

**RYAN, SHARKEY & CRUTCHFIELD NAMED 45th LARGEST ACCOUNTING FIRM BY
THE WASHINGTON BUSINESS JOURNAL
*Practice Quadruples in Four Years***

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RESTON, VIRGINIA, SEPTEMBER 10, 2008 -- Ryan, Sharkey & Crutchfield, LLP (“RSC”) was ranked the 45th largest accounting firm in the Washington D.C. metro area by the *Washington Business Journal* in July of 2008, up from 50th in 2007. RSC’s dramatic growth in the four years since its inception is a testament to their unwavering commitment to quality and service.

“We are thrilled to be named one of Washington D.C.’s top 50 accounting firms for the second year in row,” said Ed Ryan, Managing Partner of RSC. “We have experienced tremendous growth over the last several years. We attribute this growth to our long-lasting client relationships, our technical expertise, our wide scope of experience and our entrepreneurial spirit—we’re growing along with our clients. This winning formula has been the key to our success. “

RSC is built on a foundation of integrity and trust in everything we do, which is demonstrated by our partner, staff, and client relationships. Our team members apply their experience and expertise to help our clients make the best decisions possible to achieve their growth goals - our team and our clients are the reason for our success.

About Ryan, Sharkey & Crutchfield, LLP

At Ryan, Sharkey & Crutchfield, LLP, we apply our extensive experience delivering accounting, audit, tax and consulting services to help our clients make more effective financial decisions. In addition to traditional accounting and tax services, our firm provides technical advisory services in financial reporting, FAS 109 tax consulting, internal audit and Sarbanes-Oxley compliance services. RSC participates in the American Institute of Certified Public Accountants Quality Review Program that ensures firms have quality control systems over their accounting and audit practices. Our most recent quality review by an outside CPA resulted in an unmodified report, which we feel reflects our commitment to quality.

Our mission is to be an extension of your financial advisory team and provide you the insight and advice you need, when you need it, to lay the foundation for your next phase of growth. RSC is proud of its level of sophistication in assurance and tax services, entrepreneurial spirit, personalized, hands-on service and standard of attracting top talent to represent their services. For more information about RSC, visit www.rscllp.com.

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