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Landscape Structures Named to Inaugural Forbes Accessibility 100 List

Company recognized alongside global innovators for advancing inclusive play

Delano, Minn. (June 19, 2025) — Landscape Structures Inc., a global leader in commercial playground, splash play and shade solutions, has been named to the first-ever Forbes Accessibility 100 List, which celebrates the world’s most innovative organizations making meaningful strides to improve life for people with disabilities.

Unveiled at the Cannes Lions International Festival of Creativity, the Accessibility 100 highlights a wide spectrum of companies and changemakers ranging from major tech giants like Apple and Google to emerging startups and mission-driven nonprofits that are driving progress in accessibility across industries.

“Accessibility is a fascinating space that has never been captured like this before,” says Alan Schwarz, *Forbes* Assistant Managing Editor who spearheaded the project. “There are lone innovators, juggernaut tech companies, startups. They are revolutionizing how people get around, learn, communicate, work, play sports, travel and so much more. Their impact on people’s lives is monumental – and will only be getting more so soon.”

Landscape Structures earned its place on the list through its commitment to inclusive play, a design philosophy that ensures children and families of all abilities can play together with dignity, equity and joy. From sensory-rich playground equipment to universally designed splash pads and shade structures, the company has championed inclusion since its founding more than 50 years ago.

“We’re incredibly honored to be recognized by *Forbes* for our work in advancing inclusivity through play,” said Karlye Emerson, President and CEO of Landscape Structures. “We believe play is

life-changing. When play spaces are thoughtfully designed for everyone, it becomes a powerful equalizer that brings communities together and helps every child feel seen, valued and included.”

The full list can be found at: <https://www.forbes.com/lists/accessibility-100/>.

About Landscape Structures Inc.

Landscape Structures is the leader in commercial playground equipment design and manufacturing. Since 1971, we have transformed the landscape of play by bringing captivating play spaces to communities and schools across the globe. Everyone at our employee-owned company welcomes the responsibility of creating experiences that honor and include every child’s unique abilities. We believe play is life-changing. Because play, when designed for everyone, brings out the best in all of us.

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