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**The Boston Globe Names Darling Consulting Group
a Top Place to Work for 2017**

Magazine honors the best employers in Massachusetts



NEWBURYPORT, MA (November 20, 2017) – Darling Consulting Group has been named one of the *Top Places to Work* in Massachusetts in the 10th annual employee-based survey project from *The Boston Globe*. The *Top Places to Work 2017* issue was published online at Globe.com/topplaces on the night of November 16 and in *The Boston Globe Magazine* on November 19.

Top Places to Work recognizes the most admired workplaces in the state voted on by the people who know them the best—their employees. The survey measures employee opinions about their company's direction, execution, connection, management, work, pay and benefits and engagement. The employers are placed into one of four groups: small, with 50 to 99 employees; medium, with 100 to 249 workers; large, with 250 to 999; and largest, with 1,000 or more.

For nearly 40 years, Darling Consulting Group (DCG) has been the recognized leader in providing balance sheet risk management analyses, strategies and solutions to the U.S. banking industry. Our 600+ clients include a broad array of community banks and credit unions, as well as many of the country's 100 largest banks.

"Our primary asset is our DCG team," noted DCG President Matt Pieniasek. "We enjoy a unique culture and work environment that is both challenging and fun. We are bonded by our formal values of integrity, quality, teamwork and success."

"Our winning companies are all in on a secret," said Katie Johnston, the Globe's Top Places to Work editor. "Treating employees well isn't that difficult, and the payoff—increased morale, retention and productivity—is huge."