import plant materials from abroad to supplement demand.

Green Works boasts an impressive range of over 500 cultivated plant species, having conducted extensive R&D trials on more than 1,800 varieties over the past 5 years; this is a huge improvement over the original

120 species that were readily available to the public in 2003. Green Works' success and remarkable growth as a core pillar of the Al Barari development is a testament to the hard work, dedication and effort put in by the team.

Al Barari is an organic group in all senses of the word. Its distinctive new ideas are tried and tested internally before they are put into production.

# About Us



Green Works, a leader in green solutions and forerunner in sustainability, has been operating in the UAE for over 15 years. Our core services include landscape maintenance (external and internal), plant production, plant/irrigation installation, landscape design, waterway management, pest and disease management, compost recycling, and agriculture/horticulture consultancy.

Green Works prides itself on being the green arm of Al Barari, a unique development in Dubai that

places the environment ahead of building to the extent that 80% of the project area is dedicated to the landscape, compared to other projects which are made up of 20% greenery.

Al Barari's chairman and founder, Zaal Mohammad Zaal, is passionate about the landscape and the environment, and it is his vision that inspires the Green Works team to make it a reality.

## Commercial & Residential Landscape Maintenance – External



The external maintenance division undertakes commercial and residential landscape maintenance providing services directly related to the upkeep and care of commercial, domestic and open space landscapes. Programs can be created to suit individual customer requirements.

Regular service activities include: installation of landscape as per design, maintenance of lawns, pruning and shaping of trees, shrubs and groundcovers, irrigation system repair and maintenance, and implementation of Integrated Pest Management (IPM) systems.

## Commercial & Residential Landscape Maintenance – Internal



The internal division services include the installation, maintenance and replacement of plants suited to indoor environments such as office space, hotels, lobbies and so on.

# Commercial Landscape Design & Planning



The landscape division provides integrated landscape planning and design services ranging from GPS site surveys, client consultations, and concept proposals to final designs and complete specifications.

The majority of work to date has been a mixture of commercial and luxury residential projects.

## **Services include:**

- Landscape master planning
- Urban and streetscape design and landscaping
- Residential project landscaping
- Hardscape selection and specification
- Plan review and consulting

# Horticultural & Agricultural Services



## Services include:

- GCC plant suitability and selection
- Coastal plant selection
- Plant nursery design
- Organic farming and farm planning
- Wetland planting
- Integrated Pest Management (IPM)

# Waterway Management



We are well versed in waterway rehabilitation and protection, habitat and vegetation management, and bed and bank stabilization. We focus on natural waterway management by using wetland/reed beds and the study of native fish to control the population of mosquitoes and water insects. Aerators, water re-

circulators, aspirators and ultrasonic devices are also used to ensure maximum oxygen transfer from the atmosphere and prevent algae growth and odour. All the equipment used is eco-friendly and in line our sustainability standards.

# Green Works Plant Nursery



With a total area spanning more than 38 hectares including glasshouses and shade tunnels, Green Works' nursery produces all the palms, trees, shrubs and groundcovers for entire landscaping projects, backed by expert advice. More than a million plants from over 500 species are cultivated in the nursery and grown specifically to withstand UAE's climate conditions.

All plant material used for projects is grown in-house from propagation to mature size.

Any leftover green waste from projects is sent to Green Works' large compost facility for recycling, thereby minimising wastage.

# Sustainability



Our sustainable landscaping efforts at Green Works include the use of recycled green waste from landscape maintenance which is composted and used as a soil conditioner and organic fertiliser to maintain and enhance healthy soil that supports soil life.

We have installed the latest irrigation equipment to reduce water consumption, promote healthy plant growth and ensure plants are not over-watered.

In addition, our Integrated Pest Management (IPM) techniques have been carefully selected to protect plants in the landscape to control populations of insect pests, thereby reducing the use of chemicals in the environment.

Green Works focuses on sustainable landscaping to respect and restore the land and to implement ecological concepts of landscape design.

# Pest Control



Green Works can also offer Integrated Pest management (IPM) solutions.

In the case of the Red Palm Weevil, we have extensive knowledge and experience in monitoring, eradication and preventative measures in reducing the damage caused to palm species by this pest.

Control is achieved by the use of sprays, injections and biological pheromone lures.

Green Works can advise you on the best action for individual needs in the control of this pest.

# Portfolio



- Al Barari community
- Al Barari themed gardens
- The Farm restaurant
- Heart & Soul spa
- Meydan waterways
- Dubai Ladies Club
- Nurai Island, Abu Dhabi
- Noor Island, Sharjah
- Al Dhaid Organic Farm, Sharjah
- Shaybah Nursery, KSA

- Kef Organic Farm, Mangalore, India
- Al Ghurair Mall, Dubai
- Al Haya Residences, Dubai
- Khor Kalba, Sharjah
- Heart of Sharjah
- Al Qasba, Sharjah
- Beach House, Dubai
- Sharjah Transport Headquarters
- Habtoor Beach Resort, Dubai
- Private villas

## CSR Activities



### **Give a ghaf**

Green Works is Goumbook's main partner in the Give a Ghaf program: each plant in Green Works is diligently tended to by a team of experts who secure the adequate temperature, wind and soil consistency for every leaf on the premises. Green Works, together with Goumbook, welcomes individuals, groups and corporations to share the passion for nature, plants and environmental sustainability.

### **Local community**

Green Works continues to host children from schools across the UAE as well as special needs schools such as the Safe Center for Autism and Asperger's Syndrome. As part of its effort to support the local community, Green Works plants and sows seeds together with the children, educates them on the importance of sustainability, and teaches them how to grow plants.



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