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LINC FACILITY SERVICES HELPS AT&T PARK EARN LEED SILVER CERTIFICATION

Home of the SF Giants is first MLB Park in Country to Earn Distinction for an Existing Building

IRVINE, Calif. – April 21, 2010 – With sustainability best practices implemented by Linc Facility Services, AT&T Park, home of the San Francisco Giants, is the first Major League Baseball ballpark in the country to earn LEED (Leadership in Energy & Environment Design) Silver certification for an existing building. LEED is the nation's most widely recognized and accepted green building rating system.

AT&T Park's LEED Silver certification is the result of the outstanding efforts of Linc and the Giants to incorporate environmental conservation measures into the ballpark's operating plan. These green initiatives have focused on areas such as water and energy efficiency, recycled materials and resources, improved indoor and outdoor air quality, and alternative transportation.

"Receiving LEED Silver certification for an existing building is like winning the pennant. We could not have accomplished this without Linc Facility Services, our other vendors, employees, and fans," said Jorge Costa, senior vice president of ballpark operations. "However, this is an evergreen process, and we won't stop refining and reevaluating our sustainability and efficiency practices until we get to the Gold or Platinum level, or in our business, win the World Series."

“We are very proud to have helped AT&T Park become the first Major League Baseball park in the country to achieve LEED Silver certification in the existing building: operations and maintenance (EBOM) category,” said The Linc Group President and CEO Tracy K. Price. “The Giants set this goal for themselves to better the environment, improve the ballpark, and enhance the fan experience. It’s truly a great accomplishment.”

Created by the U.S. Green Building Council (USGBC), the LEED program was designed to guide and distinguish high performance buildings that have less of an impact on the environment, are healthier for those who use the building, and are more profitable than their conventional counterparts. Certification criteria for existing buildings are more stringent than for newly constructed venues. To reach the LEED Silver level, a facility has to earn a minimum of 50 points.

Linc has been the sole maintenance provider for AT&T Park since its opening in 2000. In 2004, Linc and the Giants started working together to incorporate green initiatives at the ballpark. When the Giants announced their plan last year for AT&T Park to be LEED certified, Linc stepped up to the plate and managed the entire certification process.

Some of the measures implemented at the ballpark to facilitate the LEED process included:

- Installing energy efficient compact fluorescent lighting throughout the ballpark
- Becoming the first MLB ballpark to install a solar energy system
- Implementing an aggressive recycling and composting program that diverted 67 percent of the ballpark’s waste from going to landfills
- Enhancing building automation system controls
- Automating lighting controls
- Adding “green” concession stands
- Installing ENERGY STAR-rated flat panel monitors throughout the facility
- Implementing low-flush water closets, urinals, shower facilities, and aerators
- Installing an HD Scoreboard that is 78 percent more efficient than its predecessor
- Re-commissioning the entire mechanical system
- Implementing water conservation measures
- Continuing to encourage fans to access one of the most transit friendly ballparks in the country by train, ferry, bus, bike, or on foot

All of these energy retrofits were done incrementally and as part of an overall green program designed specifically for AT&T Park through Linc's SustainableFMSM offering. SustainableFM leverages Linc's technical facilities experts and LEED-accredited professionals to work directly with each client to develop a customized, sustainable game plan that aligns with their business objectives. The unique program is built on core pillars aligned with current USGBC programs and LEED criteria.

The Giants will hold a pre-game ceremony to commemorate the accomplishment on April 28, 2010, on the field. The ceremony will begin at approximately 12:15 p.m. The game starts at 12:45 p.m.

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About AT&T Park and the San Francisco Giants

The San Francisco Giants of the National League is one of the oldest franchises in Major League Baseball. Boasting a 128-year history, the team moved to San Francisco from New York in 1958 playing a total of 42 years in Seals Stadium and Candlestick Park before moving into their current home at AT&T Park in 2000. Since opening its gates in 2000, AT&T Park has become internationally-renowned as a premier venue in the world of both sports and entertainment. AT&T Park was chosen as the 2008 Sports Facility of the Year by *Sports Business Journal* and *Sports Business Daily* as part of the inaugural Sports Business Awards program. On the diamond, more than 32 million spectators have witnessed a trio of playoff appearances, the 2002 World Series, and a bevy of magical moments. Barry Bonds established his own historical stage on the shores of McCovey Cove, from his record-setting 71st home run in 2001 to the all-time home run record (762 HRs) in 2007. Likewise, the euphoria that surrounded the Giants' pennant clinching win in 2002 is forever etched upon the San Francisco sports landscape. The ballpark was the center of the baseball universe when it hosted the 78th Major League Baseball All-Star Game on July 10, 2007. In 2008, the Giants celebrated the team's 50th year in San Francisco. AT&T Park has also played host to some of music's biggest acts, including the Rolling Stones, Bruce Springsteen and the E-Street Band, and Green Day. Off the field, the Giants have one of the premier community outreach programs in professional sports, becoming the first team to implement a 100 percent participation program, involving every player, coach, and uniformed staff member in at least one community project throughout the season. Through its outreach programs, the Giants work with corporate and non-profit partners to raise awareness, educate, and generate interest in a variety of issues important to their fans and community.

About Linc Facility Services

Headquartered in Washington, D.C., Linc Facility Services (www.lincfs.com) is a business-to-business productivity partner and leader in technology and high-value facility services. Since 1979, the company has been delivering services to a diverse range of corporate, institutional, and government clients throughout the United States and around the world. Through a network of regional offices, Linc Facility Services and its subsidiaries provide differentiated and innovative facility management solutions that drive quality, efficiency, and a reliable means to superior results. The company's goal of providing "Solutions Delivered." enables its clients – including airports, military installations, sports venues, financial institutions, healthcare facilities, schools, and manufacturing plants – to save valuable time and money and operate at their highest levels of performance. Linc Facility Services is a business unit of The Linc Group (www.thelincgroup.com).