

NEWS FROM: WEST & COMPANY CPAs PC

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John P. Franck CPA PC and WEST & COMPANY CPAs PC are pleased to announce the merger of their accounting practices as of November 1, 2009.

The firm will operate as WEST & COMPANY CPAs PC with offices at 511 Broadway, Saratoga Springs, NY, and 97 North Main Street, Gloversville, NY.

With a staff including 15 CPAs, WEST offers expertise in numerous specialized areas of accounting, including audits, tax preparation and planning, business consulting, business valuations and trusts and estates.

Larry Sheeler, the managing shareholder of the firm, stated: "The merger of our firms will greatly enhance our ability to serve our clients. The specialized skills within each firm are complementary, allowing us to offer a more complete service array to the clients of each original firm."

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